Submission on proposed Southland Water and Land Plan

Email your completed submission to policy@es.govt.nz by 5.00pm Monday 1st August 2016

Alternatively, you can post your signed submission to:
Southland Water and Land Plan
Environment Southland
Private Bag 90116
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You can also deliver your submission to Environment Southland’s North Road office or fax it on 03 211 5252.

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Public hearing
Please choose one of the following options:
☐ I do not wish to be heard in support of my submission; or
☐ I do wish to be heard in support of my submission; and if so, I would be prepared to consider presenting my submission in a joint case with others making a similar submission at any hearing

Trade Competition
If you could gain an advantage in trade competition, your submission must only include matters which affect the environment.

Please tick the sentence that applies to you:
☐ I could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission; or
☐ I could gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.

If you have ticked this box please sign below to declare that you are directly impacted by an adverse environmental effect.

Signature: Date: 25-7-2016

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

Form 5: Submissions on a Publicly Notified Regional Plan under Clause 6 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991
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<th>The specific provisions my submission relates to are: (Specify provision number and title, e.g. Policy 17 – Effluent management)</th>
<th>My submission is that: (Please include whether you support, oppose or wish to amend each separate provision you have listed in column 1 and the reasons for your views.)</th>
<th>The decision I would like Environment Southland to make is: (Please give precise details of the outcomes you would like to see for each provision. The more specific you can be the easier it will be for the Council to understand the outcome you seek.)</th>
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<tr>
<td>Policy 25</td>
<td>□ Support □ Oppose □ Amend</td>
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<td>Reasons: We would be restricted on what we could cultivate because a lot of our land is steeper than 20deg.</td>
<td>25deg would be more suitable</td>
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<td>Policy 29</td>
<td>□ Support □ Oppose □ Amend</td>
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<td>Reasons: Extraction of gravel beaches from River would help a lot of erosion of banks.</td>
<td>Extraction of gravel beaches from River would take a lot of pressure off and stop a lot of erosion. River is out of control.</td>
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<td>Policy 23</td>
<td>□ Support □ Oppose □ Amend</td>
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<td>Reasons: Definition of forage crops should only be brassicas and beet and not pasture.</td>
<td>Brassicas and beet</td>
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Add further pages as required – please initial any additional pages.

I would like Environment Southland to take equal responsibility with our Waikaka River whether it be below Waikaka bridge for Willow clearance or above said bridge as the gorge is blocked with willows and in need of attention. In my case Willow Clearance on my property has cost me in excess of $39,000 dollars and had to pay myself.