## **Proposed Plan Change 1 - Waikato and Waipa River Catchments**

## CHAIR'S DIRECTION FOR 21 – 22 NOVEMBER 2018 FORUM

Submitters who intend to produce expert evidence based on alternative scientific and economic modelling options to that presented by the Council, or an expert critique of the Council's models, assumptions or methods are directed as follows:

- 1. To present an outline of such at the Information Forum (as indicated in the Agenda prepared and circulated) sufficient for participants to appreciate the differences, assumptions and probable outcomes sought; and
- 2. To participate in the expert caucusing, including with disclosure of the key elements of any alternative models for the purpose of expert review (to the extent that those alternative models are sufficiently developed for that purpose).

The Hearing Panel expects submitters to participate in the spirit of this Direction and does not expect to receive evidence based on alternative modelling or expert critique of the Council's models, assumptions or methods that has not been available for the council and other submitters and their experts to review and comment on through the Information Forum process.

Greg Hill - Chairperson

6 November 2018