

Submission on Proposed Pareora Catchment Environmental Flow and Water Allocation Regional Plan

Environment Canterbury Regional Council
Kaurihera, Taioao ki Waitaha

Form 5: Submissions on a Publicly Notified Proposed Policy Statement or Regional Plan under Clause 6 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991

Tick this box if you do not wish to be heard in support of your submission;

Tick this box if you do wish to be heard in support of your submission; and,

Tick this box if you would be prepared to consider presenting your submission in a joint case with others making a similar submission at any hearing.

Return your signed submission by **Friday 1 October 2010**:
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Signature: [Signature]

(Signature of person making submission or person authorised to sign on behalf of person making the submission)

Please note: all information contained in a submission under the Resource Management Act 1991, including names and addresses for service, becomes public information.

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(1) The specific provisions of the variation that my submission relates to are:
Specify page number and subsection numbering for each separate provision.

Policy 1.6
Rule 4.2

(2) My submission is that:
State concisely the nature of your submission, and clearly indicate whether you support or oppose each separate provision being submitted on, or wish to have amendments made, giving reasons.

The wording of Policy 1.6 is too strong, in particular the word 'prevent'

A sustainable dam on the mainstem of the Pareora, with a suitable minimum release criteria, could achieve the purpose of the RMA 1991 and should not be 'prevented'

A dam can be consented as a non-complying

(3) I seek the following decisions from Environment Canterbury:
Please give precise details for each provision. The more specific you can be the easier it will be for the Council to understand your concerns.

Amend the wording of Policy 1.6...
To prevent any damming... unless the dam will be consistent with all other objectives and policies of this Plan.
-or something to that effect

