

Water Conservation Order: Te Waikoropupū Springs and Associated Waterbodies

Submission Reference no: 113

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Submitter Type: Individual

Source: Web Form

Overall Notes:

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

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Because of the outstanding scientific and ecological as well as cultural values and the globally unique clarity of the Te Waikoropupu Springs and their associated water bodies, I believe all efforts should be taken to protect these waters. It is inappropriate to allocate more water for irrigation from anywhere within the aquifer recharge zone. If these waters are damaged, the change is irreversible and their pristine condition could not be restored. This outstanding resource needs to be protected completely with the utmost diligence. Water for irrigation will need to be found elsewhere, or better yet, new, less water-intensive farming practices should be developed.

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

Position

Support

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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 want to present my/our views at a public hearing

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