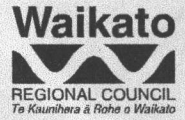


PROPOSED WAIKATO REGIONAL PLAN CHANGE 1 WAIKATO AND WAIPĀ RIVER CATCHMENTS



**Submission form on publicly notified – Proposed
Waikato Regional Plan Change 1 – Waikato and
Waipā River Catchments.**

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FORM 5 Clause 6 of First Schedule, Resource Management Act 1991

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SUBMISSIONS CAN BE

Mailed to	Chief Executive, 401 Grey Street, Private Bag 3038, Waikato Mail Centre, Hamilton 3240
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Faxed to	(07) 859 0998 Please Note: if you fax your submission, please post or deliver a copy to one of the above addresses
Emailed to	healthyrivers@waikatoregion.govt.nz Please Note: Submissions received by email must contain full contact details.
Online at	www.waikatoregion.govt.nz/healthyrivers

We need to receive your submission by 5pm, 8 March 2017.

YOUR NAME AND CONTACT DETAILS

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TRADE COMPETITION AND ADVERSE EFFECTS (select appropriate)

- I could / could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.
- I am / am not directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that:
- adversely effects the environment, and
 - does not relate to the trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

Delete entire paragraph if you could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.

THE SPECIFIC PROVISIONS OF PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE 1 THAT MY SUBMISSION RELATES TO

Please state the provision, map or page number e.g. Objective 4 or Rule 3.11.5.1 (Continue on separate sheet(s) if necessary).

My submission relates to Nitrogen Reference Point
~~Rule 3.11.5.3~~
Rule 3.11.5.2
3.11.5.3

I SUPPORT OR OPPOSE THE ABOVE PROVISION/S

(Select as appropriate and continue on separate sheet(s) if necessary).

- Support the above provisions
- Support the above provision with amendments
- Oppose the above provisions

MY SUBMISSION IS THAT

Tell us the reasons why you support or oppose or wish to have the specific provisions amended. (Please continue on separate sheet(s) if necessary).

I am totally opposed to this proposal as it is only taken as a snapshot in time and won't necessarily reflect what has been the life time trend of stocking rates on our farm, particular farm. For most of our 36 years of farming life the farm has been running 13.3 stock units per hectre. Because we have reached the end of our working life we have eased our stock numbers to ease our work load which includes the years of this proposal. If this proposal comes into effect it will greatly reduce the value of our farm because of a management decision made to ease our work load.
I propose that the Nitrogen Reference Point be deleted in its entirety.
at present we are running 11 stock units per hectre

I SEEK THE FOLLOWING DECISION BY COUNCIL

(Select as appropriate and continue on separate sheet(s) if necessary).

- Accept the above provision
- Accept the above provision with amendments as outlined
- Decline the above provision
- If not declined, then amend the above provision as outlined

3.11.5.2

3.11.5.3

ADDITIONAL SHEET TO ASSIST IN MAKING A SUBMISSION

Section number of the Plan Change: Stock Exclusion Rule 3.11.5.1

Do you support or oppose the provision?

Support

Oppose

Submission

State in summary the nature of your submission and the reasons for it.

We oppose this provision in its present state because it is too generalised. The cost to farmers to implement this provision in its present state will ~~gross~~ be grossly unfair to hill country farmers which historically have a lower stocking rate.

Decision Sought

State clearly the decision and/or suggested changes you want Council to make on the provision.

We recommend the council monitor each individual catchment area and on a farm to farm basis and with a flexible approach to the fencing of the water ways.

Section number of the Plan Change:

Stock exclusion requirements for land > 25° slope

Do you support or oppose the provision?

Support

Oppose

Submission

State in summary the nature of your submission and the reasons for it.

I am opposed to this clause when it is proven that the carp in our waterways is one of the worst forms of pollutants. Until such time as the regional council put money into sorting out the carp problem in our waterways I don't think it is at all fair to put such costs onto farmers. This clause would cause a lot of farmers to have to walk off their land because of the costs of not been able to graze vast amounts of land. It doesn't seem at all fair when the regional council aren't doing their bit on such a problem as carp contamination.

Decision Sought

State clearly the decision and/or suggested changes you want Council to make on the provision.

PLEASE INDICATE BY TICKING THE RELEVANT BOX WHETHER YOU WISH TO BE HEARD IN SUPPORT OF YOUR SUBMISSION

- I wish to speak at the hearing in support of my submissions.
 I do not wish to speak at the hearing in support of my submissions.

JOINT SUBMISSIONS

- If others make a similar submission, please tick this box if you will consider presenting a joint case with them at the hearing.

IF YOU HAVE USED EXTRA SHEETS FOR THIS SUBMISSION PLEASE ATTACH THEM TO THIS FORM AND INDICATE BELOW

- Yes, I have attached extra sheets. No, I have not attached extra sheets.

SIGNATURE OF SUBMITTER

Signature:



Date:

5-3-17

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