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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Charissa Snijders.

Charissa was responsible for all working drawings, from sketch plans by Peter Sargisson, for our house at the above address. Charissa also supervised the contract works and developed a detailed and extensive colour scheme for the house. The house is to be entered for the Auckland region Institute of Architects award.

The quality of our house and the pleasure we derive from its aesthetics owe a lot to Charissa's dogged attention to detail and to her easy and constructive relationship with the contractor and sub-trades. Her easy, collaborative, nature combined with an ability to listen to practical rock-face advice contributed greatly to an unexpectedly happy experience building a large house on an island. Her management of progress accounting and fees was accurate and timely.

She confidently let the materials express themselves, and brought beautiful, uncluttered detail to the finishing and cabinets. But above all, Charissa listened to us, got to know us, and worked tirelessly to ensure that this house would suit us..

We are happy to commend her.



Tom Finlayson