

# PROPOSED WAIKATO REGIONAL PLAN CHANGE 1 WAIKATO AND WAIPĀ RIVER CATCHMENTS



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Waikato Regional Plan Change 1 – Waikato and  
Waipā River Catchments.

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I am making this submission as we think farming cannot stand still. If we do, NZ will stagnate into a downward spiral with no future for our young people in agriculture. If our forebears thought like this, NZ would not be the place it is today, without a vibrant society made up of many cultures.

Unfortunately the measures proposed are the same old regulation farm plans. Tree planting, reduce nitrogen, reduce stocking rates; where is the new thinking on new science that could be implemented in a joint strategy with farmers and other stakeholders.

We believe in sustainable rivers but what you are trying to achieve as sustainable river in all conditions is unrealistic.

You will send many hill farmers broke as the value of their land devalues with dire consequences for small towns, local transport companies, vets, stock agents etc and this will flow into the wider economy all over the Waikato.

I have got a 445 Ha farm that I have built up over 45 years from tea tree and rushes to be one of the top performing beef, lamb and maize cropping farms in the Waikato with all drains fenced. My contributions to NZ Economy is \$300,000 tax per year. I support local school, scouts and halls with donations and help where needed.

This country has been built on the backs of hard-working people who have risked their savings to build strong communities in this country.

Duncan and Lorraine Stobie

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