

Water Conservation Order: Te Waikoropupū Springs and Associated Waterbodies

Submission Reference no: 2128

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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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These springs have been a source of wonder for me since childhood. They are so unique and so precious and once destroyed will be gone forever. Please can we make Te Waikoropupu Springs protected and safe from over farming and irrigation. Short term gain needs to stop being used as an excuse to destroy your beautiful land. And if it is all about profit then surely these springs are worth saving for the tourist dollars that they bring. How much of New Zealand needs to become irreversibly polluted before the greed ends? It makes me weep seeing how unclean and green we have become as a country.

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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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