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From: Paul Hulse <Paul.Hulse@es.govt.nz>
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Subject: RE: Mataura Over-allocation

Dear Consent Holder

It was great to see the formation of an interim steering group at the meeting organised by Wilkins Farming earlier this month. This is a great step towards working together to find a fair and equitable solution to the Mataura over-allocation issue.

We look forward to working with the group in the New Year.

The interim steering group held its first meeting this week and we have committed to working with the consultants to complete the technical work required so further progress can be made on potential solutions.

We encourage you to get in touch directly with project manager Bianca Sullivan if you have questions or information regarding the data that was sent out to you earlier in relation to your consent, bore location(s) and your water use. Having this information as accurate as possible will be essential when working on possible solutions.

We also encourage you to be aware of your water use data as we get into the summer. While collating the data for the earlier emails, we did become aware of some situations where people had exceeded their allocated volumes. Adhering to consent conditions will help ensure a level playing field.

We will do our best to keep everybody informed as the process progresses and if you have questions at any stage, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

As we come to the end of 2021, we again thank you for your support and willingness to work together. I wish you a safe and happy festive season.

Kind regards

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