

SUMMARY OF DECISIONS REQUESTED AND REQUEST FOR FURTHER SUBMISSIONS: PROPOSED PLAN CHANGES 1B (MINIMUM FLOWS) & 1C (WATER ALLOCATION AND USE) TO THE REGIONAL PLAN: WATER FOR OTAGO

Clause 7 of First Schedule, Resource Management Act 1991

The Otago Regional Council has available a summary of decisions requested by persons who have made submissions on Proposed Plan Change 1B (Minimum Flows) or Proposed Plan Change 1C (Water Allocation and Use) to the Regional Plan: Water for Otago.

Plan Change 1B describes how minimum flows are to be set and proposes minimum flows and primary allocation limits for the Waianakarua, Trotters and Luggate catchments.

Plan Change 1C proposes provisions to manage water taking and use.

The summary of decisions requested may be inspected at:

- Otago Regional Council offices at:
 - 70 Stafford Street, Dunedin
 - William Fraser Building, Dunorling Street, Alexandra
 - The Station, First Floor, Cnr Shotover and Camp Streets, Queenstown
- All public libraries and city and district council offices throughout the Otago Region
- www.orc.govt.nz

The full submissions can be inspected at Otago Regional Council offices and online at www.orc.govt.nz

Any person may make a further submission in support of, or in opposition to, the submissions received on the proposal. Your submission must state whether you support or oppose an original submission and whether or not you wish to be heard on your further submission. Further submissions must be in writing and further submission forms are available by phoning the Otago Regional Council on 0800 474 082, from the above sites, or www.orc.govt.nz.

Further submissions close at 5.00pm on Tuesday 5 May 2009.

- Post to Otago Regional Council, Private Bag 1954, Dunedin 9054
- Fax to (03) 479 0015
- Email to policy@orc.govt.nz
- Deliver to Otago Regional Council offices
- Online at www.orc.govt.nz

A copy of your further submission must be served on the original submitter within five working days of making the further submission to the Otago Regional Council.

The process for public participation, after the closing date for further submissions is:

- You may speak in support of your submission at a hearing
- The Otago Regional Council gives notice of its decision on the proposal, including its reasons for accepting or rejecting any submissions
- Every person making a submission has the right of appeal to the Environment Court.

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Signed on behalf of the Otago Regional Council 4 April 2009.

