

# 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

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Faxed to	(07) 859 0998 <i>Please Note: if you fax your submission, please post or deliver a copy to one of the above addresses</i>
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<b>We need to receive your submission by 5pm, 8 March 2017.</b>	

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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:
- (a) adversely effects the environment, and
  - (b) 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).

3.11.3 Policy 3.C. Nitrogen reference point  
Policy 1B. This is basically racist if Maori are able to have flexibility for development of land then this needs to be considered for all New Zealanders

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 do not support any part of the restrictions in increasing stock numbers as the farm we purchased was extremely run down and has needed extensive capital investment over the last ten years. Now that it is becoming more economic I am increasing my stock numbers slowly over the next few years. Also as money allows I am also increasing my fertilizer requirements as recommended.  
I have invested large amount of money into wetlands and fencing of creeks to find that I am now penalised as you do not consider these type of improvements retrospectively.  
How can my dairy farm neighbours discharge so much more than myself therefore.

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

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: 2/3/2017

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PLEASE CHECK that you have provided all of the information requested and if you are having trouble filling out this form, phone Waikato Regional Council on 0800 800 401 for help.

**ADDITIONAL SHEET TO ASSIST IN MAKING A SUBMISSION**

Section number of the Plan Change: Policy 3-C.

Do you support or oppose the provision?  Support  Oppose

**Submission**

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

I support the clean rivers model but I can not understand how dairy farmers can leach so much more than dry stock farmers per hectare. I also have invested thousands of hours & hundreds of thousands of dollars in improving this run down farm to be told I am not able to increase stock numbers from 2015.

**Decision Sought**

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

Make an allowance for farms to be developed.  
Make the reference point for nitrogen the same for all farms.

Section number of the Plan Change:

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**Submission**

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**Decision Sought**

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