

## Online submission

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<b>Wish to be heard</b>	Yes
<b>Joint presentation</b>	No
<b>Trade competition</b>	I could not gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission.
<b>Directly affected</b>	N/A
<b>Withhold contact details?</b>	No

## Submission points

Plan section	Provision	Support/oppose	Reasons	Decision sought
Whole Plan	Whole plan	Oppose	<p>I am very pro Kaitiakitanga and identifying and preserving our environments for our future generations, but I believe you are over looking what people are already doing with land. Personally, our example we are replanting our land in native flora, we are</p> <p>The plans state these areas are significant to Māori, while I am not denying this for one second and I embrace the love shown for land, again why over look the significance this land has for all of us Māori or European? My whanau have been coming to this area for generations and we have a such a strong bond with it and want preserve it for our future generations. We spend time with family and friends in this area and care for this area, yet your plan in all its good will can tell us what we can and can not do?</p> <p>You have sent this very general information stating what you want to do, instead of putting effort in, going out to our lands and observing these areas and how they are being cared for. We are all Kaitiaki in this amazing place we call Aotearoa and home. It is sad that you feel you need to put restrictions in place for New Zealanders who have the same vision for our lands as you, but don't need these restrictions put in place telling us what we can and can not do.</p>	<p>Unfortunately you have not given us any information other than our whanau owned land is within the SNA. There is no information given on what the rules are for us instead we have to find out for ourselves?</p> <p>You have not given us any information on why our land or other land is significant to Māori. It is stated that there has been a lot of research into identifying these areas, where is the information. I would really like to know the history as maybe it would give our whanau a better understanding of the importance for Māori. Walk your talk! Give us the information, don't tell us.</p>

## Documents included with submission

None