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**FURTHER SUBMISSION ON HORIZONS PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE 2**

To: Horizons Regional Council

From: Royal Forest and Bird Protection Society of New Zealand Inc. (Forest & Bird)

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This is a further submission in support of, or in opposition to, submissions on the Proposed Plan Change 2 for the Horizons Region, pursuant to Clause 8 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Forest and Bird represents relevant aspects of the public interest. Forest and Bird is New Zealand largest and oldest conservation organisation and represents more than 80,000 members and supporters who have an interest in the sustainable management and protection of New Zealand's indigenous biodiversity, natural landscapes, recreational access and enjoyment of the coastal marine area, and to publicly owned land, rivers, and lakes. We have four branches located within the region: Horowhenua, Manawatu, Whanganui, and Rangitikei.

We could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.

Forest and Bird wishes to be heard in support of our submission.

Details of the original submission being commented on	Original Submission number	Position	Part(s) of the submission you support or oppose	Reasons	Relief sought
<p><b>Ruapehu District Council</b> Private Bag 1001 Taumarunui 3946 Anne-Marie Westcott</p>	2	Oppose in part	<p>Oppose statement #5 in Summary of Submissions – “Deletion of Table 14.2”</p> <p>Oppose paragraph 5.3 in Original Submission re. pathway for new intensive land uses</p> <p>Support paragraph 5.1 in Original Submission re. investigation into Overseer</p>	<p>Deletion of table and pathway for new intensive land use contravenes Horizons Regional Council’s responsibility to manage effects on freshwater through relevant legislation and policy documents (NPS-FM, RMA, RPS, etc.).</p>	<p>Disallow submission statement #5 in Summary of Submissions and 5.3 in Original Submission.</p> <p>Allow submission point 5.1 in Original Submission</p>
<p><b>Kahungunu ki Tāmiki nui-a-Rua Trust</b> PO Box 97 Dannevirke 4930 Stacey Hape</p>	4	Support	<p>We support the entire submission except where points are in conflict with Forest &amp; Bird’s original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.</p>	<p>The submission is generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.</p>	<p>Allow entire submission where not in direct conflict with Forest &amp; Bird’s original submission.</p>
<p><b>BakerAg NZ Limited</b> 8 Manchester Square Feilding 4702</p>	5	Support in part	<p>Support Statement #3 Topic 14 – in particular “PC2 will allow land use change to increase N leaching to the PC2 limits”</p> <p>Support Statement #6 Topic 14 - “PC2 proposes the test of ‘meeting good</p>	<p>These submission points raise relevant questions re. the plan change’s consistency with legislation and policy documents.</p>	<p>Allow these submission points</p>

			management practice.’ This term is vague, it needs objective measures to describe what this means in practice”		
<b>DairyNZ Limited</b> Private Bag 11222 Palmerston North 4442 Adam Duker	40	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird’s original submission.	The submission is inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant legislation/planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<b>Horowhenua District Council</b> Private Bag 4002 Levin 5540 The Chief Executive	42	Support in part	Support Statement #1 that “PC2 be withdrawn”  We oppose the remainder of the submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird’s original submission.	PPC2 is inconsistent with the relevant legislation and policy documents so withdrawal would be appropriate.	Allow request for PPC2 to be withdrawn.  Disallow other submission points.
<b>Ravensdown Limited</b> PO Box 1845 Christchurch 8140 Carmen Taylor, Consultant Planner	45	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird’s original submission.	The submission is inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant legislation/planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<b>Environmental Defence Society</b> PO Box 91736 Auckland 1142	54	Support	We support the entire submission except where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird’s original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	The submission is generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	Allow entire submission where not in direct conflict with Forest & Bird’s original submission.
<b>Wellington Fish &amp;</b>	55	Support	We support the entire	The submission is	Allow entire submission

<b>Game Council</b> PO Box 1325 Palmerston North 4440			submission except where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	where not in direct conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission.
<b>Woodhaven Gardens Ltd</b> 44 Joblins Road R D 1 Levin 5571	57	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird's original submission.	These proposed changes are inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<b>Federated Farmers of New Zealand Inc</b> PO Box 945 Palmerston North 4440 Coralee Matena, Senior Policy Advisor	58	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird's original submission.	These proposed changes are inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<b>Director-General of Conservation</b> Private Bag 3072 Hamilton 3240 RMA Shared Services, DOC	61	Support	We support the entire submission except where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	The submission is generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	Allow entire submission where not in direct conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission.
<b>Ngā Waihua o Paerangi Trust</b> P O Box 195 Ohakune 4660 Erena Mikaere	63	Support	We support the entire submission except where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	The submission is generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	Allow entire submission where not in direct conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission.
<b>Water Protection Society</b>	65	Support in part	We support the submission except	The submission is generally in alignment	Allow submission where not in direct conflict

129 Raukawa Road Palmerston North Dr Chris Teo-Sherrell, Chairperson			where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	with Forest & Bird's original submission.
<b>Horticulture New Zealand</b> PO Box 10-232 Wellington Michelle Sands, Manager – Natural Resources & Environment	66	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	The submission is inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<b>Ngāti Turanga</b> Hayden Turoa	67	Support	We support the entire submission except where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	The submission is generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	Allow entire submission where not in direct conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission.
<b>Te Roopū Taiao o Ngāti Whakatere Trust</b> P O Box 21 Shannon Robert Ketu	68	Support	We support the entire submission except where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	The submission is generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	Allow entire submission where not in direct conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission.
<b>Te Rūnanga o Raukawa</b> 70 Ruamahanga Crescent Palmerston North Jessica Stevenson	70	Support	We support the entire submission except where points are in conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission, in which case our submission takes precedence.	The submission is generally in alignment with all relevant legislation and policy documents.	Allow entire submission where not in direct conflict with Forest & Bird's original submission.

<p><b>Ballance Agri-Nutrients Limited</b> Private Bag 12 503, Tauranga Mail Centre Tauranga 3143 Dominic Adams - Environmental Manager</p>	72	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird's original submission.	The submission and its proposed changes are inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<p><b>Beef + Lamb New Zealand</b> P O Box 8448 Havelock North 4157 Dylan Muggerridge</p>	74	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird's original submission.	The submission and its proposed changes are inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant legislation and planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<p><b>Potatoes New Zealand</b> P O Box 10-232 Wellington Nicola Loach</p>	75	Oppose	We oppose the entire submission except where points are consistent with Forest & Bird's original submission.	The submission and its proposed changes are inconsistent with the purposes of the relevant planning documents.	Disallow submission.
<p><b>Hokio A Maori Land Trust</b> 45 Queenwood Road</p>	76	Support in part	We support the request to decline the application for PPC2	PPC2 is inconsistent with the relevant legislation and policy documents so declining the application for PPC2 would be appropriate.	Allow submission point.
<p><b>Palmerston North City Council; Manawatu, Horowhenua, Ruapehu and Taranua District Councils (The Combined Councils)</b> Private Bag 11034 Palmerston North 4442 Melaina Voss, Wastewater BPO Manager</p>	82	Support in part	We support the Councils' request for clarification as to whether municipal wastewater discharges to land are captured in PPC2 where those discharges are on land that is also used for farming activities/grazing.	The submission raises an important point pertaining to the management of effects and activities that needs clarification (and needs to be managed in the plan).	Allow submission point