

IN THE MATTER of an appeal under clause 14(1) of
the First Schedule of the Resource
Management Act 1991

AND IN THE MATTER OF the Marlborough Environmental
Plan

BETWEEN **Chorus New Zealand Limited
and Spark New Zealand**

Appellant

AND **Marlborough District Council**

Respondent

**NOTICE PURSUANT TO SECTION 274
OF THE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991**

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To:
The Registrar
Environment Court
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Federated Farmers of New Zealand (Inc) gives notice pursuant to s274 of the Resource Management Act 1991 that it wishes to appear as a party to the above proceedings.

This Notice is made upon the following grounds:

1. Federated Farmers of New Zealand (Inc) lodged a submission and Further submission to the Plan to which this appeal relates and/or has an interest in these proceedings that is greater than the public generally.
2. Federated Farmers of New Zealand (Inc) is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308D of the Resource Management Act 1991 (the Act).

Extent of interest

3. Federated Farmers has an interest in the following aspect of the appeal:
 - a. **Standard 2.40.3.2**
 - We support the appellant's relief sought
 - We consider the 20° slope angle in Standard 2.40.3.2 is too shallow and mechanical vegetation removal works on steeper slopes can safely occur.
4. Federated Farmers of New Zealand (Inc) agrees to attend mediation and/or dispute resolution in regard to these proceedings.

Dated the 4th of June 2020



Kim Reilly
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Federated Farmers of New Zealand Inc