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Official Information Act request

Thank you for your information request dated 3 December 2018. You asked for the following information:

"A copy of Te Puni Kōkiri's independent observer report for the Te Hikutu cluster hui held from 30 November to 2 December 2018"

Your request was originally made to the Ministry of Justice on 3 December 2018. On 13 December 2018 the Ministry of Justice transferred your request to Te Puni Kōkiri for response as Te Puni Kōkiri is responsible for providing independent observers to observe and report on Treaty Settlement mandate hui. Your request has been considered in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

One document has been identified in scope of your request. The document and my decisions with regard to the release of the information are set out in the table attached as Appendix A. 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 or free phone 0800 802 602.

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If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact Madeline Smith, Senior Ministerials Advisor, Ministerials and Business Support via smitm@tpk.govt.nz.

Ngā mihi


Jaclyn Williams

Acting Deputy Chief Executive | Policy Partnerships



Appendix A – Document for OIA request from Clinton Dearlove

Item	Date	Document description	Decision
1.	Sunday 2 December 2018	Ngāpuhi Evolved mandate hapu endorsement hui – hui observer report	Released in full

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Ngāpuhi evolved mandate hapū endorsement hui - hui observer report

Hapū	Te Hikutu, Te Whānau Whero, Ngāti Kairewa, Ngāti Kerewhiti, Ngāti Tuapango and Ngāti Parenga		
Location	Moria Marae, Whirinaki		
Date	Sunday, 2 December 2018		
Start time	6:00pm on Friday 30 November	Finish time	1.00pm on Sunday 2 December
TPK Observer(s)	Name: Tui Marsh (Te Puni Kōkiri, Te Tai Tokerau)		
Facilitator(s)	Lynette Wharerau		
Kaumātua of Te Whakaminenga O Te Hikutu Hapū-Whānau	Arthur Wynyard, Anania Wikaira, Kahu Morunga		
Voting scrutineers	Name: Jodi Gereqeretabua (Te Puni Kōkiri Te Tai Tokerau)		
Attendance	<p>Total of 35 people*, including ~2 Te Puni Kōkiri staff (1 observer and 1 scrutineer) on Sunday 2 December</p> <p>*as people were coming in and out of the hui the number recorded is approximate</p> <p>Attendance sheets listed the participation of 31 people (including 2 via Zoom) on Friday 30 November and 52 people (including 4 via Zoom) on Saturday 1 December.</p>		
Purpose	To deliver a final summation and the outcome of a two day wānanga to determine if the hapū represented support evolving the Ngāpuhi mandate.		
Agenda			
Presentation and information provided	<p>A range of documents were available to wānanga participants including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Endorsement Hui a Hapū programme (which was widely advertised via multiple channels including newspapers, Facebook, and email) and the Notice of Endorsement for Hui A Hapū (noting the decision making process was subject to guidance from whānau) were available 		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Initial through to final evolved mandate proposal booklets • Documents associated with the final evolved mandate proposal e.g. Deed of Trust, Negotiation Protocol Deed • Special vote registration form – who needs to complete it and where to return the completed and signed register <p>A letter was drafted by the facilitator and signed by kaumātua. This was tabled at the hui and read out aloud to attendees. The letter outlined the decision making and voting processes followed over the two day hui (not observed by TPK staff) and noted the results.</p>
<p>Key points of discussion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safe loving environment, surrounded by our tupuna where people can have their say without fear of criticism. Our hearts and minds have been filled with the wairua of our tupuna. • Not feeling rushed into a decision. Easy flow encouraged people to ask questions and express themselves • Several speakers had come to the wānanga a definite no but after listening to the kōrero and strengthening their bonds with other whanau they were comfortable looking to the taumata and the wider ahi ka to guide their decision making. • Privileged to have been part of the process. He whanau kotahi tātou regardless of whether we voted yes or no. • Noted that those that did not attend for the duration of the wānanga brought another wairua into the whare – found this challenging • Acknowledgement of the effort put into the three days by the rōpu whakahaere and Te Hikutu dotcom team. • Information provided in a way that helped whanau to understand the issues they were asked to make a decision on. Provided with all the information we needed to make an informed decision. • Praise for the facilitators who guided the hui through a rangimārie process. Ahakoa ngā piki me ngā heke i te roanga ake o te wānanga, kua u rātou. • Importance of having a photographer at the wānanga to provide a record of this important occasion available for whānau not here and our future generations. • Several speakers spoke to the long and difficult journey to today and the personal toll on themselves

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	<p>and others – ko matua Ben tētahi - who are no longer with us today. Some lighter tales of the journey were also shared.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Several speakers expressed their disappointment that the deluge of negative messages circulating on Facebook were hindering people from making an informed decision about the proposal. • Hopeful that the hapū outcome will lead to something good for their mokopuna • Two speakers expressed their disappointment with the voting outcome. One was concerned that a hapū voting yes is a big chunk of Hokianga hapū. Worried that those hapū who voted no would now be left out. • Anxious that the hurt caused by the mandating process has further divided the hapū of Te Hikutu, noting some of those who voted no were angry about the outcome and had not returned to complete the houhou te rongo process today. • Important to bring younger generation into the conversation so that they fully understand the issues
<p>Hui resolution(s)</p>	<p>No resolutions were put to the hui while Te Puni Kōkiri staff were in attendance. However, a letter delivering the outcome of hui a hapū (displayed on screen and read aloud) outlined the following:</p> <p>The hui agreed that the process for decision making would be tikanga opoopo and include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Whānau attending (in person) and via Zoom (reaffirmed at the start of each session) • Tātai hono would apply for the duration of the hui • A decision to confirm pepeha-a-hapū • A decision to amend the programme to accommodate whanau needs • A decision to exclude individual votes • Agree to hapū making a decision collectively for questions 2,3 and 4 <p>There were no challenges to the decision making process outlined or the outcome of that while Te Puni Kōkiri were in attendance. One attendee questioned the inclusion of whānau attending via zoom in the voting process.</p>
<p>Decision-making process</p>	<p>Following the pōwhiri the facilitator provided an overview of the tikanga that the hapū followed to reach their decision on the evolved mandate proposal. The outcome of this process to be delivered via letter, signed</p>

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	<p>by the Kaumātua of Te Whakaminenga O Te Hikutu (provided to TPK staff on the day and attached).</p> <p>The facilitator opened the floor for whānau in attendance on Sunday 2 December to share their whakaaro and reflections on the proceedings and outcome of the wānanga. All those present took the opportunity to share their kōrero with the whare. A summary of that kōrero is included in the key points of discussion section of this report</p>
<p>Decision-making outcome</p>	<p>The decision of each hapū as was presented to the hui was as follows:</p> <p>Ngāti Parenga</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q1 – YES (27 Yes / 9 No) • Q2 - No • Q3 – Option 1 • Q4 – Option 3 • (note one vote was taken via Zoom) <p>Ngāti Tuapango</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q1 – YES (20 Yes / 8 No) • Q2 - No • Q3 – Option 1 • Q4 – Option 3 • (note one vote was taken via Zoom) <p>Te Whānau Whero</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q1 – YES (22 Yes / 13 No) • Q2 - No • Q3 – Option 1 • Q4 – Option 3 • (note one vote was taken via Zoom) <p>Ngāti Kairewa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q1 – YES (26 Yes / 14 No) • Q2 - No • Q3 – Option 1 • Q4 – Option 3 • (note one vote was taken via Zoom)

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	<p>Ngāti Kerewhiti</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q1 – YES (21 Yes / 9 No) • Q2 - No • Q3 – Option 1 • Q4 – Option 3 • (note one vote was taken via Zoom) <p>Te Hikutu:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Q1 – YES (27 Yes / 20 No) • Q2 - No • Q3 – Option 1 • Q4 – Option 3 • (note one vote was taken via Zoom)
<p>Summary comments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Observer and scrutineer's role at the hui was explained accurately. • The hui was conducted in an open and transparent manner. • Hui attendees had the opportunity to ask questions and questions were answered. • We did not observe the decision making process being agreed or the voting processes that occurred prior our attendance. • The reflection of the participants indicated that there was an agreed decision making process and outcome from the vote. <p>Based on the documentation received and reflections observed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The registration process and whakapapa verification was adhered to. • Decision-making process for each hapū was clearly explained by the facilitator • A clear decision was made on voting process to be used • Agreed voting process was adhered to for questions 1, 2 and 4. For question 3, agreement was by way of verbal agreement. • Whānau expressed being able to ask questions and learn about the history of the mandate before making a decision. • Whānau also expressed feeling like they were given an opportunity to safely express their views regardless of their individual position.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• At the hui people had the opportunity to talk to (and reflect on) the process that had occurred• The process that was undertaken was not disputed or challenged during the hui.
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NGĀPUHI EVOLVED MANDATE: HAPŪ ENDORSEMENT HUI

VOTE RESULTS SHEET

TE HIKUTU, TE WHĀNAU WHERO, NGĀTI KAIREWA, NGĀTI KEREWIHI, NGĀTI TUJAPANGO,
& NGĀTI PARENGA

30 NOVEMBER 6PM – 2 DECEMBER, MORIA MARAE

NGĀTI PARENGA

AGREED VOTING PROCESS (include relevant hui resolutions)

The hui agreed that the process for voting would be tikanga ope ope and would include:

- * whānau attending and via Zoom (confirmed at the start of each session)
- * tatau hono for duration of hui
- * a decision to confirm pepeha-a-hapu
- * a decision to amend programme to accommodate changes where/when required
- * clarification of tikanga ope ope was done to evolve Ngāpuhi mandate and determined by whānau in attendance
- * a decision to exclude individual vote
- * a decision to make a collective decision for questions 2, 3 & 4

VOTE RESULTS

Question	Count of votes	Result
Question 1 Evolved mandate	Yes	
	No	
	Abstain	
	Invalid	
Question 2 Representation of TRAION	Yes	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	No	
	Abstain	
Question 3 Ngāpuhi Taura Here representation on MANA	Option 1	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2	
	Abstain	
	Invalid	
Question 4 Kuia/Kaumātua representation	Option 1	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2	
	Option 3	
	Abstain	
	Invalid	

Observer/Scrutineer: *Jodi Gargaretobua*
Hui facilitator: *Lynette Whyte*

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VOTE RESULTS SHEET

TE HIKUTU, TE WHĀNAU WHERO, NGĀTI KAIREWA, NGĀTI KEREWIHI, NGĀTI TUAPANGO,
& NGĀTI PARENKA

30 NOVEMBER 6PM – 2 DECEMBER, MORIA MARAE

NGĀTI TUAPANGO

AGREED VOTING PROCESS (include relevant hui resolutions)

The hui agreed that the process voting would be tikanga opo opo and would include:

- * whanau attending and via zoom (reaffirmed at the start of each session)
- * fatai hono for duration of hui
- * a decision to confirm pepaha-a-hapu
- * a decision to amend programme to accommodate changes where/when required
- * clarification of tikanga opo opo was done to evolve Ngāpuhi mandate and determined by whanau in attendance
- * a decision to exclude individual votes
- * a decision to make a collective decision for questions 2, 3 & 4

VOTE RESULTS

Question	Count of votes		Result
Question 1 Evolved mandate	Yes	20	
	No	8	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 2 Representation of TRAION	Yes		Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	No	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 3 Ngāpuhi Taura Here representation on MANA	Option 1	103	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2		
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 4 Kuia/Kaumātua representation	Option 1		Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2		
	Option 3	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		

Observer/Scrutineer: Jodi Qereqeretabua
Hui facilitator: Lynette Whareroa

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NGĀPUHI EVOLVED MANDATE: HAPŪ ENDORSEMENT HUI

VOTE RESULTS SHEET

TE HIKUTU, TE WHĀNAU WHERO, NGĀTI KAIREWA, NGĀTI KEREWIHI, NGĀTI TUAPANGO,
& NGĀTI PARENGA

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TE WHĀNAU WHERO

AGREED VOTING PROCESS (include relevant hui resolutions)

The hui agreed that the process for voting would be tikanga ope ope and would include:

- + Whānau attending and via Zoom (reaffirmed at the start of each session)
- + tatau hono for duration of hui
- + a decision to confirm pepeha-a-hapu
- + a decision to amend programme to accommodate changes where/when required
- * Clarification of tikanga ope ope was done to evolve Ngāpuhi mandate and determined by whānau in attendance.
- ✓ a decision to exclude individual votes
- * a decision to make collective decision for questions

VOTE RESULTS

Question	Count of votes	Result
Question 1 Evolved mandate	Yes	2,3,4
	No	
	Abstain	
	Invalid	
Question 2 Representation of TRAION	Yes	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	No	
	Abstain	
	Invalid	
Question 3 Ngāpuhi Taura Here representation on MANA	Option 1	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2	
	Abstain	
	Invalid	
Question 4 Kuia/Kaumātua representation	Option 1	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2	
	Option 3	
	Abstain	
	Invalid	

Observer/Scrutineer: *Jodi Qereqeretabua*
Hui facilitator: *Lynette Wharean*

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NGĀPUHI EVOLVED MANDATE: HAPŪ ENDORSEMENT HUI

VOTE RESULTS SHEET

TE HIKUTU, TE WHĀNAU WHERO, NGĀTI KAIREWA, NGĀTI KEREWIHI, NGĀTI TUAPANGO,
& NGĀTI PARENGA

30 NOVEMBER 6PM – 2 DECEMBER, MORIA MARAE

NGĀTI KAIREWA

AGREED VOTING PROCESS (include relevant hui resolutions)

The hui agreed that the process for voting would be tikanga opo opo and would include:

- + whānau attending and via Zoom (reaffirmed at the start of each session)
- + tatai hono for duration of hui
- + a decision to confirm pepeha- ahapu
- + a decision to amend programme to accommodate changes where/when required
- + clarification of tikanga opo opo was done to evolve Ngāpuhi mandate and determined by whānau in attendance
- + a decision to exclude individual votes
- + a decision to make a collective decision for questions 2, 3 & 4

VOTE RESULTS

Question	Count of votes		Result
	Yes	No	
Question 1 Evolved mandate	Yes	26	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	No	14	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 2 Representation of TRAIION	Yes		Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	No	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 3 Ngāpuhi Taura Here representation on MANA	Option 1	103	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2		
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 4 Kua/Kaumātua representation	Option 1		Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2		
	Option 3	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		

Observer/Scrutineer: *Jodi Caragochius*
Hui facilitator: *Lynette Whareman*

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NGĀPUHI EVOLVED MANDATE: HAPŪ ENDORSEMENT HUI

VOTE RESULTS SHEET

TE HIKUTU, TE WHĀNAU WHEREO, NGĀTI KAIREWA, NGĀTI KEREWHITI, NGĀTI TUAPANGO,
& NGĀTI PARENGA

30 NOVEMBER 6PM – 2 DECEMBER, MORIA MARAE

NGĀTI KEREWHITI

AGREED VOTING PROCESS (include relevant hui resolutions)

The hui agreed that the process voting would be tikanga ope ope and would include:

- whanau attending and via zoom (reaffirmed at the start of each session)
- tatai hono for duration of hui
- a decision to confirm pepeta-a-hapu
- a decision to amend programme to accommodate changes where/when required
- clarification of tikanga ope ope was done to evolve Ngāpuhi mandate and determined by whanau in attendance
- a decision to exclude individual votes
- a decision to make a collective decision for questions 2, 3 & 4.

VOTE RESULTS

Question	Count of votes		Result
	Yes	No	
Question 1 Evolved mandate	Yes	21	Note: 1 vote via via zoom. 02/11/2018 correction 02/11/2018
	No	9	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 2 Representation of TRAIDN	Yes		Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	No	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 3 Ngāpuhi Taura Here representation on MANA	Option 1	103	Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2		
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 4 Kuia/Kaumātua representation	Option 1		Note: 1 vote via Zoom
	Option 2		
	Option 3	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		

Observer/Scrutineer: Jodi Qereqeretobua
Hui facilitator: Lynette Wharean

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NGĀPUHI EVOLVED MANDATE: HAPŪ ENDORSEMENT HUI

VOTE RESULTS SHEET

TE HIKUTU, TE WHĀNAU WHEREO, NGĀTI KAIREWA, NGĀTI KEREWIHI, NGĀTI TUAPANGO,
& NGĀTI PARENGA

30 NOVEMBER 6PM – 2 DECEMBER, MORIA MARAE

TE HIKUTU

AGREED VOTING PROCESS (include relevant hui resolutions)

The hui agreed that the process for voting would be tikanga opoipo and would include:

- whānau attending and via zoom (reaffirmed at the start of each session)
- tatau hono for duration of hui
- a decision to confirm pepeha-a-hapu
- a decision to amend programme to accommodate changes where/when required.
- clarification of tikanga opoipo was done to evolve Ngāpuhi mandate and determined by whānau in attendance.
- a decision to exclude individual votes
- a decision to make a collective decision for questions 2, 3 & 4.

VOTE RESULTS

Question	Count of votes		Result
	Yes	No	
Question 1 Evolved mandate	Yes	27	= 1 yes vote via zoom
	No	20	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 2 Representation of TRAION	Yes		Note: 1 vote via zoom
	No	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 3 Ngāpuhi Taura Here representation on MANA	Option 1	103	Note: 1 vote via zoom
	Option 2		
	Abstain		
	Invalid		
Question 4 Kuiā/Kaumātua representation	Option 1		Note: 1 vote via zoom
	Option 2		
	Option 3	103	
	Abstain		
	Invalid		

Observer/Scrutineer: Jodi Qereqeretaba

Hui facilitator: Lynette Wharean

Signed

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Te Whakaminenga O Te Hikutu Hapū-Whānau

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2nd December 2018

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E ngā raurangatira mā,

SUBJ: HUI-Ā-HAPŪ OUTCOMES FOR EVOLVING NGĀPUHI MANDATE

At our Hui-ā-Hapū 30th November 2018 to 2nd December 2018, the following outcomes were completed by Te Hikutu, Ngāti Kairewa, Ngāti Tuapango, Ngāti Kerewheti, Te Whānau Whero, Ngāti Parenga and Whānautara.

OUTCOMES:

- Our tikanga and decision for notification of our Hui-ā-Hapū was authorised and approved on the 4th November 2018 at Moria Marae, Whirinaki.
- Our tikanga and decision for using the following mediums of notification were:
 - Newspapers: New Zealand Herald, Northern Advocate, Rawene New Letter
 - Public noticeboards in Whirinaki, Rawene and Opononi
 - Facebook: Te Hikutu Hapu-Whānau
 - Email outs
 - Other: Hui-ā-Hapū
- Our tikanga and decision to include our whānau attending and voting via Zoom. This was reaffirmed at the beginning of each session.
- Our tikanga and decision to Tātai Hono for the duration of our Hui.
- Our tikanga and decision for Pēpeha-ā-Hapū was determined and agreed upon by the Whānau in the Hui.
- Our tikanga and decision to deliver the program guided and agreed upon by the Whānau in the Hui.

- Our tikanga-ā-Opoopo was clarified to make our decision to determine evolving Ngapuhi mandate for each Hapū: Te Hikutu, Ngati Kairewa, Ngati Tuapango, Ngati Kerewheti, Te Whanau Whero, Ngati Parenga and Whanautara, and determined by the Whānau in attendance on Saturday 1st December 2018 the Hui.
- Our tikanga-ā-Opoopo includes our registered Zoom whānau AND excludes individual votes.
- Our tikanga and decision include our whanau attending and voting via Zoom. This was reaffirmed at the beginning of each session.
- Our tikanga and to make collective decisions for the three MaNA representation models.
- Our acknowledgement of whanau of Te Hikutu, Ngati Kairewa, Ngati Tuapango, Ngati Kerewheti, Te Whanau Whero, Ngati Parenga and Whanautara who attended Hui-ā-Hapū.

DAY: DATE	Number of People in Attendance:
Day One: 30 th November 2018	31 = 29 + 2-Zoom
Day Two: 1 st December 2018	56 = 52 + 4-Zoom
Day Three: 2 nd December 2018	35
TOTAL	122

ENDORSEMENTS:

Question One

Endorsements by the Whānau inclusive of Ahi Kaa and Ahi Tere at our Hui-ā-Hapū are as follow:

Te Hikutu

That, Te Hikutu Hapū-Whānau agrees for the Evolved Mandate, as set out in the information booklet, to represent Ngapuhi including ngā hapū O Ngapuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngapuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti O Waitangi.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	27=26 + 1-Zoom
Kahore - Disagree	20
TOTAL	47

Ngati Kairewa

That, Ngati Kairewa Hapū-Whānau agrees for the Evolved Mandate, as set out in the information booklet, to represent Ngapuhi including ngā hapū O Ngapuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngapuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti O Waitangi.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	26=25 + 1-Zoom
Kahore - Disagree	14
TOTAL	40

Ngati Tuapango

That, Ngati Tuapango Hapū-Whānau agrees for the Evolved Mandate, as set out in the information booklet, to represent Ngapuhi including ngā hapū O Ngapuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the

comprehensive settlement of all Ngapuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti O Waitangi.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	20
Kahore - Disagree	8
TOTAL	28

Ngati Kerewheti

That, Ngati Kerewheti Hapū-Whānau agrees for the Evolved Mandate, as set out in the information booklet, to represent Ngapuhi including ngā hapū O Ngapuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngapuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti O Waitangi.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	21
Kahore - Disagree	9
TOTAL	30

Te Whanau Whero

That, Te Whānau Whero Hapū-Whānau agrees for the Evolved Mandate, as set out in the information booklet, to represent Ngapuhi including ngā hapū O Ngapuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngapuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti O Waitangi.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	22
Kahore - Disagree	13
TOTAL	35

Ngati Parenga

That, Ngati Parenga Hapū-Whānau agrees for the Evolved Mandate, as set out in the information booklet, to represent Ngapuhi including ngā hapū O Ngapuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngapuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti O Waitangi.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	27
Kahore - Disagree	9
TOTAL	36

Whanautara

That, Whanautara Hapū-Whānau agrees for the Evolved Mandate, as set out in the information booklet, to represent Ngapuhi including ngā hapū O Ngapuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngapuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti O Waitangi.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	28
Kahore - Disagree	10
TOTAL	38

Question Two – TRAION Representation:

That, Te Hikutu, Ngati Kairewa, Ngati Tuapango, Ngati Kerewheti, Te Whanau Whero, Ngati Parenga and Whanautara Hapū-Whānau unanimously disagree for Te Runanga A Iwi O Ngapuhi represented on MaNA.

Options	Results:
Whakaae - Agree	0
Kahore - Disagree	103
TOTAL	103

Question Three – Ahi Tere:

That, Te Hikutu, Ngati Kairewa, Ngati Tuapango, Ngati Kerewheti, Te Whanau Whero, Ngati Parenga and Whanautara Hapū-Whānau unanimously agree with Option 1 model for Ngapuhi ki waho i te rohe representation.

Model	Results:
One	103
Two	0
TOTAL	103

Question Four – Kaumatua & Kuia:

That, Te Hikutu, Ngati Kairewa, Ngati Tuapango, Ngati Kerewheti, Te Whanau Whero, Ngati Parenga and Whanautara Hapū-Whānau unanimously agrees with Option 3 model for our preferred hapū kuia/kaumatua representation.

Model	Results:
One	0
Two	0
Three	103
TOTAL	103

In closing, Te Hikutu Hapū-Whānau will commit and continue to inform, consult, involve & collaborate to impact increased decision making of a “shared voice”.

Further, we will seek support from other alliances agreed upon with Hapū-Whānau of Hokianga O Ngā Hapū-Whānau Taiwhenua.

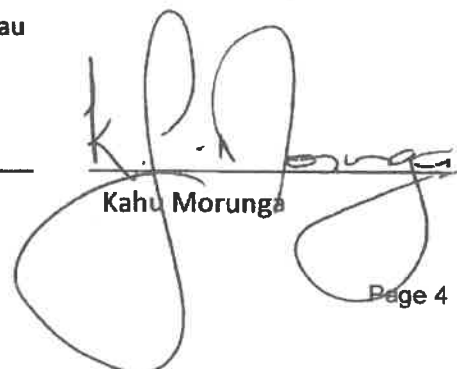
Dated this day, the 2nd December 2018 by Te Hikutu Hapū-Whānau, at Moria Marae, Whirinaki, Hokianga as witnessed and registered attendees.

Na Mātou,

Ngā Kaumātua O Te Whakaminenga O Te Hikutu Hapū-Whānau


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