

## WHAT FUNDING IS AVAILABLE?

1. The **Operational Assistance Fund** covers patrolling, event safety and security, community support, district coordination and vehicle running costs.
2. The **Capacity and Capability Fund** covers training such as traffic control and Site Traffic Management Supervision, organisational development including establishing a legal entity or developing plans and policies, Professional Services including accounting and governance mentoring.
3. The **National Event Fund** covers Waitangi, Rātana, Te Matatini and Koroneihana.
4. The **Youth at Risk Fund** has contestable funding for \$5,000 and up to \$29,500 projects.

## WHAT HAPPENS IF YOUR APPLICATION IS SUCCESSFUL?

1. You will receive a funding agreement with terms and conditions. This along with an invoice must be signed and returned to your Regional Coordinator before funding can be received.
2. Throughout the term of the funding agreement, your Regional Coordinator will regularly monitor your activities and will request information in order to complete a monitoring report.

If you have any further queries, please contact your Regional Co-ordinator, free phone on **0800 991 882** or email **maoriwardens@tpk.govt.nz**



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# FUNDING PROGRAMME



## GENERAL INFORMATION

The Māori Wardens Funding Programme is part of a Government initiative to build the capacity and capability of Māori Wardens. The purpose of the Programme is to assist Māori Wardens to deliver community based services, improve organisational capacity and capability and support national events.

With a limited funding pool of \$1,089,000 and a substantial number of Māori Warden groups requiring assistance, the Programme is viewed as providing a contribution towards the costs to deliver services and activities. This means that groups will need to seek other sources of funding to meet their total costs, and develop relationships or partnerships that benefit the group.

## WHAT CAN THE FUNDING BE USED FOR?

Funding is provided to assist with the direct and indirect costs relating to the delivery of the services and activities listed in the Funding Programme. While it is up to Māori Wardens groups to determine what the funds are actually used for, funds are *not* to be used for the following costs:

- » Capital items (including land and buildings) over the value of \$2,000.
- » Wages or salaries to undertake Warden work duties
- » Koha, gifts or loans
- » Alcohol
- » Payment of fines
- » International travel



## WHAT ARE THE FUNDING CRITERIA?

*Māori Warden groups must:*

- » Be a legal entity or able to utilise an 'umbrella' group who is a legal entity
- » Be supported by the community
- » Have sound financial accounts
- » Have an effective governance structure
- » Have a minimum of five warranted Māori Wardens
- » Have met all previous Te Puni Kōkiri funding agreement requirements

## WHAT HAPPENS AFTER YOU APPLY?

1. Once received, the Regional Coordinator will acknowledge your application.
2. The application will then be assessed by the Regional Coordinator and a National Office assessment team, who will decide to either approve, defer or decline the application.
3. All late and incomplete applications will be declined automatically. It is expected that complete eligible applications will be processed over a 6 week period.

