

Water Conservation Order: Te Waikoropupū Springs and Associated Waterbodies

Submission Reference no: 1384

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Submitter Type: Individual

Source: Email

Overall Notes:

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The specific parts of the application that my/our submission relates to are:

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I support the Forest & Bird submission to grant the application. In particular I support measures for the wider catchment which will protect: the water clarity and purity the scientific, ecological and biodiversity values habitat for indigenous flora and fauna cultural values wild, scenic and natural characteristics My submission relates to all of the application. I support the application. I seek that the Special Tribunal recommends granting the order to the Minister of the Environment. I do not want to present my views at the public hearing.

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What is/are your view/s on the application?

Position

Support

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I can't believe that we even have to raise a petition to save these springs. New Zealand loves to brag about what we have - and then we blithely and casually ruin it. I cannot believe that these acclaimed springs are not already given due protection. Last time I visited there were cattle grazing in a paddock right next door without even the merest suggestion of riparian planting. What more can I say? Please ensure that the application to protect the wider catchment is granted and that this outstanding natural site and its source of water are protected in perpetuity.

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I/we seek the following recommendation from the Special Tribunal to the Minister for the Environment

Position

Grant the order

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Would you like to present your views on this submission to the Special Tribunal at a public hearing?

Position

I/we do not want to present my/our views at a public hearing

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