

Form 33

Notice of person's wish to be party to proceedings
Section 274, Resource Management Act 1991

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The **Marlborough Environment Centre [MEC]** wishes to be a party to the following proceedings:

FEDERATED FARMERS OF NEW ZEALAND v *Marlborough District Council*
(concerning the proposed Marlborough Environment Plan) **ENV-2020-CHC-58**

MEC made a submission about the subject matter of the proceedings.

MEC is not a trade competitor for the purposes of section 308C or 308CA of the Resource Management Act 1991.

MEC is interested in part of the proceedings.

The part of the proceedings MEC is interested in is set out in the appellant's notice of appeal at section 6 and labelled points 3 (definition of intensively farmed livestock), 9 (rule 2.9.9), 10 (rule 2.10), 11 (rule 2.11.4), 12 (rule 2.11.5), 21 (rule 3.2.22), 30 (rule 3.7.3), 31 (rule 3.7.4), 38 (rule 4.3.20.1), 39 (rule 4.3.20.3), all related to the issue of livestock access to waterbodies.

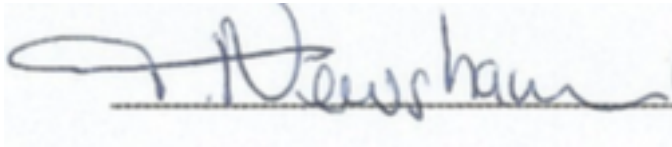
A further part of the proceedings MEC is interested in is set out in the appellant's notice of appeal at section 6 and labelled points 22 (rule 3.3.24), 23 (rule 3.3.26.20), 24 (rule 3.2.27), 25 (rule 3.3.34.8), 26 (rule 3.3.34.8), 27 (rule 3.3.35.5), 40 (rule 4.3.22), 41 (rule 4.3.24), 42 (rule 4.3.25), 43 (rule 4.3.27), 44 (rule 4.3.32.8), and 45 (rule 4.3.33.4) all related to discharge to land from agricultural activities.

MEC is interested in the following particular issues

- Fresh water quality/ Te Mana o te Wai and the effects of livestock access to rivers, wetlands and lakes.
- issues relating to the discharge of agricultural waste and contaminants to land and water.

MEC opposes the relief sought because it will fail to achieve the related objectives and policies in the proposed Marlborough Environment Plan and the sustainable management of fresh water and soil in the Marlborough region.

MEC agrees to participate in mediation or other alternative dispute resolution of the proceedings.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Tim Newsham', written over a horizontal line.

Tim Newsham, Secretary, Marlborough Environment Centre

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