



Further Submission by

Rangitāne Tū Mai Rā Trust and **Rangitāne o Wairarapa Inc**

on the

Proposed Natural Resources Plan for the Wellington Region
(Errors and Omissions Addendum)

pursuant to Clause 8 of Schedule 1, Resource Management Act 1991

- To:** Greater Wellington Regional Council
P O Box 11646
Wellington 6142
- Further Submission from:** Rangitāne Tū Mai Rā Trust and Rangitāne o Wairarapa Inc (“Rangitāne”)
- Further Submission on:** Proposed Natural Resources Plan notified on 31 July 2015 relating to the Errors and Omissions document released 11 April 2016.
- Provisions the submission relates to:** The particular parts of submissions (including the relevant provisions), Rangitāne’s support or opposition to those submissions, the reasons for this support or opposition, and the decision sought are contained in detail on the following pages.
- Status as a further submitter:** Rangitāne *represents a relevant aspect of the public interest*. Rangitāne also *has an interest in the proposal that is greater than the interest the general public has*. Rangitāne has mana whenua in Wairarapa and has a kaitiakitanga role within our rohe. Our connection to this land began when Kupe first set foot on these shores back in the 12th Century. His people settled along the eastern and southern coastlines. Later on Whatonga first arrived at Te Rangiwakaoma (Castlepoint) some 30+ generations ago. This signalled the arrival of the Kurahaupo people and the iwi of Rangitāne. Our people have lived here continuously since then. The Proposed Plan has a direct effect on the relationship Rangitāne and our culture and traditions have with the natural and physical resources in Wairarapa.
- Hearing:** Rangitāne Tū Mai Rā Trust and Rangitāne o Wairarapa Inc. **wish to be heard** in support of our further submission, and will consider presenting a joint case at any hearing with other parties presenting on similar matters.

Signed by:



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Table 1. Errors

Submitter Name	Submission point number	Plan Provision	Rangitāne Support or Oppose Primary Submission	Reason	Decision sought from the Council
Beef and Lamb NZ	S311/008	Sensitive area	Support	Support the inclusion of "marae" in the definition of sensitive area	Allow submission point
CentrePort Limited (CentrePort)	S121/136	Rule R212: Dumping of waste or other matter inside sites of significance - non-complying activity	Oppose	Dredging should be assessed as a non-complying activity within scheduled sites	Disallow submission point
Maypole Environmental Limited	S143/008	Rule R48: Stormwater from an individual property - permitted activity	Oppose	Amend as per Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point
Maypole Environmental Limited	S143/014	Policy P42: Protecting and restoring ecosystems and habitats with significant indigenous biodiversity values	Support	Enabling public access to wetlands where that is identified as being consistent with the management regime set out in a Wetland Restoration Management Plan is appropriate.	Allow submission point
Minister of Conservation	S75/078	Policy P48: Protection of outstanding natural features and landscapes	Support in part	Reference to the characteristics and qualities is supported but it should be "the characteristics and qualities that contribute to the landscapes or features being outstanding". The reference to 'values' is confusing.	Disallow submission point

The Oil Companies	S55/036	Policy P126: Site dewatering	Oppose	All adverse effects from dewatering should be avoided, remedied or mitigated, not only those effects that are significant and the use of the word minimised is not supported.	Disallow submission point
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Table 2. Omissions

Submitter Name	Submission Point	Plan Provision	Rangitāne Support or Oppose Primary Submission	Reason	Decision sought from the Council
Forest Owner Marketing Services Ltd	S435/005	Rule R142: Minor discharges – permitted activity	Oppose	Suspended solids in discharges can have a significant adverse effects on aquatic life, including resulting in deposition of detrimental sediment on beds and banks of rivers and lakes.	Disallow submission point
Forest Owner Marketing Services Ltd	S435/007	Rule R101: Earthworks and vegetation clearance – discretionary activity	Oppose	Requested changes in relation to clarification and re-wording are not clear.	Disallow submission point

Forest Owner Marketing Services Ltd	S435/009	Rule R104: Structures in natural wetlands and significant natural wetlands - permitted activity	Oppose	Rangitāne consider it unlikely that harvesting could be undertaken in accordance with the permitted activity standards as required in (f) and (g)	Disallow submission point
Forest Owner Marketing Services Ltd	S435/010	Rule R104: Structures in natural wetlands and significant natural wetlands - permitted activity	Oppose	Activity is likely to result in adverse effects on the natural wetlands and these adverse effects should be avoided, remedied or mitigated through the resource consent process.	Disallow submission point
Forest Owner Marketing Services Ltd	S435/011	5.5.2 Wetlands general conditions	Oppose	Amend the provision as suggested in Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point
Forest Owner Marketing Services Ltd	S435/012	Rule R114: River crossing structures - permitted activity	Oppose	Activity is likely to result in adverse effects on the rivers and these adverse effects should be avoided, remedied or mitigated through the resource consent process.	Disallow submission point
Forest Owner Marketing Services Ltd	S435/013	Rule R115: Culverts - permitted activity	Oppose	Amend the provision as suggested in Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point

NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/002	2.1.5 Whaitua chapters	Oppose	The Plan should address resource management issues now. Whaitua process should only be a refinement process rather than leaving issues to be resolved by whaitua.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/003	3.6 Biodiversity, aquatic ecosystem health and mahinga kai	Oppose	Amend the provision as suggested in Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/008	Rule R97: Access to the beds of surface water bodies by livestock - permitted activity	Oppose	Amend the provision as suggested in Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/009	Rule R97: Access to the beds of surface water bodies by livestock - permitted activity	Oppose	Amend the provision as suggested in Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/010	Category 2 surface water body	Oppose	Is not consistent with achieving the objectives of the Plan.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/011	Stock crossing point	Oppose	Changes reduce effectiveness of provisions.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/012	Rule R97: Access to the beds of surface water bodies by livestock - permitted activity	Oppose	Amend the provision as suggested in Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point

NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/013	Rule R82: Application of fertiliser from ground- based or aerial application - permitted activity	Oppose	Retain as notified. Request is not consistent with effectively managing adverse effects.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/017	Rule R90: Manufacture and storage of silage and compost - permitted activity	Oppose	Retain as notified. Suggested changes do not address potential discharges to water and is unlikely to be consistent with s70 RMA. The alternative of requiring a certain % dry matter content of silage is likely to be difficult to demonstrate compliance with.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/018	Rule R94: Cultivation or tilling of land - permitted activity	Oppose	Setback helps to protect surface water bodies from sediment runoff associated with cultivation/ tilling and should be retained	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/019	Rule R95: Break-feeding - permitted activity	Oppose	Discharges from heavily stocked areas can be cumulative over time, and include contaminants that are not always visible (e.g pathogens).	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/020	Earthworks	Oppose	Effects of new farm tracks can be significant and should be assessed accordingly.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/021	Rule R99: Earthworks- permitted activity	Oppose	Effects of new farm tracks can be significant and should be assessed accordingly.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/022	Rule R101: Earthworks and vegetation clearance - discretionary activity	Oppose	Retain as notified	Disallow submission point

NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/024	Vegetation clearance	Oppose	Changes reduce effectiveness of provisions.	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/025	Rule R114: River crossing structures - permitted activity	Oppose	Retain as notified	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/026	Rule R115: Culverts - permitted activity	Oppose	Amend the provision as suggested in Rangitāne's original submission	Disallow submission point
NZ Deer Farmers' Association - Wairarapa Branch	S434/027	Rule R125: Structures within a site identified in Schedule C (mana whenua) - restricted discretionary activity	Oppose	Unclear what the submitter means by "proper assessment".	Disallow submission point