

Water Conservation Order: Te Waikoropupū Springs and Associated Waterbodies

Submission Reference no: 547

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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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It saddens one who left my country, and to observe the "Pure " and pristine now on spiraling plunge of deterioration. To the point where a website, www. can i swim here, requires reference before making choice of location for aquatic activity. Having recently returned from a visit to central Australia and visited the 'Mound Springs' the significance its attraction, uniqueness, and contribution the tourism industry is recognized. Itself a phenomenon worthy of protections to maintain natural integrity. I remember well the 'PUPU from late fifties, and every effort in maintaining such beauty and pureness, preventing its addition to the polluted index must assume priority of protection. Having been participant in the mining industry and observer to the environment and ecology change (damage) much of it evidencing sometimes decades after cessation of operations. Subtle to drastic contaminant to soils, aquifers a disaster of progress without protection and profit driven mentality. I urge every protection be considered for the maintenance this representation of nature's purity. A submission of sincerity, a wild child of Tongariro Nat-Park, Scholar of Mangatepopo School. Naturalists playground

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

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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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