

# Industry Good Practice – Are we talking the same language?







# Advantages of Industry GMP Systems



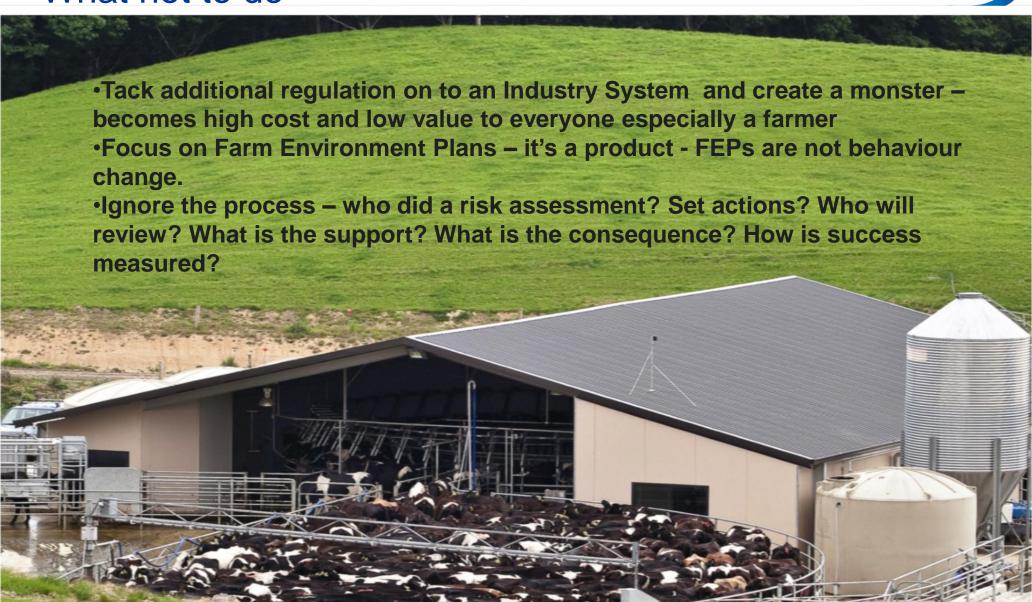


# Challenges to Address





### What not to do



# Fonterra Dairy for life

#### What to do

- Build on existing systems or risk replicating and undermining them
- Give a carrot industry will respond
- Acknowledge the success and have trust and confidence in farmers
- Don't design for the worst performer but acknowledge the tail and leave for regulators
- •Look at history what has produced the most success? Regulation or industry initiatives?



# What Policy Instrument – Policy D Plus

- Will incorporate a Industry Audited Self Management Scheme.
- It is anticipated this scheme will contain:
  - minimum standards,
  - at least annual inspection,
  - one-one support, audit and verification
  - be approved by WRC and audited regularly

Policy D	Policy D Plus
All farms require a resource consent	All farms not participating in a WRC approved IASM scheme require a resource consent
All farms must do a farm plan	All farms will meet scheme minimum standards or do a farm plan to outline how and when they will meet standards OR they obtain a consent
Farm Plans will be measured by WRC – how many? what actions?	Farmers submit their IASM reports and farm plans to WRC when requested
Farm Plans will be monitored and enforced by WRC	WRC will audit an IASM scheme and/or a sample of participating farmers. WRC monitor and enforce consented activities

Realistic to monitor, implement and enforce

Optimise economic,

social and economic

Allows for flexibility and intergenerational land

outcomes

use

	Fonterra
	Dairy for life

Yes - risk based approach at all levels

Yes - already being implemented

where change is needed

Yes - risk based approach

continuous improvement

Yes - very

**Potentially** 

Yes

Yes

entrants

challenges

Yes - farmers report to Council to maintain a favourable activity status

Yes - builds on existing industry investment, resource is sent to

Yes - ISAM can change quickly and easily and is designed on

Yes - one on one support to an individual farm and its unique

Yes - potential for industry to drive efficiency and headroom for new

Policy	Se	lection	Criteria

Prioritise efforts to achieve catchment solutions

Provide confidence and clarity for current and future investment

Allow for change and review as new information and issues arise

Provide flexibility of future land use (including the return of Treaty

Take account of complexity and difference between farming

Able to be measure monitored and reported

Implementable and technically feasible

Provide realistic timeframes for change

Encourage positive actions being taken

settlements and multiple Maori owned land)

systems and farm enterprises

Administratively efficient

Foster innovation

Aim for cost effective solutions

Policy Selection Criteria		Policy D Plus
Supported by clear evidence	Take an evidence based and knowledge based approach ( including Matauranga Maori)	Partly – will allow a risk based approach that can adapt to a individual farm or catchment. Is more flexible as doesn't require a Plan change to include additional issues



# **Industry Good Practice**

- do you think these systems should be in the Plan at all, and if so,
- · Yes we need to build on the success and investment
- should they be in there as purely voluntary systems
  - For Dairy they are not voluntary but they are risk based
- or voluntary with incentives
- -The Plan can give a regulatory incentive Permitted Activity
- or should there be some form of requirement for everyone to have a plan
- Not a generic FEP but a risk based, farm specific plan working to continuous improvement
- what sort of auditing or monitoring or performance standards you would envisage
- Extensive within the programme WRC could audit the industry and or a farmer selection
- what would be the role of WRC and the role of industry bodies.
- Industry drives change with clear accountability, WRC remains the regulator
- There may be current examples in this or other regions you could cite as to how this has been incorporated in Plans.
- Tukituki, Horizons, Waikato



# Questions?

