Summary of Land use, Consenting and Radio Spectrum protection efforts by SpaceOps NZ

2006	Resource consent granted to operate a satellite tracking station at Awarua with up to 4 dishes antennas to 11 metres diameter and two buildings. (LUC/2006/282, 21 December 2006)
2007	Venture Southland Charitable Trust leases 0.325 ha of land from Wylie Farms Ltd to establish Awarua Tracking Station.
2014	Venture Southland Charitable Trust purchases 1.7ha of land from Wylie Farms Ltd, including the leased land at Awarua.
2018	Venture Southland Charitable Trust purchases additional 2.8 ha of land from Wylie Farms limited.
2019	Resource consent granted to expand the existing satellite ground station operations by an additional 20 dish antennas (15 of which may be radome protected), 14 Yagi Antennas, 3 buildings and a container shed. Retrospective Consent is also sought for an existing 3.4m radome protected dish antenna RMA/2019/92 (12 June 2019)
2020	Radio Spectrum Management (RSM) publishes “Re-planning the 1710–2300 MHz Band – Decisions” (November 2020). The decision protects Awarua SGS S-Band radio spectrum for space operations.
2023	Space Operations New Zealand Limited purchases 27.9908 ha of land from Stephen and Tracy Henderson.
2023	Resource consent application to subdivision consent to create a separate title for Lot 2 DP 524692 and land use to expand the existing satellite ground station and associated certificate of compliance at 46 Awarua Siding Road and 781 Colyer Road Invercargill - RMA/2023/7, RMA/2023/8 AND CRT/2023/3 (30 March 2023)
2025	Space Operations New Zealand Limited approved as a Requiring Authority (Gazette 13-10-2025)
2026	Radio Spectrum Management (RSM) publishes “. 22-32 GHz “ decision. The decision protects Awarua SGS Ka-Band radio spectrum for space operations.