

Water submission:

New Zealand freshwaters should be swimmable, fishable and safe for food gathering and that the National Objectives Framework should include measurable parameters that directly relate to these values.

All water, even in towns and cities should be at a drinkable quality or better. Living in Darfield we have had water issues for some time. What is going on? We use to have the best water in the world!

As an anglers we want the **local** rivers and lakes (Waimakariri River, Lake Coleridge, Lake Pearson High Country Lakes and rivers) where we go fishing to be habitable to trout and salmon and safe for fishing and eating the fish taken as well as all coastal areas around New Zealand .

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