27<sup>th</sup> April 2016

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# PROPOSED PLAN CHANGE 10 – SUBMISSION WAITETI FARMS LTD / WAITETI WHENUA TRUST

We wish to be heard in support of this submission.

#### 1. Introduction – Submitter and Address for Service

Waiteti Farms Ltd / Waiteti Whenua Trust c/- Hera Naera, 32 Tarewa Road, Kuirau, Rotorua

## 2. Background

Waiteti operates dairy and drystock operations in the Lake Rotorua catchment, in association with other landowners. Currently, the operation represents an estimated 7,000 beneficiaries.

#### 3. Issue:

Serious disadvantage to the future of Waiteti, associated landowners and beneficiaries in many different ways, unnecessarily.

#### Examples:

LRP6 – Nutrient Discharge Allowances – This is too complex for the average owner to understand. We already have benchmarks and can demonstrate plans for nutrient reduction. Why did the wheel have to be reinvented?

Effective Area – The plan is proposed to regulate only effective areas however the lands are whole systems where farming is one part that is required to meet more than just an economic outcome.

### 4. Other Comments

Waiteti expresses general support for submissions by Federated Farmers and the Lake Rotorua Primary Producers Collective.

Hera Naera
On behalf of the Waiteti Farms Ltd

From: rules

To: <u>"gnaera@ihug.co.nz"</u>

Subject: Submissions by Waiteti Farms Ltd / Waiteti Whenua Trust and Whakapoungakau Aggreated Lands

**Date:** Wednesday, 4 May 2016 4:07:00 p.m.

Good afternoon Hera. Thank you for your email.

This is to confirm that the Bay of Plenty Regional Council received your submissions on Proposed Plan Change 10 on 28 April 2016. Your submissions were received after the closing time of the submission period (4.00pm, 27 April 2016) however the Water Policy Manager, under delegated authority, has decided to accept your submission pursuant to section 37A(1) of the Resource Management Act. It has been noted that you wish to be heard in support of your submission.

Under Clause 7(1) of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991, staff will prepare a summary of all submissions and publicly notify its availability. A copy of the public notice will be sent to you. Any person (including you) will then have the opportunity to make a further submission in support of, or in opposition to, any of the original submissions.

If any change is required to your contact details, please let me know.

Regards

Sue

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**Sent:** Thursday, 28 April 2016 8:22 a.m.

To: rules

Subject: PC10 Submissions

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Could you please confirm that I am able to file these submissions.

Apologies for the delay due to technical difficulties.

Hera Naera

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