

# Lower Waitaki South Coastal Canterbury Water Zone Committee

## Declaration of Interests Register – as at 14 February 2020

Keeping a Zone Committee Members' declarations of interest register allows Zone Committees to identify and manage a conflict of interest when it arises.

The Office of the Auditor General notes a conflict of interest can arise when: "A member's or official's duties or responsibilities to a public entity could be affected by some other interest or duty that the member or official may have."<sup>1</sup>

If a member is in any doubt as to whether or not they have a conflict of interest, then the Member should seek guidance from Catherine Schache (General Counsel, Environment Canterbury), the Zone Facilitator and/or refer to the following guidance:

<https://www.oag.govt.nz/2010/lamia>

Types of Interest to be documented in the register:

- Employment, trade or profession carried on by the Member or the Member's spouse for profit or gain
- Company, trust, partnership etc for which the Member or their spouse is a director, partner or trustee, or a shareholder of more than 10% shares
- Address of any land in which the Member has a beneficial interest and which is in the area of the Zone Committee
- The address of any land where the landlord is Environment Canterbury or [Name of TLA/s] and:
  - The Member or their spouse is a tenant;

Or

the land is tenanted by a firm in which the Member or spouse is a partner, a company of which the Member or spouse is a director, or a Trust of which the Member or spouse is a Trustee.

- Any other matters which the public might reasonably regard as likely to influence the Member's actions during the course of their duties as a Member.
- Any contracts held between the Member or the Member's spouse and Environment Canterbury or [name of TLA/s]. Including contracts in which the Member or their spouse is a partner, a company of which the spouse is a director and/or holds more than 10% in shares, or a Trust of which the Member or their spouse is a trustee (noting that no committee member should be a party to a contract with Environment Canterbury or the relevant TLA if that value is more than \$25,000 per annum)

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<sup>1</sup> Office of the Auditor General Good Practice Guide – Managing Conflicts of Interest: Guidance for public entities

Zone Committee members need to ensure that the information contained in this register is accurate and complete.

## LOWER WAITAKI SOUTH COASTAL CANTERBURY ZONE COMMITTEE DECLARATION OF INTERESTS REGISTER

Name	Committee Member Interests
<b>Emily Anderson - Community</b>	Environmental Manager North Otago Irrigation Company
<b>Suzanne Eddington – Waihao Runanga</b>	
<b>Cr Fabia Fox – Waimate District Council</b>	Waimate District Councillor
<b>Arowhenua Runanga</b>	
<b>Cr Jim Hopkins – Waitaki District Council</b>	Waitaki District Councillor
<b>Barney Hoskins - Community</b>	
<b>Daniel Isbister - Community</b>	Farmer - McKirdy Ventures Ltd Shareholder – Fonterra Shareholder – Lower Waitaki Irrigation Company Councillor – Fish & Game Central South Island Councillor – NZ Fish and Game Council Steering Committee – North Otago Sustainable Land Management (NOSLaM)
<b>Bruce Murphy (Deputy Chair) - Community</b>	Farmer Director – Murphy Farms Ltd Chairman – Waimate Vet Trust Shareholder – Fonterra Shareholder Councillor – LIC Director – Hunter Downs Irrigation Member – Otaio Water Users Group
<b>Brent Packman - Community</b>	
<b>Jared Ross - Community</b>	Farmer Director – Home Creek Holdings Ltd Director – Kurow Duntroon Irrigation Company Federated Farmers North Otago Dairy Chairman Central South Island Beef and Lamb Farmer Council Board Member of Irrigation NZ
<b>Cr Nicole Marshall – Environment Canterbury Councillor</b>	Environment Canterbury Councillor
<b>Kate White (Chair) - Community</b>	Shareholder in the Kurow and Duntroon Irrigation Company Ltd (KDIC)
<b>Kieran Whyte – Moeraki Runanga</b>	