

# Written Submission on Freshwater Planning Instrument Parts of Proposed Otago Regional Policy Statement 2021

*Submissions must be received by Otago Regional Council by 3 pm Tuesday 29 November 2022*

## To: Otago Regional Council

1. **Name of submitter** *(full name of person/persons or organisation making the submission. Note: The submissions will be referred to by the name of the submitter)*

Rayonier Matariki Forests

2. This is a submission on the **Freshwater Planning Instrument Parts of Proposed Otago Regional Policy Statement 2021**.
3. We **could not** *(Select one)* gain an advantage in trade competition through this submission. *(See notes to person making submission)*
4. We **are** 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 *(See notes to person making submission)*
5. We wish to be heard in support of our submission
6. If others make a similar submission, **we will** consider presenting a joint case with them at a hearing

## 7. Submitter Details

- a. **Signature of submitter** *(or person authorised to sign on behalf of submitter)*



- b. **Signatory name, position, and organisation** *(if signatory is acting on behalf of a submitter organisation or group referred to at Point 1 above)*

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*Position Consultant*

*Organisation Rayonier Matariki Forests*

c. Date

29 November 2022

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8. My submission is:

<i>Column 1</i>	<i>Column 2</i>	<i>Column 3</i>	<i>Column 4</i>
<b>Provision</b>	<b><i>We support in part and wish the provision to be amended.</i></b>	<b><i>The reasons for our views are:</i></b>	<b><i>We seek the following decision from the local authority:</i></b>
<b><i>SRMR-16 pg 78 4<sup>th</sup> Paragraph last sentence</i></b>	<b><i>amended.</i></b>	<b><i>There is only reference to agriculture intensification as a contributor to sedimentation. Farming on Pastureland contributes to the generation of sediment and this should be recognised.</i></b>	<b><i>Insert "pastureland or farming" before the words "agriculture intensification".</i></b>
<b>SRMR-16</b>	<b><i>We support in part and wish the provision to be amended.</i></b>	There is no mention of the NES-PF that has introduced controls on specified plantation forestry activities. These controls need to be recognised as council plans	In the context section insert a new reference to the NES-PF as follows: "In May 2018 a new national environmental

		may be more stringent in certain circumstances as long as there is evidence to support changes to the national regulation as set out in section 32 (4) RMA.	standard NES-PF ws introduced to manage the effects of specified forestry activities including managing the effects of the generation of sediment.”
<b>LF-FW-M6 (7)</b>	<b><i>We support in part and wish the provision to be amended.</i></b>	There is no recognition that the NESPF manages forestry activities adjacent to wetlands	Insert after the word “NESF” “and the NES-PF”
<b>LF-LS-M11 (1)</b>	<b><i>We support in part and wish the provision to be amended</i></b>	Sections (10 (a)-(c) are all related to the NESF and there is no recognition of the management provisions provided by the NES-PF	Insert a new (b) and renumber as follows: (b) the development and implementation of harvest and forest earthwork management plans as set out in the NES-PF
<b>Note:</b> Additional rows for each separate provision or submission point should be added as required.			