

Whenua Māori Fund

Project Overview

The Whenua Māori Fund provides funding for the development and care of Māori-owned land — these are stories of the successful applicants.

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Rewarewa D Incorporation





Location of the Land Blocks:

This 70 ha Māori freehold land block is located within the Whangārei urban district.

Long-Term Aspirations: The whenua is revered by its owners and is the last bastion of Māori freehold whenua within the Whangārei urban district. Since the felling of the forestry in on this land block 2012, it has been clear a new direction was needed. With the support for Te Rūnanga a lwi o Ngāpuhi Hapū Development kaimahi, the management committee and shareholders held a workshop to set out Rewarewa D's strategic plan.

This project will lay the foundation for the future by supporting Rewarewa D to identify potential land use based on their values and aspirations and the capacity of the land.

Project Description: This project seeks to develop a staged overall masterplan/vision for the future of Rewarewa D – 'the whenua concept plan'.

This document will be a taonga for shareholders and will guide the development activities of the management committee over the coming years.

Outcomes:

- Better base information to inform robust decision-making
- A clear set of values, goals and objective against which to weigh decisions, monitor projects and evaluate success
- Less time wasted in making decisions
- Clearer mandate for management committee from the shareholders, enabling better governance
- An overall, agreed upon plan to guide the implementation of specific projects, both short-term and long-term

Partners: Rewarewa D Incorporation and Te Puni Kōkiri

Te Puni Kōkiri investment: \$60,000 (+ GST)

