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Tēnā koe [redacted]

### Official Information Act request

Thank you for your information request dated 16 May 2024. You asked for the following information:

*"I'm doing a research project and would like to obtain (ideally in excel), a list of funding given to organisations based in Taranaki from the Ministry in the last 5 years. I would like the table to include:*

- *The organisation's name*
- *Any categorisation of the organisation that the Ministry holds*
- *The purpose of the funding*
- *The year funding was given*
- *The funding amount*
- *The name of the Ministry fund it was given from."*

Your request has been considered in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

Te Puni Kōkiri publishes annually a list of investment recipients on our website. The recipients are listed by strategic priority, and then by fund and region. Currently, we have published lists of investment recipients for 2020/21, 2021/22 and 2022/23. This information is available on our website at: [www.tpk.govt.nz/en/mo-te-puni-kokiri/corporate-documents/corporate-publications/investment-recipients](http://www.tpk.govt.nz/en/mo-te-puni-kokiri/corporate-documents/corporate-publications/investment-recipients)

As the information you have requested for 2020/21, 2021/22 and 2022/23 is publicly available, in accordance with the Act we are refusing this part of your request under section 18(d).

In regards to the remainder of your request for funding granted in 2019/20 and the period 1 July 2023 – 16 May 2024, please refer to the attached excel spreadsheet for a list of investment recipients based in Taranaki. Details include the name of the fund, the purpose, and amount of funding granted. Names of individual whānau who have been granted funding are withheld under section 9(2)(a), to protect the privacy of natural persons, including deceased natural persons.

In making the decision to withhold information, I have considered the public interest considerations in section 9(1) of the Act.

I trust my response satisfies your request.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that Te Puni Kōkiri publishes some of its OIA responses on its website, after the response is sent to the requester. The responses published are those that are considered to have a high level of public interest. We will not publish your name, address or contact details.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact us at [oa@tpk.govt.nz](mailto:oa@tpk.govt.nz).

Ngā mihi

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Grace Smit', written in a cursive style.

Grace Smit  
Hautū, Te Puni Rangapū ā-Rohe me Whakahaere | Deputy Secretary, Regional Partnerships & Operations

MAORI DEVELOPMENT FUND INVESTMENTS

FUND	ORGANISATION NAME	PURPOSE	Contract Start Date	Contract End Date	AMOUNT
TE PŪ HARAKEKE	Te Roopu Pukaaka Kapahaka Society Incorporated	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	8/06/2023	30/11/2023	\$3,000.00
TE PŪ HARAKEKE	Ngāti Mutunga Community Development Charitable Trust	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	28/09/2023	30/06/2024	\$5,000.00
TE PŪ HARAKEKE	Paepae in the Park Incorporated	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	27/10/2023	30/06/2024	\$5,000.00
TE PŪ HARAKEKE	WOMAD New Zealand Charitable Trust Board	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	19/01/2024	31/05/2024	\$3,000.00
TE PŪ HARAKEKE	He Rau Oranga Trust	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	5/02/2024	30/06/2024	\$5,000.00
MAORI DEVELOPMENT FUND	Parihaka Papakāinga Trust	To build the governance and management capability of Māori organisations so they are in a better position to improve outcomes for their communities.	31/03/2024	30/04/2026	\$96,000.00
MAORI BUSINESS GROWTH	Baiona Limited	To support a Māori business to achieve their business growth aspirations.	10/06/2019	10/08/2019	\$2,400.00
TE PŪ HARAKEKE	Te Roopu Pukaka	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	9/09/2019	20/01/2020	\$3,000.00
TE PU HARAKEKE	Aotearoa Bowls Board Incorporated	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	16/12/2019	19/03/2020	\$2,119.00
TE PU HARAKEKE	Oakura Marae Trust	To support community events and activities that contribute to Māori development and promote Te Ao Māori.	9/01/2020	9/06/2020	\$2,000.00
MAORI BUSINESS GROWTH	Easy Hangi	To support a Māori business to achieve their business growth aspirations.	28/05/2020	22/06/2020	\$10,000.00
ORANGA MARAE	Te Ihupuku Marae	To support the development of a Marae Development Plan.	24/01/2020	17/09/2020	\$6,900.00
WHENUA MAORI FUND	Temanea & Takutaimoana Kauika-Stevens Whānau Trust	To invest in interventions, tools and research to support initiatives which assist Māori freehold landowners to improve the productivity of their land.	16/05/2019	30/11/2019	\$57,500.00
RANGATAHI MANAWAROA	Te Kawa o Rongo	To deliver a community led project to rangatahi Māori that improves their wellbeing and resilience according to their own aspirations.	10/10/2023	21/06/2024	\$30,000.00
MAORI HOUSING	Ka Uruora Housing Trust (Ka Uruora Trustee Limited)	To increase the supply of affordable housing through a contribution to a feasibility study and/or planning.	28/05/2018	31/01/2019	\$95,000.00
MAORI HOUSING	Te Atiawa Kaumatua Housing Trust	To improve the quality of housing by undertaking essential repairs to four homes.	15/10/2018	31/10/2019	\$722,190.08
MAORI HOUSING	Te Rūnanga o Ngāti Maru (Taranaki) Trust	To improve the quality of housing by undertaking essential repairs to one home.	4/04/2019	30/06/2019	\$40,000.00
MAORI HOUSING	Ngatitara 1 Limited	To increase the supply of affordable housing through a contribution to a feasibility study and/or planning.	19/09/2023	14/06/2024	\$42,000.00

MAORI HOUSING	Individual Whānau	To improve the quality of housing by undertaking essential repairs to one home.	24/07/2023	31/01/2024	\$58,000.00
MAORI HOUSING	Waikerepuru Whanau Trust	To increase the supply of affordable housing through a contribution to a feasibility study and/or planning.	9/05/2024	10/04/2025	\$1,484,222.00
MAORI HOUSING	Te Kaahui o Rauru Custodian Trustees Limited	To improve the quality of housing by undertaking assessments to 10 homes and essential repairs to 10 homes.	18/09/2023	30/05/2025	\$610,000.00

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## Rangatiratanga Grant

Client	Project Summary	Contract Start Date	Total Paid
Tu Tama Wahine o Taranaki Incorporated	To support the participation, enhancement, and development of pūkenga and mātauranga.	7/08/2019	\$1,500.00
Ngāmotu Māori Methodist Church	To support the participation, enhancement, and development of pūkenga and mātauranga.	17/10/2019	\$1,500.00
Waitara Night Markets	To support the participation, enhancement, and development of pūkenga and mātauranga.	3/02/2020	\$2,000.00
4Phase Limited (MW Consultancy)	To support the participation, enhancement, and development of pūkenga and mātauranga.	18/02/2020	\$500.00

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