

# Proposed Waikato Regional Plan Change 1 – Waikato and Waipa River Catchments.

Submission form on publicly notified – Proposed Waikato Regional Plan Change 1 – Waikato and Waipa River Catchments.

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FORM 5 Clause 6 of First Schedule, Resource Management Act 1991

## SUBMISSIONS CAN BE

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| <b>Delivered to</b>   | Waikato Regional Council, 401 Grey Street, Hamilton East, Hamilton   |
| <b>Faxed to</b>   | (07) 859 0998<br><i>Please Note: if you fax your submission, please post or deliver a copy to one of the above addresses</i>   |
| <b>Emailed to</b>   | <a href="mailto:healthyrivers@waikatoregion.govt.nz">healthyrivers@waikatoregion.govt.nz</a><br><i>Please Note: Submissions received my email must contain full contact details. We also request you send us a signed original by post or courier.</i> |
| <b>Online at</b>  | <a href="http://www.waikatoregion.govt.nz/healthyrivers">www.waikatoregion.govt.nz/healthyrivers</a>   |
| <b>We need to receive your submission by 5pm, 8 March 2017.</b> |  |

## YOUR NAME AND CONTACT DETAILS

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## ADDRESS FOR SERVICE OF SUBMITTER

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## TRADE COMPETITION AND ADVERSE EFFECTS (select appropriate)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I could / <input type="checkbox"/> could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.        |
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**THE SPECIFIC PROVISIONS OF PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE 1 THAT MY SUBMISSION RELATES TO**

*Please state the provision, map or page number e.g. Objective 4 or Rule 3.11.5.1  
(continue on separate sheet(s) if necessary.)*

Schedule B, Nitrogen Reference Point

**I SUPPORT OR OPPOSE THE ABOVE PROVISION/S**

*(select as appropriate and continue on separate sheet(s) if necessary.)*

- Support the above provisions  
 Support the above provision with amendments  
 Oppose the above provisions

**MY SUBMISSION IS THAT**

*Tell us the reasons why you support or oppose or wish to have the specific provisions amended  
(Please continue on separate sheets if necessary.)*

The Overseer Model proposed is neither a best international practice model nor independent, given that the Overseer Ltd is jointly owned 50% by Agresearch Ltd., 25% by Ballance Agrinutrients and (effectively) 25% Ravensdown Ltd

For further background see <http://www.stuff.co.nz/business/farming/86257745/waikato-regional-council-must-ask-is-overseer-trust-worthy>

**I SEEK THE FOLLOWING DECISION BY COUNCIL**

*(select as appropriate and continue on separate sheet(s) if necessary.)*

- Accept the above provision  
 Accept the above provision with amendments as outlined below  
 Decline the above provision  
 If not declined, then amend the above provision as outlined below

**Amend as follows:**

As a matter of urgency the Waikato Regional Council obtain an independent critique of the N based Overseer model in the light of current best international practise and if necessary trialling in the Waikato of alternative models such as the Rothamsted carbon & nitrogen model.

That the Waikato Regional Council carries out further research on the full international range of regulatory tools currently available to ensure clean water downstream from non-point agricultural nitrogen sources.

PLEASE INDICATE BY TICKING THE RELEVANT BOX WHETHER YOU WISH TO BE HEARD IN SUPPORT OF YOUR SUBMISSION

I wish to speak at the hearing in support of my submissions.

I do not wish to speak at the hearing in support of my submissions.

JOINT SUBMISSIONS

If others make a similar submission, please tick this box if you will consider presenting a joint case with them at the hearing.

IF YOU HAVE USED EXTRA SHEETS FOR THIS SUBMISSION PLEASE ATTACH THEM TO THIS FORM AND INDICATE BELOW


Yes, I have attached extra sheets.

No, I have not attached extra sheets.

SIGNATURE OF SUBMITTER

*(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter)  
A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means*

Signature



Date 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2007

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Personal information is used for the administration of the submission process and will be made public. All information collected will be held by Waikato Regional Council, with submitters having the right to access and correct personal information.

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