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Please specify the group that you most identify with Please indicate which type of group your submission represents Please specify the group or organisation that your submission is on behalf of. Vision Do you agree or disagree with the overall vision for the minerals and petroleum sector in New Zealand?

Strongly disagree

Why?

New Zealand should not be a world leading exporter of minerals and petroleum we have to face up to our obligations to other sustainable economy that matches the needs of carbon reduction and claimant mitigation in line with the Paris climate Agreement. Extracting more minerals such as Coal and Oil is reckless with regard to climate change and lacks integrity.

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

We Should stop mining coal And Exploring for Gas And Oil. And put in place the social economic scheme for transferring jobs from the mining industry job the constructive employment there is certainly enough conservation work and flood prevention to be done on the West Coast.

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

We should remember that we live on a planet Earth and has limited resources and ability to cope with the continued increase in pollution which results from our current activities. And look at our extraction industries to see which ones are compatible with a truly sustainable environment

### 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".

Strongly agree

Why?

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

Neither agree nor disagree

### Why?

We need a sector that is strongly environmental and compatible with the longest term sustainable environment and the innovation should be in that direction the environment must trump profitability.

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

Strongly disagree

### Why?

Mining and forestry certainly has not been effectively regulated for safety of workers and unions particularly in have not been able to participate in regulating safety for their own workers.

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

A strong move toward environmental sustainability would be useful.

### **Guiding principles**

Agree

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

Strongly agree

### Why?

I want a future for my grandchildren not just my generation!

### Principle: Māori cultural interests are understood and respected.

### Why?

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

Strongly agree

### Why?

Not to support a an early transition a carbon neutral economy is a betrayal of future generations and totally unethical.

### 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?

our integrity and care for future generations and the animals and plants now living on the earth demands an environmentally sustainable economy based not on growth only good community life without continued material growth.

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

Strongly agree

### Why?

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.

Agree

### Why?

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

Strongly agree

### Why?

New Zealand resources should benefit New Zealand not overseas exploiters.

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

Strongly agree

### Why?

Why?

New Zealand resources should benefit New Zealand not overseas exploiters.

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

Strongly disagree

We should make sure that current permit holders to safeguard the safety and rights of workers and work in a strongly environmentally sustainable way!

# 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 disagree

### Why?

We should plan on using less petroleum not searching for more. we never seem to know when enough is enough.

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

Strongly agree

Why?

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

### Principle: Pursue continuous improvements in health and safety.

Strongly agree

### Why?

Is clear that in mining and forestry in particular we haven't looked after the safety workers adequately.

#### Principle: Strive to implement industry best practice in operations.

Strongly agree

### Why?

If that includes workers health and safetyan environmental sustainability!

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

Strongly agree

### Why?

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

Strongly agree

### Why?

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

How we approach mineral exploration should match seeking a good life based on well-being not material growth.

### Action areas intro Action Area: Modernising the Crown Minerals Act

Strongly agree

We need to improve environmental sustainability and worker's health and safety

### 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

Neither agree nor disagree

### Why?

Why?

Agree only if we include environmental sustainability as the most important factor.

### What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area? Action Area: Improving Treaty partnership

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?

The community Needs a pivotal say in the development of local resources.

### What future actions would you like us to consider under this Action Area? Action Area: Improving industry compliance

Strongly agree

### Why?

The industry has been irresponsible necessary to a workers safety.

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

There should be a worker safety commission in these industries that includes strong union representation.

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

Neither agree nor disagree

Why?

if it emphasises environmental sustainability

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

Substitutes for petroleum and

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 Aptearoa New Zealand: 2019-2029"?

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