



# A SCIENTIFIC FRAMEWORK FOR SETTING FLOW AND ALLOCATION LIMITS - TAKAKA

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# **TE WAIKOROPUPU**

#### Te Waikoropupu Zone Consents & Flow Statistics





----- Flow at HY Fish Creek at Pupu Springs versus Flow at GW 8013 - Pupu Main Spring from 19-Aug-1999 14:00:00 to 30-Jun-2015 15:20:00

## **TE WAIKOROPUPU**

- Te Waikoropupu class
- Moderate-High ecological values
- Very high cultural values
- Fed by Marble Aquifer
- 64 l/s of current consumptive takes
- Minimum flow = 90-100% of 7 Day MALF
- Allocation limit = 10-20% of 7 Day MALF
- Minimum flow = cease take
- Takes from surface catchment based on Bell Creek flows



### **TE WAIKOROPUPU - OPTIONS**

Whole Springs area including recharge zone

- Minimum flow = 6895 l/s (90% of 7Day MALF at Main Spring)
- Allocation limit = 766 l/s (10% of 7Day MALF at Main Spring)
- Rationing step (50%) = 7661 l/s
- Cease take at 6895 l/s
- Expect cease take for XX days per year
- Total allocation is 64 l/s in surface catchment, but 500 l/s in AMA
- AMA allocation currently 500 l/s
- Future AMA allocation needs to consider new limits for all parts of AMA

Surface area focussed on Bell Creek

- Minimum flow 90% MALF
- Allocation limit 10% Bell Creek