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Subject: LTP submission on behalf of the Waihao-Wainono Combined Rating District - Signed Submission

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Please note our earlier submission today was not signed. Attached here is the signed submission.

On behalf of the Waihao-Wainono Combined Rating District, please find **attached** for lodgement the Committee's submission on the proposed Long-Term Plan 2021-2035.

I can confirm that the Committee would like to attend.

Contact details for the Committee are included in the submission, and below.

Kind regards,

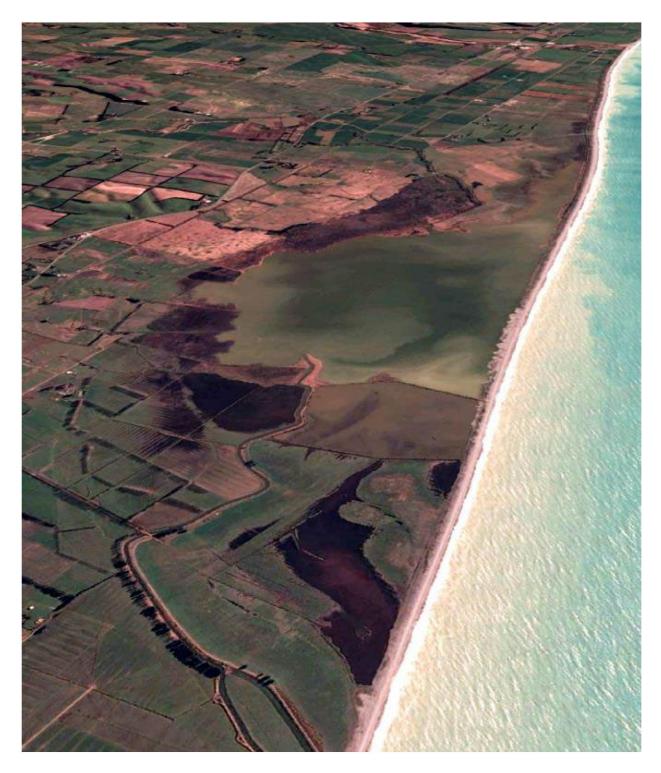
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SUBMISSION OF THE WAIHAO-WAINONO COMBINED RATING DISTRICT



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Date: 16 April 2021

I **confirm** that the Committee was elected on 9 April 2021 to represent our rating district in accordance with the rules of the Local Electoral Act 2001, that on 9 April 2021 I was duly elected by the Committee as Chairman and authorised to lodge this submission on behalf of the Committee.

We wish to discuss our submission in person.

We do not wish our contact details to be made public.

Submissions:	Decisions Sought:	
1. 2021-31 Financial Strategy Part B, Significant Impacts, Ability to	1. That the proposed works are removed from the draft LTP.	
maintain existing levels of service to meet additional demands.	2. That the information available to support the proposed works and	
Waihao-Wainono:	expenditure is insufficient for ECan's statutory obligations to be	
 Stopbank realignment near old Bradshaws Bridge site 	discharged.	
Within the next 10-15 years extend the box at landward end	3. That the necessary investigations are carried out in the next	
 Part replacement of the box 	financial year to better determine the future needs and	
See Tables 8.1 and 8.2 for proposed expenditure.	requirements of this catchment.	
	4. That the Committee is engaged with over the next financial year to	
The Committee, and the Community, have not been provided with	determine what levels of service are acceptable to the community	
infrastructure assessment information, or financial projections, that would	it represents.	
constitute consultation, or a level of information that should be prudently		
provided while consulting on proposed expenditure totalling \$850,000 in		
the next 10 years and \$13.8M in the next 11-30 years.		
It is submitted that, in the absence of the necessary information, that the		
proposed work programs are unjustified and unnecessary.		
2. Detailed rates Information	1. That the proposed >16% increase to the Targeted Differential	
	Catchment Works Rate:	
The Committee is of the view that ECan has not provided adequate details	a. Is unjustified.	
to support a >16% increase in rates for all ratepayers contributing to this	b. Requires further work to be undertaken to produce the	
rating district.	necessary level of information to the community to justify	
2 Paragonal Annual Count	the proposed significant increase.	
3. Proposed Annual Spend	1. That the proposed 2021/22 work program for this rating district be	
The Committee was appalled to learn that ECon proposes to small	put on-hold until ECan has undertaken the necessary work to	
The Committee was appalled to learn that ECan proposes to spend \$20,000 more than the total annual rate take this financial year in the	prepare and justify its proposals.	
absence of consultation with the Community, the Committee and prudent	2. That the proposed 2021/22 work program does not go ahead unless a democratic process at the next Committee meeting is followed	
financial planning based on sound infrastructure management, planning	and is in favour of progressing the same.	
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The Committee submits that it is satisfied with the current level of service and does not support the proposed 2021/22 work program.

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The Committee submits that ECan will not be discharging its obligations and responsibilities to ratepayers if it continues with this work program without first justifying it to the Committee in a prudent and professional manner and assessing the Committee's feedback in accordance with its obligations.