

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

YOUR NAME AND CONTACT DETAILS

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Signature:

John D... [Handwritten Signature]

Date:

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1. I, John Oliver, agree that all stake holders should provide a farm plan, outlining the present situations of the said lands, and the proposed future plans the owner may have. This would be very helpful for all concerned.
2. Fixing a nitrogen cap: I oppose this point. I have personal experience of the Taupo Catchment of Grand-parenting N.R.P. It has proved to be very unfair – low emitting farmers should not be penalised to allow higher to continue farming at another's expense.
Emitters
3. Stock exclusion: The minister, Nick Smiths, last speech on this subject I am happy with. I do think that land over 150 should be excluded, except where a critical area identified in the F.E.P.
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4. I think that one rule does not fit all. Re: the 1 plan, identify the catchments where the worst problems are, sediment, N, E-coli – they will mainly be in small hot spots – deal with these areas, farmers will agree with this plan, work out from these areas up and down stream.
5. Urban areas: Please do not think the problems I have spoken about ~~are~~ are all caused by rural areas, sadly, a large amount of pollutants are still coming from urban areas. It is a national problem we are trying to fix.
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6. Soil: There are many different soil types, and big differences in rainfall over the catchment area, so I feel that one rule does not fit all.
7. Sadly, my personal feelings tell me that there are too many properties that are carrying too many cattle, per Ha, causing excessive high N leaching, soil damage, possibly e-coli etc. The answer - Animals per Ha should be reduced or even capped in critical areas.

John Oliver