

Important Steps To Building A Compliant Rock Wall

1. **Does the Rock Wall Builder have the appropriate license to build a Rock Wall over 1 meter?**

The required license would be a “**Builder Restricted to Structural Landscaping Licence**”. This enables the Rock Builder to legally build over one (1) meter in height.

2. All Rock Wall Builders should have **Public Liability Insurance**.
3. Ensure you have a **quotation** from the Rock Wall Builder **in writing**.
4. Make sure you understand the scope of work and that the detailed scope of work **is in writing on the quotation**.
5. **Do you need any approvals?** Rock Walls over one (1) meter in height require **Engineering Approval**. Council approvals may also be required in certain circumstances
6. Rock Walls should always include **Drainage, Ag Line and Geo Fabric** as part of their construction.
7. In choosing the Rock Type for your Rock Wall, ensure you inspect a previous job in this type of Rock, or **request photos of a completed job**.
8. Make sure your Rock Wall Builder has **checked and included in his price** to do a search for any services that may be under the proposed Rock Wall.
9. **Do not pay in full before the Job is complete.**
10. **Ensure you receive all Engineering certificates and approvals before paying in full.**