

Environment Canterbury Regional Council
Kaunihera Taiao ki Waikato

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

B 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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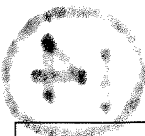
Postal address for service of person making submission (if different from above):

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.

<p>C</p> <p>(1) The specific provisions of the variation that my submission relates to are:</p> <p>Specify page number and subsection numbering for each separate provision.</p> <p>Entire Plan</p> <p>Obj Objective 5 - Policy 1.19 pg18</p>	<p>(2) My submission is that:</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Support the plan in principle and support the process taken to date with the community steering group approach.</p> <p>I oppose the forecasting of a raising of the minimum flow in 10 years time. Frequent reference to this outcome in 10 yrs time is effectively pre judging what should be a stand alone review based on values at that time. (in 10 years)</p>	<p>(3) I seek the following decisions from Environment Canterbury:</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Delete this predictive commentary.</p>



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<p>Policy 1.6 pg 16 Rule 4.2 pg 23</p>	<p>The plan should acknowledge that a storage dam could have a positive impact of providing a more consistent reliable minimum flow. Particularly in the north branch where there is already a dam sited.</p>	<p>Amend status to discretionary recognising Canterbury Water Strategy values & aspirations.</p>
<p>Policy 1.10 pg 17 Policy 2.3 pg 19 Schedule 2 pg 35.</p>	<p>While I strongly endorse the move from weekly-monthly volumes to annual volumetric allocations. The basis for calculating annual volumes should be the Irrigate methodology recently adopted elsewhere in Canterbury.</p>	<p>Amend the plan to state that annual volume limits will replace any other volumetric limitations. These annual volumes to be calculated via the Irrigate method.</p>
<p>Review of consents.</p>	<p>It is most desirable for this plan once adopted be put into practise as soon as possible. Therefore all consents should be called in and reviewed at the earliest opportunity and this should be at no cost to the consent holders.</p>	<p>Adopt the finalised plan and review consents prior to 2011/2012 irrigation season.</p>

