

#### NEW ZEALAND PORK INDUSTRY BOARD

# FARMERS TOOLKIT UPDATE Jeska McHugh



# Development of a farmers' toolkit

#### Farmer survey.

Stock take of existing NZ Pork resources.

Gaps in resources identified.

Best method(s) of delivery identified.

Existing resources updated.

New resources created.



### Survey Responses



- ✓ Good support for the existing NZ Pork resources.
- ✓ Happy to access generic resources from other providers like MBIE, Federated Farmers, Beef + Lamb, Dairy NZ etc.
- ✓ Would like targeted resources specific to pork production not provided by other agencies.
- ✓ Happy with the communications received from NZ Pork but would like to hear from the Chairman and General Manager more frequently.

## **Top Priorities**



1<sup>st</sup> = Immigration/Migration/Human Resources

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2<sup>nd</sup> Environmental

3<sup>rd</sup> Training

### **Next Steps**

- Survey results have been provided to the Board.
- Existing NZ Pork resources will be reviewed and available early 2018.
- ✓ A list of new resources needed in each of the priority areas to be developed and reported to the Board.
- ✓ Consideration by the NZ Pork team of all comments received by producers and how we will address these in our workplan.
- ✓ Ongoing communication on our progress is via Pork Outlook and producer meetings.
- ✓ Effluent Management Plan template available now.

