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Proposal: WDC combines with other councils to deliver water services as a Council Controlled Organisation

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Feedback and comments

This proposal is a total disgrace! The country voted NOT to have Three Waters! And yet here we are with Local authorities pushing the SAME agenda under a different name. STOP IT! The only thing that will happen as a result of Councils preferred option, is private ownership of an essential service, run for profit of the shareholders and once again ratepayers shut out from an essential service, that will have value ONLY to rich listers and greedy wealthy people who have NO regard for the ratepayer ONLY profit! The formation of a CCO will enable that to happen and MUST NOT become the preference Much of the surrounding noise about this bureaucratic nonsense of a proposal is rubbish! Absolute nonsense wrapped up in propaganda and lies! Why is there so much fear about future costs? Because faceless bureaucrats in Wellington intend to introduce water purity legislation that will be impossible to meet with the current infrastructure! The whole premise of this move is deceitful to say the least. TELL THE PEOPLE THE REAL TRUTH as to why we need to even discuss this MASSIVE expenditure that ratepayers CANNOT AFFORD Every Local authority in the country has been updating its water supply as it can over the last 50 years the system has improved markedly, LA around the country have this in hand, Developers are invested in the future and are upgrading as we go. This is not just a Waitomo issue, every council in the country is being fed this line of garbage to enlarge the size of bureaucracy, to increase salaries of the public service and open the door to PRIVATISATION! They took the co-governance portion of three waters out of it and hope no one is looking! Whilst they take the biggest asset and most essential service of the ratepayers away from them and hand it over to a commercial operation, weather private or CCO. I expect The Waitomo District Council and its staff to reject this nationwide scam and protect their ratepayers from the crippling costs. And not to be stupid enough to think that handing it over to the private sector will in any way save ratepayers from

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exposure or cost! That wont Happen, just look at the London example! Chudleigh Haggett

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