

**WHAT
POLICIES
ARE
YOU
REALLY
SUPPORTING?**

A NEW AND RESPONSIBLE GOVERNMENT WILL...

- Make **sustainability** foremost in environmental policy.
- **Link economic and environmental success together** – a great environment can only be enhanced with a strong economy.
- Eliminate **bureaucratic wastage** and the squandering of precious resources within DOC.
- **Save the Kiwi** through effective predator control.
- Establish new **marine reserves**.
- Abandon plans to **land grab** South Island farms.

A true green Government will have a balanced commitment to the environment without the inclusion of the economic, social, health and security policies of the **GREENS** that would **ruin New Zealand**.

**USE YOUR PARTY VOTE TO
CHANGE THE GOVERNMENT**



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BEWARE!



The GREEN Delusion

There is nothing wrong with protecting the environment, BUT there is a *whole lot* wrong with the GREENS socialist policies.

The GREENS Policies

TAXES AND THE ECONOMY

- Introduce **capital gains tax** on family homes.
- Increase petrol and diesel taxes – diesel prices would go up 30%!
- Introduce carbon tax, putting power prices up by a further 10%.
- Support Kyoto protocol – the one billion dollar bungle.
- Add 4 new Government ministries, 6 agencies and 5 commissions – more **bureaucrats** including a resident artist.

SECURITY / LAW AND ORDER

- Cut defence spending by 50% and disarm our forces.
- Ban the building of new prisons and teach criminals "art".

ROADS

- Spend roading money on uneconomic and novel public transport schemes.
- Block construction of vital new roads with tortuous RMA regulations.

FARMS

- Push high country farmers off their lease-hold land.
- Permit the right-to-roam over private property.

SOCIETY

- Decriminalise illegal drugs like cannabis (marijuana).
- Offer financial assistance to cannabis growers for alternative employment.
- Create "rainbow" communities. Legalise adoption for same-sex couples.

Sources: www.greens.org.nz 1 May 2005; NZ IEP, 10 Twitay (April 2005)

The GREENS Credentials

SELF INTEREST

- Jeanette Fitzsimons is pushing for a coalition with the **LABOUR PARTY**. Yet **LABOUR** has culpably neglected our environment.

Consider these facts:

- Kiwi numbers in serious decline due to ineffective predator control.
- 77% of native species in decline.
- 1080 operations have wiped out birdsong in many areas.
- Millions of hectares of DOC controlled land going to ruin.
- No possum and stoat control on 85% of South Island estate.



Despite this, the **GREENS** are posing hand in hand with **LABOUR**! This confirms the long held suspicion that the **GREENS** are only *superficially* GREEN.

FAILED IDEOLOGY

- The **GREENS** have an agenda reminiscent of failed **communist** and **socialist** ideologies. For instance, when Parliament legislated to protect private property rights, the **GREENS** voted **against** it!
- Tasmania's experiment with a **LABOUR/GREEN** Government was a disaster. They now declare – "never again".

DON'T FORGET ... a failed economy can't afford to spend anything on protecting the environment.

**The GREENS dreams are economically unsustainable & socially destructive.
The policies of the GREENS are downright dangerous.**