

# Kenepuru & Central Sounds



Kenepuru & Central Sounds Residents Association Inc.

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Dear Dr Smith

## **Proposed Commercial Fishing Ban – Marlborough Sounds**

We last wrote to you on the above matter in October 2014.

As you may recall the purpose of writing to you at that time was to fully endorse and support the Prime Minister's announcement reported on 7 September 2014 as to the proposed creation of two new recreational fishing parks – one in the Marlborough Sounds. We were well aware of the instrumental role you had played in getting your colleagues to this point.

There was also a suggestion that a discussion paper would be prepared some time in 2014. To date we have not seen any sign of that or indeed any further indication that this excellent suggestion was being progressed.

At our recent AGM a number of our Members referred to this announcement, noted that they had seen this as a significant inducement in the run up to the election and wanted to know of progress.

Accordingly, we would be grateful if you could inform us as to progress on this matter. If it would be useful to meet with you in Nelson at some point please let us know.

Yours sincerely

Ross Withell

President  
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