

Introduction

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Vision

Do you agree or disagree with the overall vision for the minerals and petroleum sector in New Zealand?

Strongly disagree

Why?

We should have no petroleum, and only minerals if they've already been dug up. We can't keep extracting resources forever - we need to reuse reuse reuse what we've already got, and leave the rest alone. And fossil fuels? Please, please leave them in the ground.

What is your vision for the minerals and petroleum sector in New Zealand?

That petroleum stops, and minerals are recycled over and over, never needing to be extracted again.

How can New Zealand sustainably derive value from its petroleum and minerals resources?

It needs to stop taking them from the ground, period, and reuse minerals over and over.

Objectives for the minerals and petroleum sector

Objective for a sector that: "Responsibly delivers value for New Zealand (a) Supporting a productive, sustainable and inclusive economy (b) Supporting New Zealand's transition to a carbon neutral economy".

Agree

Why?

We absolutely need to be transitioning to a carbon neutral economy. The science is done. Let's just get on with it.

Objective for a sector that: "Is productive and innovative".

Neither agree nor disagree

Why?

Sure, innovation is what humans do. But if you think production should come at the cost of consulting with iwi and hapu, and the environment, you're absolutely wrong.

Objective for a sector that: "Is effectively regulated".

Strongly agree

Why?

We need strong regulations to adhere to, because without them, industries will place all the money-saving shortcuts on the environment and people.

Are there any other objectives for the minerals and petroleum sector that you would like us to consider in the strategy?

Consult the people who were on this land first. Think about the environment more than your wallet.

Guiding principles

Principle: The environment, ecosystems, and biodiversity are respected now and in the long term.

Strongly agree

Why?

Without these, we have nothing.

Principle: Māori cultural interests are understood and respected.

Strongly agree

Why?

Principle: Support the transition to a carbon neutral economy by 2050.

Strongly agree

Why?

I would only say DO IT SOONER.

Principle: The impact on people, communities and regions are managed in a just and inclusive way.

Strongly agree

Why?

Principle: Support a circular economy by meeting resource needs through resource efficiency, recycling and reuse.

Strongly agree

Why?

It should be the only economy. It's the only way that people can keep on living here for millennia to come. They need to have access to resources that weren't destroyed by people previously.

Principle: Actions taken within the mineral and petroleum sector should align with the strategic direction of other related sectors and Government strategies.

Neither agree nor disagree

Why?

What is that direction?

Do you agree or disagree with each of the following principles for the Crown?

Principle: The Crown honours its duty towards Māori as a Treaty partner, adheres to the Principles of the Treaty of Waitangi and its duty to meet settlement commitments.

Strongly agree

Why?

Principle: The Crown receives a fair financial return for its minerals and petroleum.

Agree

Why?

Principle: The Crown regulates in a way that is fair, transparent, reasonable and proportionate.

Strongly agree

Why?

Principle: The Crown honours the rights of current permit holders to continue production or exploration activities under existing permits.

Strongly disagree

Why?

If those production or exploration activities are going to put us on a fast track to a climate breakdown, I don't care what permit they have, it needs to stop immediately.

Principle: The Crown makes policy decisions based on the best evidence, and accounting for the foreseeable need for minerals and petroleum, both now and for future generations.

Strongly agree

Why?

Principle: The Crown proactively engages and consults with relevant stakeholders and decisions are communicated in a clear and transparent way.

Agree

Why?

Do you agree or disagree with each of the following principles for Industry?

Principle: Pursue continuous improvements in health and safety.

Agree

Why?

Principle: Strive to implement industry best practice in operations.

Agree

Why?

Principle: Seek innovative ways to improve the resource efficiency of extraction operations; and minimise the negative impacts of these operations.

Agree

Why?

Principle: Engage with stakeholders and implement management systems to understand and manage impacts, and realise opportunities for redress where needed.

Agree

Why?

Are there any other principles you would like us to consider in the strategy?

Action areas intro

Action Area: Modernising the Crown Minerals Act

Strongly agree

Why?

What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area?

Action Area: Securing affordable resources to meet our minerals and energy needs

Disagree

Why?

Money should not be above the environmental impact.

What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area?

Action Area: Improving Treaty partnership

Strongly agree

Why?

What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area?

Action Area: Improving stakeholder and community engagement

Strongly agree

Why?

What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area?

Action Area: Improving industry compliance

Agree

Why?

What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area?

Action Area: Research and investment in better mining and resource use

Agree

Why?

What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area?

Are there any other action areas you would like us to consider as part of advancing this Strategy?

Other

Are there any other comments you would like to make about the “Minerals and Petroleum Strategy for Aotearoa New Zealand: 2019-2029”?

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