



Form 5

Submission on Notified Proposal for Plan, Change or Variation

Clause 6 of Schedule 1, Resource Management Act 1991

To: Timaru District Council

Name of submitter:

Simon James Connolly (Raki Paua farms)
[State full name]

This is a submission on the following proposed plan or on a change proposed to the following plan or on the following proposed variation to a proposed plan or on the following proposed variation to a change to an existing plan) (the 'proposal'):

Timaru Proposed Plan
[State the name of proposed or existing plan and (where applicable) change or variation].

I ~~could~~/could not* gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.
[*Select one.]

*I am/~~am not~~ directly affected by an effect of the subject matter of the submission that—

- (a) adversely affects the environment; and
- (b) does not relate to trade competition or the effects of trade competition.

[*Delete or strike through entire paragraph if you could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.]
[†Select one.]

The specific provisions of the proposal that my submission relates to are: [Give details]

S.A.S.M.-R1 earth works wai Taoka Over lay APP farm emergency work
N.A.T.C.-R3 earth works Per 1 emergency work (repair to irrigation)

My submission is: [Include whether you support or oppose the specific provisions or wish to have them amended; and reasons for your views]

[If your submission relates to a proposed plan prepared or changed using the collaborative planning process, you must indicate the following:

- Where you consider that the proposed plan or change fails to give effect to a consensus position and therefore how it should be modified; or
- In the case that your submission addresses a point on which the collaborative group did not reach a consensus position, how that provision in the plan should be modified.]

General concern about the cost of consenting for my farming operation if I do not meet the criteria of permitted activities

Esplanade Provision mapping for waterbody for Orak Paua Creek. Explanation is required for a line on the map

I seek the following decision from the local authority: [Give precise details as this is the only part of your submission that will be summarised in the summary of decisions requested]

Exemption for digging up ground that has already been excavated (emergency work for the repair to irrigation mainline)

I want clarification on esplanade provision

I wish (or do not wish) † to be heard in support of my submission.

[*In the case of a submission made on a proposed planning instrument that is subject to a streamlined planning process, you need only indicate whether you wish to be heard if the direction specifies that a hearing will be held.]

[†Select one.]

*If others make a similar submission, I will consider presenting a joint case with them at a hearing.

[*Delete if you would not consider presenting a joint case.]

Signature of submitter (or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter)

[A signature is not required if you make your submission by electronic means]

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Note to person making submission

- 1. If you are making a submission to the Environmental Protection Authority, you should use form 16B. If you are a person who could gain an advantage in trade competition through the submission, your right to make a submission may be limited by clause 6(4) of Part 1 of Schedule 1 of the Resource Management Act 1991.
2. Please note that your submission (or part of your submission) may be struck out if the authority is satisfied that at least 1 of the following applies to the submission (or part of the submission):
- It is frivolous or vexatious:
- It discloses no reasonable or relevant case:
- It would be an abuse of the hearing process to allow the submission (or the part) to be taken further:
- It contains offensive language:
- It is supported only by material that purports to be independent expert evidence, but has been prepared by a person who is not independent or who does not have sufficient specialist knowledge or skill to give expert advice on the matter.

RAKI PAVA FARMS LTD, S. J. CONNOLLY

1) FARMING OPERATION. We grow carrots and potatoes for processing, Specialist Small Seeds (radish spinach and brassicas) Wheat and Barley. We have been growing these crops for 58 years. We have a small number of sheep we use to 'clean up' after our crops.

Our Farming operation has not changed since we began Farming in Milford 58 years ago.

We know, understand and respect the history of our area and have taken opportunities when offered to listen and walk with the local Iwi.

2. The Risk of growing our crops, with not being able to maintain our infrastructure on our farming operation, cost effectively and enhancing the Environment properly while doing so.

3 The cost gaining Consent, if we do not meet the criteria of something in the Plan, will see maintenance not being done and have a decremental effect on the Environment, neighbour and our farming Operation.