



Submission form

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Submitter name:

This is a submission on **Proposed Plan Change 10 (Lake Rotorua Nutrient Management) to the BOP Regional Water and Land Plan.**

- 1 The details of my submission are in the attached table.
- 2 I **wish** to be heard in support of my submission.
- 3 If others make a similar submission, I will consider presenting a joint case with them at a hearing.

Daniel Brown on behalf of Lynn Brown. Date: 27.04.2016

*[NOTE: A signature is **not** required if you make your submission by electronic means.]*

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SUBMISSION POINTS:

Page no.	Reference (e.g. Policy, rule, method or objective number)	Support/oppose	Decision sought Say what changes to the plan you would like	Give reasons
	<i>Proposed Plan Change 10 – Lake Rotorua Nutrient Management</i>	Oppose	Significant increase in the stock numbers allowed on my land, particularly with regard to horses. I can support a slight reduction over time but not the extent that is being proposed.	<p>Rotorua has a proud history in agriculture and much of that comes from the medium sized farms which make up areas like Paradise Valley. The proposed restrictions on stock numbers will totally ruin my Equestrian business which I have run off this land for more than 25 years. I can appreciate the intent behind the plan change but I do not think enough thought has been given the actual social and economic effects that this plan change will have on the hard working farmers who call Paradise Valley home, many of them already struggling through difficult times.</p> <p>The number of horses I will be allowed is not realistic at all.</p> <p>I do not feel that our concerns have been heard at the public meetings and I feel like the Council is letting down a significant numbers of people who rely on them to make the right decisions.</p>
	<i>Proposed Plan Change 10 – Lake Rotorua Nutrient Management</i>	Oppose	Proper consideration for the social and economic effects of the farmers who are affected by this proposal.	<p>Whilst many of the bigger farms will have the finances and resources to challenge such changes or find loop holes to allow them to continue on, many like myself will not. The resource consent process is timely and expensive and at the end of the day will likely require a significant reduction in animals.</p> <p>Proceeding with this plan will simply destroy my livelihood and many others. It will significantly decrease the value of the land and will lead to many people being forced to give up and move out of the area.</p>