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File Ref: OIA 40278

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your information request dated 1 October 2019. You asked for the following information:

- 1. "All correspondence including emails, letters and filenotes between the OTS, TPK and/or the Minister of Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations with Ngapuhi including te Kotahitanga, Tuhoronuku and any other party in Ngapuhi around the settlement framework in the last 6 months.
- 2. The latest crown and ministry policy and documents around negotiation with ngapuhi and in particular the Crown position on Takiwa settlement.
- 3. All internal documents relating to the Ngapuhi settlement negotiations including minister briefings and emails in the last 3 months.
- 4. The amount paid to date to consultants and the negotiators associated with the ngapuhi settlement negotiations by the Crown broken down into hourly rates, disbursements.
- 5. The terms of reference between the Ministry of Treaty of Waitangi negotiations and any group associated with the ngapuhi settlement negotiations.
- 6. Any minutes or notes from meetings between Minister Andrew Little te Kotahitanga and Tuhoronuku or any other Ngapuhi negotiator/kaumatua around the ngapuhi settlement negotiation".

On 22 October 2019, you were advised that parts 4, 5 and 6 of the request were transferred to the Ministry of Justice for a response, as these more closely relate to the functions of Te Arawhiti and the Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations.

On 25 October 2019, we advised you that an extension was required and applied in accordance with section 15(A)(1)(b) of the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), which applies when the consultations necessary to make a decision on the request are such that a proper response cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit. The extension was for an additional ten working days.

Your request has been considered in accordance with the Act.



Appendix A provides you with the full list of the documents that fall within the scope of parts 1 to 3 of your request as above.

Some information has been withheld in accordance with the Act on the following grounds:

- 9(2)(a) which applies to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons;
- 9(2)(f)(iv) to maintain the constitutional conventions for the time being which
 protect the confidentiality of advice tendered by Ministers of the Crown and
 officials;
- 9(2)(g)(i) to maintain the effective conduct of public affairs through the free and frank expression of opinions by or between or to Ministers of the Crown or members of an organisation or officers and employees of any department or organisation in the course of their duty;
- 9(2)(h) applies to maintain legal professional privilege; and
- 9(2)(j) which applies to enable a Minister of the Crown or any department or organisation holding the information to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations.

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 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 Madeline Smith, Senior Ministerials Advisor, Ministerials and Business Support via smitm@tpk.govt.nz.

Ngā mihi

Rahera Ohia

Manahautū Tuarua Te Puni Hononga Kaupapa Here | Deputy Chief Executive, Policy Partnerships



Appendix A – information in scope and decisions for OIA 40278

Item	Date	Document description	Decision
-	10-15 July 2019	Email correspondence between Te Arawhiti and Te Puni Kōkiri. Updates on Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations meeting with Ngāpuhi.	Release in full
2	17 July 2019	Email from Te Arawhiti to Te Puni Kōkiri – meeting papers	Partially withheld under sections 9(2)(a), 9(2)(f)(iv), 9(2)(g)(j)
ဗ	22 July 2019	Email from Te Puni Kōkiri to Te Arawhiti (and internally to TPK) - handwritten notes from Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations meeting with Ngāpuhi on 20 July	Release in full
4.	25 July 2019	Internal Te Puni Kōkiri emails –weekly report text for Minister for Māori Development	Release in full
ည်	26 July 2019	Internal Te Puni Kōkiri emails –weekly report text for Minister for Māori Development	Release in full
Ö	26 July 2019	Weekly Report to the Minister for Māori Development for the period 26 July – 1 August 2019	Excerpts in scope provided in full in accordance with 16(e)
7.	31 July – 3 September 2019	Emails between Te Arawhiti and Te Puni Kōkiri – next steps	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j) and 9(2)(g)(i)
œί	1 August 2019	Email from Te Arawhiti to Te Puni Kōkiri attaching summary of Ngāpuhi Hui Tonu notes	Release in full
တ်	14 August 2019	August Internal Te Puni Kōkiri emails – Māori Crown Relations Cabinet Committee	Excerpt in scope provided in full in accordance with 16(e)

10.	16 August 2019	August Internal Te Puni Kōkiri emails – Māori Crown Relations Cabinet Committee	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j) and 9(2)(g)(i)
<u> </u>	8 September 2019	Internal Te Puni Kōkiri email forwarding an update email from Te Arawhiti – Ngāpuhi work	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)
12.	12-16 September 2019	Internal Te Puni Kōkiri emails – draft Cabinet paper	Partially withheld under 9(2)(j) and 9(2)(g)(i)
13.	17 September 2019	Internal Te Puni Kōkiri emails – draft Cabinet paper	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)
4.	17 September 2019	Email correspondence between Te Arawhiti and Te Puni Kōkiri – draft Ngāpuhi Cabinet paper	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)
15.	17 September 2019	Internal Te Puni Kōkiri emails – preliminary comments on Ngāpuhi paper	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j) and 9(2)(g)(i)
16.	18 September 2019	Internal Te Puni Kōkiri email – feedback on draft Ngāpuhi paper for officials committee Māori Crown Relations	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)
17.	18 September 2019	Email from Te Puni Kōkiri to Te Arawhiti – feedback on draft Ngāpuhi Cabinet paper	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)
18.	18 September 2019	Email correspondence between Te Arawhiti and Te Puni Kōkiri – draft Ngāpuhi Cabinet paper	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)

19.	17 and 20 September 2019	20 Emails from Te Puni Kōkiri to the office of the Minister for Māori Development Withheld in full under 9(2)(j) – Ngāpuhi next steps	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)
20.	19 September 2019	19 September Email from Te Arawhiti to Te Puni Kōkiri – attaching Crown Law advice 2019	Withheld in full under 9(2)(h)
21.	23 September 2019	23 September Email from Te Arawhiti to Te Puni Kōkiri – update on draft Cabinet paper 2019	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)
22.	25 September 2019	25 September Email from Te Arawhiti to Te Puni Kōkiri – notes on draft Cabinet paper from 2019 Minister for Māori Development	Withheld in full under 9(2)(g)(i)
23.	30 September 2019	30 September Email from Te Arawhiti to Te Puni Kōkiri – update on draft Cabinet paper 2019	Withheld in full under 9(2)(j)

Katy Te Amo

From:

Tui Marsh

Sent:

Monday, 15 July 2019 8:08 PM

To:

Nicole Butler

Subject:

Fwd: Ngapuhi update

Let's have a korero about this tomorrow

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Hickey, Maureen" < Maureen. Hickey@tearawhiti.govt.nz>

Date: 15 July 2019 at 8:05:51 PM NZST To: Tui Marsh < marst@tpk.govt.nz > Subject: RE: Ngapuhi update

Kia ora Tui

Been meaning to respond to your Friday email all day! Does that mean you won't attend?

From our end we'll now have Stephen Ihaka cultural support and facilitation for the 20th hui), Lil Anderson and Rachel Houlbrooke. Anna Galvin (the Minister's private secretary will also attend). We're keen to get good notes out of the hui so will be asking Anna to do that, but given neither she nor Rachel will have context of who people are it would be really helpful if Nicole could take notes too.

We also need someone, at the Saturday hui, to take the role of moving the microphone around people. Would Nicole be ok with doing notes while Anna does the microphone?

Also, the number of hui has grown today. At this stage the itinerary is as follows:

	Thursday 18	July
When	Who	Where
10:00 am	Kia Anga Mua	Treaty Room 2 Boardroom, Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi
11.30 pm	James Clyde (Tühoronuku trustee for Hokianga region)	Treaty Room 2 Boardroom, Copthorne Hotel, Waltangi
12.00 pm	Lunch – Dining Roor	n, Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi
12.30 pm	Whangaroa Papa Hapu	Treaty Room 2 Boardroom, Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi

1.40 pm	Drive to Whangārei		
3.00 pm	Whatitiri/Porotī roopu	253	
4:00 pm	Ngăti Hine	Ngāti Hine Whangārei	Forestry Trust, 6 Vinery Lane
	Saturd	ay 20 July	THE COURT OF STREET
1:00 – 4:00 pm	Open hui with Ngāpu		Waltaha Room, Copthorne Hotel, Waltangi

Nga mihi

Maureen



Maureen Hickey

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From: Tui Marsh < marst@tpk.govt.nz > Sent: Monday, 15 July 2019 8:00 p.m.

To: Hickey, Maureen < Maureen. Hickey@tearawhiti.govt.nz>

Subject: Re: Ngapuhi update

Kia ora ano Maureen

Nicole Butler is available to attend these meetings on behalf of TPK.

Nga Mihi

Tul.

Sent from my iPad

On 12/07/2019, at 4:56 PM, Hickey, Maureen < Maureen. Hickey@tearawhiti.govt.nz > wrote:

Kia ora Tui

At this stage I understand we'll have Rachel Houlbrooke and Stephen Ihaka at both meetings and we'd appreciate TPK support at them too.

We'll be asking the Minister's private secretary to provide us with notes but she won't know who people are so if you are able to attend would really appreciate your notes.

At the moment, the times are as follows.

Thursday 18 July		
Time	Who	Location
10 – 11 am	Kia Anga Mua	Copthorne, Waitangi
12 – 12.30 pm	James Clyde	Copthorne, Waitangi
4 – 5 pm	Pita Tipene – note Pita advised this morning there will be 10 in his Ngāti Hine team	Copthorne, Waitangi

The gap in the afternoon is because Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly have declined to meet on the basis that their agreed position is that the hapū and groupings will put their own positions to the Minister. I've asked Pita if Ngāti Hine will do the meeting in Whangarei rather than Waitangi (because the Minister will be in Whangerei that evening).

Saturday 20 July at C	pthorne, Waitangi
1 pm	Mihi whakatau
1.30 pm	Light refreshments
2 pm	Updates on progress
4pm	Minister departs

There'll be a sound system and microphones for the Saturday hui. We will do a bit of thinking about how to organise the updates on progress—it might be useful, for instance, for time within the two hours to be alloted to each region to report back with a more open space at the end? Interested in your thoughts on that.

Ngā mihi

Maureen



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From: Tui Marsh < marst@tpk.govt.nz > Sent: Wednesday, 10 July 2019 4:32 p.m.

To: Hickey, Maureen < Maureen. Hickey@tearawhiti.govt.nz>

Subject: RE: Ngapuhi update

Kia ora Maureen

Hope you are well. Is TPK attendance expected at these hui. Happy to support if needed.

Tui

From: Hickey, Maureen < Maureen. Hickey@tearawhiti.govt.nz>

Sent: Râapa, 10 Hôngongoi, 2019 1:00 p.m.

To: Tui Marsh <marst@tpk.govt.nz>; Erin Keenan <keene@tpk.govt.nz>

Subject: RE: Ngapuhi update

Kia ora ano

Just a further email – please discard the panul attached to the last email. We're revising the time and going to include a timetable, as follows:

The broad timeframe for the hui will be:

1 pm

Mihi whakatau

1.30 pm

Light refreshments

2 pm 4pm Updates on progress Minister departs

The Minister's office is also currently advising other Ministers/MPs.

Nga mihi

Maureen



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From: Hickey, Maureen

Sent: Wednesday, 10 July 2019 12:07 p.m.

To: Tui Marsh < marst@tpk.govt.nz >; Erin Keenan < keene@tpk.govt.nz >

Subject: Ngapuhi update

Těnā kôrua

This is just to update you that Minister Little has decided to hold meetings with Ngāpuhi on the 18th and 20th of July – to hear about any progress made on moving together into negotiations.

On the 18th he'll have the following four meetings at the Copthorne in Waltangi:

- Kia Anga Mua
- Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly
- Pita Tipene
- James Clyde

On the 20th he's inviting Ngāpuhi to meet with him for the same purpose. The panui for that hui is attached.

He'll be supported by a cultural advisor, his private secretary and our new Deputy Chief Executive Settlements and Takutai Moana, Rachel Houlbrooke.

Happy to discuss.

Ngā mihi

Maureen



Maureen Hickey

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Katy Te Amo

From:

Tui Marsh

Sent:

Wednesday, 17 July 2019 6:36 PM

To:

Nicole Butler

Subject:

Fwd: Meeting papers

Attachments:

25 - Ngāpuhi - Ngāpuhi hui tonu.pdf; ATT00001.htm; Speakers.docx; ATT00002.htm; Contact list.docx; ATT00003.htm; Appendix 10.pdf; ATT00004.htm; Appendix 11.pdf; ATT00005.htm; Appendix 12.pdf; ATT00006.htm; Appendix 13.pdf; ATT00007.htm

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Hickey, Maureen" < Maureen. Hickey@tearawhiti.govt.nz>

To: "Tui Marsh" < marst@tpk.govt.nz > Subject: FW: Meeting papers

Kia ora Tui

I'm possibly breaking your email system with this but please find attached our report to Minister Little re Ngāpuhi Hui Tonu. There's also an additional appendix (the Kia Anga Mua document) but it's 21MB so your system just rejected it!

I also attach a schedule of speakers for the 20th — which has three people on it so far. We've provided it in hard copy to Stephen Ihaka. The list may be added to over the next couple of days so we'll keep everyone posted.

Ngā mihi

Maureen

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Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations

Subject Ngāpuhi: Ngāpuhi Hui Tonu

Date 17 July 2019 Priority: High

Report No. OTS: 2019/2020 - 25 File ref: CLA-N052-OF-F04

Action sought

Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations (Hon Andrew Little) Note On 18 and 20 July you are attending six hui with By 18 July Ngāpuhi parties. This report provides:

a. the meeting itinerary;

 b. background information including matters that may be raised by meeting participants;

c. talking points for the hui (Appendices 1 - 6);

d: a timeline of the Ngāpuhi mandate journey (Appendix 7); and

e. a media statement and back pocket questions and answers (Appendix 8).

Contact for phone discussion (if required)

Name /	Position	Phone		1st Contact
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Leah Campbell	Regional Director, Te Raki (Acting)	04 9139202	35	/
Maureen Hickey	Settlement and Negotiations Manager, Te Raki	04 494 9832	\=	
Ernest Stokes	Analyst			

Ngāpuhi: Ngāpuhi Hui Tonu

Purpose

- 2. On 18 and 20 July you are attending six hui with Ngapuhi parties. This report provides:
 - a. the meeting itinerary;
 - b. background information including matters that may be raised by meeting participants;
 - c. talking points for the hui (Appendices 1 6);
 - d. a timeline of the Ngāpuhi mandate journey (Appendix 7); and
 - e. a media statement and back pocket questions and answers (Appendix 8).
- A proposal from Kia Anga Mua Ngā Hapū o Ngāpuhi (KAM) to Tūhoronuku Independent Mandated Authority (TIMA) is attached at Appendix 9, and a response from Raniera Tau is attached at Appendix 10.
- 4. The latest Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly report is attached at Appendix 11 and a recent statement from Whāngaroa Papa Hapū at Appendix 12.
- Report [OTS 2018/2019 272] on the outcome of the evolved mandate process is also attached at Appendix 13 for context.

Background

6. In 2018 you together with TIMA leaders (Raniera Tau and Hone Sadler) and Te Kötahitanga o Ngā Hapū o Ngāpuhi leaders (Rudy Taylor and Pita Tipene) formed Te Rōpū Tūhono which developed a proposal to evolve the Tūhoronuku mandate and negotiations structure. After three rounds of consultation in New Zealand and Australia Ngāpuhi voted on the evolved mandate proposal.

Evolved Mandate Vote

7. The level of support Te Rōpū Tūhono proposed for endorsement of the evolved mandate proposal was at least 75% of Ngāpuhl who cast an individual vote and at least 65% of hapū (72 out of 110 hapū) in the Tūhoronuku mandate. Those thresholds were not met. The individual Ngāpuhl vote was 51.29% in support and 47.97% against the proposal. Thirty-one hapū (28%) supported the proposal and 73 hapū did not support it.¹ You and Minister Mahuta subsequently announced, on 19 December 2018, that there was not sufficient support from Ngāpuhi to move forward with the evolved mandate.

Crown Messages

- 8. Since then you have provided Ngāpuhi with space for internal discussions. Your key messages, in correspondence and meetings with Ngāpuhi people, have been:
 - neither Tühoronuku as an entity nor the proposal for evolving the mandate have sufficient support from Ngāpuhi to enable Treaty settlement negotiations to commence;
 - b. given that, we have to find an alternative that will be well supported and provide an overall plan for Ngāpuhi Treaty negotiations;

¹ One hapû hui resulted in a tie and five hapû did not hold endorsement hui.

- you've encouraged Ngāpuhi hapū to continue discussions about how they can move
 Ngāpuhi together into Treaty settlement negotiations; and
- d. the Crown wishes to engage with Ngāpuhi on the basis of Ngāpuhi hapū moving together.
- 9. You have also set out that you will be interested in how any proposal for a way forward:
 - a. has engaged with all Ngāpuhi hapū;
 - b. addresses concerns regarding distrust of Ngāpuhi leadership; and
 - c. demonstrates widespread support from Ngapuhi.
- 10. In the last six months there have been two main streams of activity occurring within Ngāpuhi: the Kia Anga Mua and Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly processes. In addition, some hapū have held internal hui and worked on developing their own positions.

Kia Anga Mua Nga Hapū o Ngapuhi

- 11. Kia Anga Mua Ngā Hapū o Ngāpuhi (KAM) formed in the wake of the evolved mandate process and has asserted representation of the 31 hapū who voted 'yes' to the evolved mandate process. Those were:
 - a. 6 of 8 Mangakahia hapū;
 - b. 8 of 22 Kaikohe/Waimate/Talāmai hapū;
 - c. 11 of 26 Hokianga hapū;
 - d. 4 of 22 Te Pēwhairangi hapū
 - e. 1 of 10 Whangarei hapu and
 - f. 1 of 22 Whangaroa hapū.
- 12. To our knowledge KAM are yet to undertake a process with the 31 hapū who voted in support of the evolved mandate process to test whether those hapū support KAM. KAM has held three open hui for Ngāpuhi (which appear to have attracted up to 50 people). They have established working and kaumatua advisory groups which include three of the Te Rōpū Tūhono leaders (Rudy Taylor, Raniera Tau and Hōne Sadler) and three TIMA trustees.

Proposal to TIMA

- 13. KAM put a paper to the TIMA Board in May 2019 (attached at Appendix 9) which proposes the two groups work collaboratively together to:
 - develop a robust hapū "opt-in" process (ie. those hapū who intend to progress with KAM and TIMA would be asked to formally declare that intent);
 - b. refresh hapû kaikôrero (participating hapû would use their own tikanga to determine their hapû kaikôrero); and
 - reframe the TIMA mandate (KAM and TIMA would work with those hapū kaikōrero to redesign the TIMA mandate).
- 14. KAM also propose developing and carrying out a stakeholder engagement and communication plan to try to increase the number of hapū participating in their process. Other next steps

proposed are holding a workshop hui to identify whether there is a need to make changes to the TIMA Deed of Mandate and holding the hapū "opt-in" process. That would be followed by an 'all of Ngāpuhi' hui (Appendix 9).

TIMA Discussion Paper

- 15. TIMA are currently discussing how to respond to the KAM proposal. On 28 June Rudy Taylor provided you with the attached discussion paper, drafted by Raniera Tau TIMA Deputy Chair, on a possible response to KAM (attached at Appendix 10). They are considering a discussion paper, prepared by Raniera Tau, which makes the following key points:
 - a. the results of the Te Rōpū Tūhono voting process are not as 'morbid' as they have been 'spun' to be;²
 - b. while KAM want to discuss a range of matters (the leadership issue, change in personnel, TIMA name change, number of regions and Te Rünanga a lwi o Ngāpuhi representation), the paper observes there is uncertainty as to whether KAM understands the TIMA mandate and that if too many changes were made to the TIMA mandate, they would have to seek a new mandate;
 - TIMA should enter discussions with KAM to refine the proposal;
 - those hapū who voted "no" in the Te Ropū Tūhono process need to side-line themselves

 TIMA has been committed to leaving the door open for hapū who wish to come on board but there must be a point where Ngāpuhi begins to negotiate a comprehensive settlement of all Ngāpuhi historical claims even without all hapū participating;
 - e. avenues to prevent, amend or take over the mandate have been exhausted TIMA now has the opportunity to move forward with KAM and those hapu who wish to engage;
 - f. TIMA's position is to move forward with one mandate and allow hapu to manage the development of their hapu specific settlement negotiations;
 - g. next steps could include:
 - A. reconfirmation of TIMA representatives the paper notes the mandate already has a process for this and if altered it must be agreed to by TIMA;
 - B. development, with Crown officials, of a work programme and resourcing that provides for hapū to prepare their settlement negotiation packages; and
 - C. an overhaul of the TIMA Board as there are currently no Kaikohe/Waimate/Taiāmai representatives and hapū kaikorero who no longer have a mandate (because their hapū have elected not to participate in this process).

Ngapuhi Hapū Assembly

16. The other group and process that has emerged following the evolved mandate process is the Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly (the Hapū Assembly). In December 2018 leaders of five hapū who voted against the evolved mandate proposal put a call out to all Ngāpuhi hapū to discuss a plan

² This is on the basis that only 68 hapū voted against the evolved mandate (4 hapū had their results set aside) and voting participation was less than 50% of those who voted in the original Tühoronuku mandate. The later point is incorrect – the mandate vote had a 23% participation rate (6,794 votes from 29,289 eligible voters) and the evolved mandate process had a 19.3% participation rate (6,177 of 32,005 eligible voters)

for a new way forward. The purpose was to work together on how hapû might be able to achieve a united and co-ordinated approach to negotiating the settlement of their historical Treaty claims. That has resulted in:

- a. January 2019 Kohewhata hui, over 300 attendees; and
- b. April 2019 Whangarei hui, approximately 170 attendees.
- 17. To date the hui have agreed a unity of purpose (that the hapu of Ngāpuhi have not ceded, and never will cede, sovereignty to the Crown), to meet every three months, and (at the January meeting) to ask the Crown to withdraw recognition of the TIMA mandate. The focus of the hui is on developing a fresh strategy built from the flax roots and based on foundations of respect for hapu rangatiratanga and support for cooperation within neighbouring hapu, regional hapu assembles and a Ngāpuhi hapu assembly.

18. Their next steps are:

- a. Whāngaroa will host a Ngāpuhi Hapū Wānanga on 3-4 August to clarify hapū positions and flesh out potential pathways forward; and
- b. hapū will assemble again in October and November 2019 to make key decisions and advance those kaupapa collectively.
- 19. The Hapû Assembly has established Te Ohu Kaimahi, an organising group, whose role is to collate and disseminate information and coordinate the various wananga and hui. Those involved include Huhana Lyndon, Piripi Moore, Nicki Wakefield, Hinemoa Pourewa, Mark Scott, Moana Tuwhare and Hinerangi Himiona.
- 20. Te Ohu Kaimahi declined your request to meet on 18 July because the agreed Hapû Assembly position is that it is for individual hapû or, where applicable, hapû groupings to update you on their progress towards settlement negotiations. The 20 July hui will provide an opportunity for those hapû participating in the Hapû Assembly to provide you with their updates.
- 21. Te Ohu Kalmahi has provided the attached report (Appendix 11) as context for you.

Other Hapû Approaches

- 22. The Hapū Assembly report notes that several hapū participating in their process have confirmed they intend to undertake their own mandating processes some beginning in the next few months. The hapū or groupings who wish to progress separate mandates (while possibly working in co-ordination with others) may include the nine hapū of Ngāti Hine, Whāngaroa Papa Hapū, Ngāti Manu, Patuharakeke and possibly Ngāti Kuta and Patukeha. At this stage, however, we are only aware of Ngāti Hine actively planning to take steps towards their own mandate process.
- 23. Patuharakeke are in the TIMA, Ngātiwai and Ngāti Whātua mandates. We are awaiting a Waitangi Tribunal decision on an application from the Patuharakeke Trust Board for an urgent inquiry into the Crown's handling of their attempts to withdraw Patuharakeke from the mandate of Te Rūnanga o Ngāti Whātua. The Crown has submitted that an urgent inquiry would be premature as the parties still have the option of undertaking a "hapū withdrawai process".

If the Tribunal declines the urgency application and a withdrawal process is undertaken that could have flow on impacts for the Ngāpuhi mandate.

Hui Information

Hui Itinerary

		Thursday 18 July	
When	Who	Where	
10:00 am - 11:00 am	Kia Anga Mua	Treaty Room 2 Waltangi	Boardroom, Copthorne Hotel,
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	James Clyde (Tühoronuku trustee for Hokianga region)	Treaty Room 2 Waitangi	Boardroom, Copthorne Hotel,
12.00 pm	Lunch - Dining Room	m, Copthorne Hot	el, Waitangi
12.30 pm - 1:30 pm	Whāngaroa Papa Hapū	Treaty Room 2 Waitangl	Boardroom, Copthorne Hotel,
1.40 pm	Drive to Whangarel		
3.00 pm - 3:45 pm	Whatitiri/Poroti	Comfort Flame Whangarei	s Hotel, 8 Waverley St, Onerahi,
3:45 pm - 4:00 pm	Drive to Ngati Hine		
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Ngāti Hine	Ngāti Hine Fore	estry Trust, 6 Vinery Lane, Whangarei
(G) N	A THE T	Saturday 20 July	
1:00 - 4:00 pm	Open hui with Ngãp	uhi	Waitaha Room, Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi

24. The following Crown officials will attend:

- a. <u>Te Arawhiti</u>: Stephen Ihaka (Cultural Advisor and facilitator); Lil Anderson (Tumu Whakarae Acting Chief Executive, Te Arawhiti) and Rachel Houlbrooke (Deputy Chief Executive, Settlements and Takutai Moana); and
- b. <u>Te Puni Kōkiri</u>: Tui Marsh (Regional Manager will attend all except the KAM hui) and Nicole Butler (Senior Analyst).

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Recommendations

48. It is recommended that you note the following attachments:

- a. Kia Anga Mua talking points at Appendix 1;
- b. James Clyde talking points at Appendix 2;
- c. Whāngaroa Papa Hapū talking points at Appendix 3;
- d. Whatatiri/Porotī talking points at Appendix 4;
- e. Ngāti Hine talking points at Appendix 5;
- f. Ngāpuhi hui talking points and run sheet at Appendix 6;
- g. Ngāpuhi mandate timeline at Appendix 7;
- h. Media Statement and Backpocket Q&A at Appendix 8;
- i. Kia Anga Mua proposal at Appendix 9;
- j. Raniera Tau response paper to KAM proposal at Appendix 10;
- k. Hapū Assembly report at Appendix 11;
- I. Whangaroa Papa Hapū correspondence at Appendix 12; and
- m. Briefing on evolved mandate and media points at Appendix 13.

Nāku noa, nā

Rachel Houlbrooke
Deputy Chief Executive, Settlements and Takutai Moana

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Appendix 1: Kia Anga Mua talking points Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi, 18 July, 10 – 11 am

Crown	Minister Little Stephen Ihaka Lil Anderson Rachel Houlbrooke Anna Galvin Nicole Butler
Kia Anga Mua	Harapeka Hohaia Nora Rameka Kaye Taylor Rudy Taylor Raniera Tau Kahu Morunga Lynette Wharerau Bob Ashby Mere Mangu Mary Anne Baker Willie Motene Shelley Naera Anna Brown Keti Solomon Hoani Walker

Mihi (optional)

E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā	To the dignitaries, the voices and
karangatanga maha o Ngāpuhi — Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa	the many associations of Ngāpuhi – greetings to you, greetings to you, greetings to you all

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Appendix 2: James Clyde talking points Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi, 18 July, 11.30 am – 12pm

Crown Minister Little, Stephen Ihaka, Lil Anderson, Rachel Anna Galvin, Tui Marsh, Nicole Butler	
Ngāpuhi	James Clyde

Tēnā koe	
Kua tae mai ahau ki te whakarongo ki tö whakaaro mo ngā take tiriti o Ngāpuhi.	I have come to listen to your thoughts on Ngapuhi treaty settlements.

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Appendix 3: Whāngaroa Papa Hapū talking points Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi, 18 July, 12.30 – 1.30 pm

Crown	Minister Little, Stephen Ihaka, Lil Anderson, Rachel Houlbrooke, Anna Galvin, Tui Marsh, Nicole Butler	
Whāngaroa Papa Hapū	Pat Tauroa, Anaru Kira and two others	

Mihi (optional)

E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā karangatanga maha o Ngãpuhi	To the dignitaries, the voices and the many associations of	
Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa	Ngāpuhi – greetings to you, greetings to you, greetings to you all	

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Appendix 4: Whatitiri/Porotī talking points

Flames Comfort Hotel, Whangarei, 18 July, 3 – 3.45pm

Crown	Minister Little, Stephen Ihaka, Lil Anderson, Rachel Houlbrooke, Anna Galvin, Tui Marsh, Nicole Butler
Whatitiri/Porotī	Taipari Munro (tbc), Hona Edwards, Millan Ruka, MNZM; Meryl Carter and two others

Mihi (optional)

E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā karangatanga maha o Ngāpuhi	To the dignitaries, the voices and the many associations of
Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa	Ngāpuhi – greetings to you, greetings to you, greetings to you all

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Appendix 5: Ngäti Hine talking points Ngäti Hine Forestry Trust, 6 Vinery Lane, Whangrei, 18 July, 4 –5 pm

Crown	Minister Little, Stephen Ihaka, L Galvin, Tui Marsh, Nicole Butler	il Anderson, Rachel Houlbrooke, Anna
Ngāti Hine	Huhana Lyndon (Te Orewai) Moe Milne (Te Kauimua) Pita Tipene (Ngāti Te Tarawa) Waihoroi Shortland (Ngāti Hine)	Mylie George (Ngāti Te Ara/Ngāti Kopaki) Ra Laupa (Ngāti Kopaki/ Ngāti Te Ara) Hineamaru Ropati (Ngāti Hine ki Waiomio) Rubina Tautari (Ngāti Kahu o Torongare) Harris Shortland (Ngai Tai Hapu) Mere Croft (Ngāti Ngaherehere)

Mihi (optional)

E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā karangatanga maha o Ngāti Hine	To the dignitaries, the voices and the many associations of Ngāti Hine – greetings to you,
Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa	greetings to you, greetings to you all

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Appendix 6: Run sheet and talking points Ngāpuhi hui Waitaha Room, Copthorne Hotel, Waitangi, 20 July, 1 – 4 pm

Crown	Minister Little, Jenny Marcroft (MP), David Seymour (MP), Stephen Ihaka (Facilitator), Lil Anderson, Rachel Houlbrooke, Anna Galvin, Tui Marsh, Nicole Butler
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Order of Events	Time	- X	
Mihi whakatau	1 pm		
Light refreshments	1.30 pm		n
Updates on progress	2 pm	<u></u>	
Minister departs	4 pm		

Mihi (optional)

E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā kerranga maha o Ngāpuhi	To the dignitaries, the voices and the many associations of
Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā	Ngāpuhi – greetings to you, greetings to you, greetings to you all

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Appendix 7: Timeline of Ngāpuhi Mandate Processes

2009 - 2010

- Tühoronuku formed as sub-committee of Te Rünanga-Ā-lwi O Ngāpuhi and holds 41 consultation hui
- Te Kötahitanga formed

2011

- Ngāpuhi recognised as 'large natural group'
- Tühoronuku mandate strategy advertised Crown received 31 opposing submissions
- Rt Hon Jim Bolger facilitation process
- Facilitation halted when Tühoronuku advertises 20 mandate hui and a vote
- 76% (5,210) support Tühoronuku mandate proposal and 24% (1,584) against
- Urgent application to Waitangi Tribunal
- Tühoronuku and Te Kötahitanga set up joint working party to address issues raised in urgent application and at mandate hui

2012

- Te Roopu Whaiti report presents differing views and recommends options be taken out to Ngāpuhi to consider
- Tukoroirangi Morgan facilitation consults with range of Ngāpuhi groups/ individuals
- Morgan report describes mutual distrust and entrenched views in leadership
- Recommends revised mandate structure
- Tühoronuku rejects Morgan report
- Ministers undertake "shuttle diplomacy" between groups

2013

- Tühoronuku accepts some of the changes sought by Te Kötahitanga
- Ministers decide to seek submissions on an amended deed of mandate
- 36% (1,249) submit in support and 63% (2,221) in opposition

2014

- Crown recognises Tühoronuku mandate subject to certain conditions
- The Waitangi Tribunal grants 15 applications for an urgent mandate inquiry
- Tühoronuku elections = 44 of 110 hapū elect hapū kaikōrero (most without hapū hui)

2015

- Further Tühoronuku elections = 69 hapü kaikõrero in total (most without hapü hui)
- Tribunal finds fundamental flaws in the mandate: if changes made could be fit for purpose

2015 - 2016

- Tühoronuku and Te Kötahitanga form Ngäpuhi engagement group (8 representatives from Tühoronuku and Te Kötahitanga), Crown provides information and administrative support
- Engagement group holds regional and urban consultation hul and w\u00e4nanga

 Maranga Mai report finalised – Tühoronuku and Te Kötahitanga commence transition process to evolve mandate

2017

- Tühoronuku executive withdraws from transition process and proposes alternative structure
- Crown suspends engagement to provide Ngãpuhi time to resolve issues

2018

- Te Rôpū Tühono formed and evolved mandate proposal developed
- Evolved mandate proposal presented to Ngāpuhi
- 4 rounds of consultation hul and high level of hapū engagement 104 of 110 hapū hold hui
- 31 hapū vote in support; 73 hapū vote against evolved mandate
- 51% of individuals vote in support; 48% against evolved mandate

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RESPONDING TO KIA ANGA MUA NGĀ HAPŪ Ō NGĀPUHI PRESENTATION

INTRODUCTION

It has been some time now since Kia Anga Mua Ngā Hapū ō Ngāpuhi (KAM) presented to the Tūhoronuku Independent Mandated Authority (TIMA) Board. As a Board we agreed to consider their proposal (attached at appendix one) and provide a response to encourage further discussion. Because of how TIMA promised a response to the KAM presentation, I offer the following thoughts and recommendations to assist in facilitating a way forward. Sitting and doing nothing for TIMA is not an option.

COMMENT

The Tühoronuku Independent Mandated Authority is the mandated entity for all Ngāpuhi, no matter where we live. In September 2011, Ngāpuhi voted overwhelmingly (76.4% of those who voted) to give their mandate to Te Rōpū ō Tühoronuku.

On 14 February 2014, the mandate Ngāpuhi gave Tühoronuku was officially recognised by the Minister for Māori Development and the Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations.

What is the Tühoronuku IMA purpose?

- Tuhoronuku IMA is mandated to represent Ngāpuhi in negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngāpuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti o Waitangi/the Treaty of Waitangi.
- The Tühoronuku IMA Trust Deed sets out how the board is to operate and be administered. It also provides for representation, decision making and accountability.

Mandate Status (2009 - 2014)

Three rounds of information sharing hui over a three-year period resulted in Tuhoronuku being given the mandate from Ngāpuhi to negotiate a comprehensive settlement (including Hapu, urban and Kaumātua/Kuia).

The government recognised this Mandate in February 2014. This is a conditional mandate.

Evolved Ngāpuhi Mandate (2018)

Following meetings with Minister Little and officials, TIMA and Kotahitanga agreed to combine efforts to consult with Ngāpuhi to amend/evolve the current mandate. Te Rōpū Tūhono was established (TIMA and Kotahitanga) to drive this process.

The main thrust of this round was to ensure that Hapū participated and voted whether or not they agreed with the evolved mandate. 31 Hapū agreed. 48 Hapū disagreed.

BASED ON THIS RESULT, TE RŌPŪ TŪHONO NOW HAS NO PURPOSE FOR EXISTING.

Page7, Te Ropu o Tuhoronuku Deed of Mandate, 2012

Official Te Ropū Tūhono Voting Results

These are the official results of the Te Rōpū Tūhono voting process and it is not as morbid a reading as it has been spun to be. Looking back through the results gives hope that Ngāpuhi are on the right track to continue its fight for settlement with the Crown. The Te Rōpū Tūhono voting process unveiled some interesting statistics;

Regions of the Ngāpuhi Mandate Voting and Results	Hapū say No	Hapū Say Yes	No Hui Called	Results Set Aside Drawn
Kaikohe/Waimate/Taiāmai Region Hapū Results	10	8	1	3
Hokianga Region Hapū Results	14	11	1	- 1
Mangakāhia Region Hapū Hui Results	2	6	-	
Pe Ote Whairangi Region Hapū Hui Results	14	4	3	1
Whangārei Region Hapū Hui Results	9	1	111	
Whangaroa Region Hapū Hui Results	19	1	1	1 Drawn Result
Totals from a total Hapū base of 110 Hapū in the Tuhoronuku Mandate.	68	31	6	4+1 Drawn Result

These Hapū voting results reveal that we have 68 Hapū who voted no to evolving the Te Rōpū Tūhono proposed advancing of the Ngāpuhi Mandate, with 31 voting yes. That was out of a total of 99 Hapū, not the 110 as some claim. There were 4 Hapū voting results set aside as unresolved with one other Hapū having a drawn result. Those Hapū were, Te Uri o Hua, Te Takotokē, Ngāti Kura from the Kaikohe/Taiamai rohe and Te Kauimua from Te Pēowhairangi. The drawn result was Ngāti Tū from Whangaroa.

In the individual voting or tangata vote results, there was a total of 6,177 individual Ngāpuhi who voted in the process. Out of those, 3,168 voted to evolve the Mandate and 2,963 voted not to evolve the Mandate. That is 51.29% who say yes and 47.97% who say no. This is incongruent with what the Hapū vote has uncovered. If 51.29% of Ngāpuhi who took part in the voting process said YES, it should naturally follow that the Hapū vote reflect that number. For that result to manifest itself, it tells us that only a limited number of Hapū members have made this crucial decision on behalf of all our Ngāpuhi Hapū. I pose those thoughts to us as we try to convince the Crown to move forward with what we have as a tūāpapa (foundation).

The voter return percentage was 19.30%, being 6,177 valid votes from a total base of 32,005 eligible voters of which 58.78 voted online and 41.22% voted by post. These results disclose a participation rate in the voting process of less than 50% of those who participated in the original Tühoronuku Mandating voting process and yet these results are being portrayed by some as a comprehensive rejection of the altering of the Mandate by Ngāpuhi and our Hapū. That for me is to draw a long bow.

It is with this background that I want to talk to the KAM presentation, which was presented to TIMA on 25 May 2019. I found the presentation enlightening and gives Ngāpuhi hope going forward with a young and vibrant team leading the discussions.

Kia Anga Mua Nga Hapū o Ngāpuhi

Kua pānui kētia e hau ngā kōrero hakataki o te KIA ANGA MUA NGĀ HAPŪ O NGĀPUHI (KAM) presentation, which acknowledges TIMA as the entity holding the mandate to represent Ngāpuhi. KAM also expressed a desire to develop a working/development relationship with TIMA in constructing a pathway to negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive settlement of all Ngāpuhi historical claims and Crown breaches against Te Tiriti ō Waitangi/the Treaty of Waitangi.

The presentation covered the following:

- The genesis of KAM, is a response to an opportunity originating from the failure of ngā Hapū o Ngāpuhi to support the Te Rōpū Tūhono concept designed to address the Waitangi Tribunal recommendations around strengthening Hapū input into the Ngāpuhi settlement process, by massaging the Mandate;
- That they are made up of the 31 Hapū who answered YES in the Te Ropū Tūhono process:
- That they are not interested in wasting the effort Tühoronuku and then TIMA went through to secure a Mandate. Appendix I provides the presentation in full some areas have been clarified since the presentation.

KAM and the 31 Hapū have remained committed to their quarterly Hapū meeting, which attracts a number of Hapū, claimants and individuals. This has provided the opportunity for a number of Hapū whom voted 'NO' in the Tūhono process, to join the 31 Hapū involved with KAM. KAM has advised those people who say that their Hapū want to join KAM, to call a meeting with their individual Hapū to confirm in writing the support of their Hapū for KAM, with copies being provided to Ministers Little, the Minister of Treaty Settlements and Kelvin Davis, Minister of Te Arawhiti or Māori relations.

In discussions with young KAM Team, this is what they desire to be discussed with TIMA; I took the time to meet with the young KAM team to gauge what it is that they are driving at and what do they want TIMA to do. These are some of their requests;

1. A change of the guard:

- Addressing the leadership debate. KAM wanted this kaupapa discussed however, they are cognisant of where the decisions currently lie, within Hapū, K/Kuia, Urban dwellers and the Rūnanga
- A change in personnel through reconfirmation or a refresh of representatives at each level, including TIMA. How could a shift in the working culture/decision making process be developed/accommodated?
- Can TIMA commit to a collaboration model building exercise with KAM?
- Can TIMA commit to working toward a consensus around kaupapa specific topics with voting being the last resort?

- Would TIMA be interested in a tech solution (between hui dialogue) as an input into final decision making? This means decisions are made only after exhaustive discussions with progressing discussions shared with a wider audience?
- Would TIMA be interested in KAM (or some organisation like KAM) independently formulating recommendations for socialising and concluding through TIMA?
- From a TIMA perspective, how do we change the public perception that only a few Hapu/ people/ organisations have the power of decision making?

2. Transparency

 Can KAM have visibility of workings and previous TIMA minutes? What mahi has been done by TIMA?

3. Contacts

KAM has asked for the TIMA contact database to share information. They are aware that there are some data sovereignty issues here and they want to debate this as another avenue of communication. KAM is also aware that TIMA guards this database jealously for fear of it being used for purposes other than moving Ngāpuhi Te Tiriti ō Waitangi Claims forward. This will add to the comprehensive young database that KAM already have?

4. TIMA Name Change

 During the Te Ropū Tūhono process there was korero about a name change to TIMA. They believe this topic should be discussed.

5. Mangakāhia and the representation of hapu.

- Can TIMA amend the mandate to have Mangakāhia as a rohe in its own right? Representation (numbers) would need to be considered as they are a smaller
- Can TIMA amend the mandate to ensure Hapu have the ability to withdraw?

6. Clarity around TRAION representation.

KAM need to understand the perspective of Hapu re: the issue with TRAION membership of TIMA and view this as a target in this process which could be attributed to slowing progress?

First of all, there is no debate that we must respond to the KAM presentation out of courtesy MY OBSERVATION and encourage them to continue to work on their ideas as they bring a younger perspective to the discussions. All the presenters are young and are all wanting to move forward with settling Ngāpuhi's grievances against the Crown for breaches of Te Tiriti o Waitangi, whatever that looks like. We must applaud their vivaciousness.

I am unsure as to whether this group totally understands the Mandate content and that if one moves too far from what is currently in that Mandate, one would have to seek a NEW

Mandate from Ngāpuhi. This is an arduous task and something that took Tūhoronuku, and then TIMA eight years to achieve. That is why I say that "doing nothing as Tūhoronuku is not an option."

I support the principles of what they are trying to achieve here, and I believe that with sharing further korero and development ideas with them, to clarify and refine aspects of their presentation, we will be able to work with this group.

I find that they have adopted the process contained in the TIMA mandate where after the Te Rōpū Tūhono voting process was behind us, the process of a refresh and/or a reconfirmation of all Hapū kaikōrero, Kaumātua/Kuia, Urban and the Rūnanga representatives, I find very sound. Once that is done, a refresh or reconfirmation of TIMA members is inevitable.

I propose that those Hapū, and their representatives who voted NO in the Te Rōpū ō Tūhono process, will need to sideline themselves, as their Hapū do not want to participate in progressing the Mandate. Although, TIMA has always been committed to leaving the door open for those Hapū who wish to come on board, there must be a point where Ngāpuhi begins their march to settlement even without all Hapū. There must however, always be an opportunity/avenue where Hapū who change their minds after observing this momentum, can opt in.

CONCLUSION

The mandate to negotiate a comprehensive settlement on behalf of Ngāpuhi sits with TIMA. It is a mandate that provides the facility for Hapu to prepare for negotiations². It is not a mandate to receive and manage settlement assets.

All avenues to prevent, amend or take over this mandate have been exhausted. It is now time for common sense to prevail. We have before us an opportunity to move forward with (KAM) and those Hapu who wish to engage in this process.

Next Steps

TIMA's position is not a compromise, it is moving forward with one mandate and allowing Hapū to manage the development of their Hapū specific settlement negotiation packages.

A. Partnership

There are no partnerships in this process; the mandate is a Ngāpuhi mandate therefore the desire of KAM to "partner" with TIMA is flawed and is not available under the current Mandate. However, working together to agree on a kaupapa going forward to execute the Mandate or an amended Mandate is something TIMA should explore with KAM;

B. Accountability

² Page 20, cl 8.5, Te Ropu o Tuhoronuku Deed of Mandate 2012.

As the current Mandate stands, KAM members sit within the TIMA mandate and is responsible and accountable to TIMA who are accountable to Ngāpuhi; this could also be a shared responsibility and we need to look at how TIMA and KAM can knit this together for the benefit of the 31 Hapū who want to move forward in the first instance, then Ngāpuhi as a whole.

C. Reconfirming representatives

The process to reconfirm or refresh Hapū kaikōrero, Kaumātua and Kuia, Urban and the Rūnanga representatives is sensible and can be done at any time Hapū feel the need. It must however be robust. The mandate already has a process in place although it does not fit with some Hapū Tikanga. If this process is altered, it must be agreed to by TIMA to safeguard against legal challenges.

D. Work Programme

Once the above have been agreed, a work-programme that provides for Hapū to prepare their respective settlement negotiation packages will be drafted. This is to be done with Minister Little's officials – they need to be in the room. This is where the Crown needs to resource the regions to complete this mahi.

E. Update Minister Little

TIMA to update Minister Little and Davis on progress; perhaps KAM members be invited to accompany TIMA delegation party on these occasions?

F. TIMA Board Makeup

The TIMA Board needs an overhaul, as the current Board is inconsistent with its constitutional requirements in that there are currently no members from the Kaikohe / Waimate / Taiāmai Rohe on the Board.

There are also Hapū kaikorero sitting on TIMA who have no Mandate anymore as their Hapū have elected not to participate in this process.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- a) That point's I- 6 on pages 3&4 above be the basis for a discussion with KAM on moving forward and protocols by which Hapū will participate in the settlement negotiations processes.
- b) That the TIMA Board agree to explore with KAM the ability for Ngāpuhi Hapū to prepare their respective negotiation/settlement redress packages within the TIMA Mandate, including assisting rohe find funding streams to carry out that mahi.
 - c) Pending the TIMA Board's agreement to work together with KAM on a way forward, that a work programme be developed by KAM for TIMA to consider.

- d) That TIMA accept the questions A-E from KAM as a working foundation for further discussions with TIMA
- e) That TIMA agree to discuss the merits of a name change for TIMA. KAM have requested this debate.

APPENDIX ONE

I copy the Kia Anga Mua presentation below. I have altered some of the wording to say what I think they mean.

INTRODUCTION/TIMATANGA KORERO

- > Kia Anga Mua believes that inspirational Leadership will unite all of Ngāpuhi.
- > Kia Anga Mua believes in giving every Hapū a voice at the taumata where the vital decisions are made.
- ➤ Kia Anga Mua believes in breaking down the perception that the Tūhoronuku mandate is not for Ngāpuhi.
- > Kia Anga Mua Ngā Hapū o Ngāpuhi (KAM) is committed to developing a model leadership that will resonate with Ngāpuhi, as the kaitiaki of Te Whakaputanga me Te Tiriti o Waitangi.
- > KAM acknowledge the dedicated mahi of the TIMA representatives and are clear that the work undertaken should not be lost. The mandate provides KAM with a starting point and an opportunity to leverage Hapū aspirations.

KIA ANGA MUA / KO WAI MĀTOU

- We are representative of the 31 Hapū that are committed to working together in progressing the negotiation of the Tiriti claims of those Hapū.
- * KAM will act as a conduit for the KAM Hapū voice, formulating recommendations to move forward.
- > KAM actively seeks opportunities to create a dialogue with and between all factions of Ngāpuhi. Broad and deep engagement is a foundational principle.

KIA ANGA MUA / MOVING FORWARD

- > Kia Anga Mua in collaboration with TIMA can breathe life into making a difference. Now.
- > The previous Evolved Mandate exercise was conducted within tight timeframes, which led to the severe misunderstanding of the value it would offer Ngāpuhi. It is our recommendation that a transitional period is conducted, this will:

- > Provide Hapū with the necessary time to refresh their Hapū Kaikorero.
- > Allow KAM to carry out the KAM Stakeholder Engagement and Communications Plan.

TŌ MĂTOU HUARAHI

Kia Anga Mua proposes to establish a Kawenata / Partnership between TlMA and KAM, forging a relationship of integrity and manaakitanga with our supporting Hapū. KAM have researched previous attempts to revise the TIMA Mandate and findings have revealed the following areas are vital to the successful uptake by Ngāpuhi:

- > The ability to uphold Ngapuhi Rangatiratanga and Mana Motuhake
- > Identify, recognise and tiaki Ngāpuhi Leadership
- > Nurture and grow Ngapuhi Hapu engagement

We believe we can strengthen those areas by incorporating a solid stakeholder engagement and communications plan to raise awareness of the following milestones and to drive the growth rate of Hapū participation numbers

Kia Anga Mua is the emerging way forward for Ngāpuhi Hapū and proposes we collaboratively approach the following milestones:

DEVELOP A ROBUST HAPŪ OPT - IN PROCESS FOR HAPŪ

A declaration of intent will be requested from all Hapū that intend progressing with KAM and TIMA.

REFRESH TIMA BOARD

We suggest a refresh or Reconfirmation of all Hapū Kaikorero, including Kaumātua Kuia, Urban representatives and the Rūnanga representative. All Hapū will utilise their own Hapū tikanga to determine Hapū Kaikorero, alongside sufficient publicity promoting the opportunity to attend those meetings.

REFRAME / EVOLVE TIMA MANDATE

KAM and TIMA work in collaboration with delegated Hapū Kaikorero and members of TIMA to design the makeup of the Mandated Authority to represent Ngāpuhi.

HE WHAKARĀPOPOTO



NGAPU

Whakatata Mai Whakakotahi Mai

TE PUNA O TE MĀTAURANGA

NorthTec, Whangarei 27 Āperira 2019, 10am



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BACKGROUND

Ngāpuhi hapū like many across the country have suffered great loss through our colonial experience.

Ngāpuhi have been a part of the largest Waitangi Tribunal Inquiry in history with over 350 claims lodged and heard over a nine year period.

During this time our whanau and hapu were able to provide voice to their tupuna for the loss suffered through the acts and omissions of the Crown.

Central to our journey to date is He Whakaputanga 1835 me Te Tiriti o Waitangi 1840 where our tupuna affirmed that we did not cede our sovereignty to the Crown. This affirmation of Hapū Rangatiratanga is the key pivot for the Hapū of Ngāpuhi in seeking meaningful redress with the Crown.

During this period Te Rôpū o Tūhoronuku was recognised by the Crown as the body authorised to negotiate a settlement of all historical Ngāpuhi Treaty grievances. While still in the Waltangi Tribunal process, Ngāpuhi hapū supported by Te Kotahitanga o Ngā Hapū Ngāpuhi sought an Urgent Hearing into the Tūhoronuku Mandate. The Waltangi Tribunal found in favour of the claimants and provided recommendations to remedy the concerns raised in the Urgency.

In February 2018, Te Rōpū Tūhono was formed to lead negotiations relating to the Ngāpuhi Treaty Settlement with the Crown. Its members were from Tūhoronuku and Te Kotahitanga o Ngā Hapū Ngāpuhi.

A revised proposal was drafted supported by Technical Advisors and a series of roadshows hosted throughout Ngāpuhi, across Aotearoa and into Australia which culminated in a final vote process for the 110 hapū listed in the Tūhoronuku Mandate and individuals who whakapapa to Ngāpuhi.

The results clearly showed the Crown that the hapû of Ngāpuhi did not accept the Evolved Ngāpuhi Mandate Proposal developed by Te Rōpū Tūhono.

The Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly is our response to the many processes we have endured as a people. Driven by local whānau, hapū leadership our assembly seeks to provide a basis for moving forward as uri and hapū of Ngāpuhi in a coordinated way which does not undermine Hapū Rangatiratanga.



Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly

Hapū members from throughout Te Whare Tapu o Ngāpuhi gathered at Te Puna o Te Mātauranga Marae in Whangārei on 27 April 2019 to discuss the prospect of unity in addressing historical Treaty claims against the Crown.

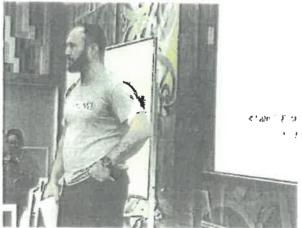
This watershed moment in the lwi's history provided a collaborative and positive step forward to working together on a pathway that would empower hapū into the future. This was the second Hui held this year and attracted more than 170 hapū participants attending from across the motu, and some even travelling from Australia; to support the Assembly.

The April Assembly was hosted by the Hapū of Whangarei Terenga Parāoa.

This assembly of hapu resulted from a karanga that occurred during the first gathering of Ngāpuhi hapu at Kohewhata Marae in Kaikohe in January of this year. The affirmation and protection of hapu rangatiratanga remained the central theme to the discussions.

This assembly is a Ngāpuhi Hapū collective focused on collaboration, cooperation and sharing of issues and potential solutions. Any strategy that emerges from this forum will need to be agreed to by the Hapū Assembly throughout the year.







The agenda for the April 2019 Whangārei Assembly looked to strengthen our shared Unity of Purpose further. It was also identified that the agreed Unity of Purpose from Kohewhata Marae was a statement of fact, and was refined by the hul in Whangārei to a clear purpose statement.

"THE HAPŪ OF NGĀPUHI HAVE NEVER CEDED SOVEREIGNTY TO THE CROWN AND NGĀPUHI WILL NEVER CEDE SOVEREIGNTY."

This refreshed Unity of Purpose is provided to hapu to now consider internally with the invitation to return to the planned Ngāpuhi Hapu Wānanga in August to provide feedback.

Hapū are encouraged to undertake their own research and where necessary seek independent legal advice on this matter.





Kohewhata Hui

Jan 2019

In December 2018 leaders from the Ngāpuhi hapū of Te Uri o Hua, Te Takotokē, Ngāti Whakaeke, Ngāti Kura and Ngāti Tautahi, whose hapū all voted against the Te Rōpū Tūhono evolved mandate proposal, put out a call to all the hapū teams of Ngāpuhi to meet together at Kohewhata Marae and discuss a plan for a new way forward.

The hapu representative for Te Uri o Hua, Ted Wihongi explained that the purpose of the hui was to work together on how the hapu of Ngāpuhi might be able to achieve a united and coordinated approach to addressing our

historical Te Tiriti o Waitangi claims.

The gathering attracted over 300 hapū members from throughout Ngāpuhi.

Discussion focused on a fresh strategy built from the flax roots of our Ngāpuhi people with the aim to provide the foundations for a united and coordinated way forward. The approach would focus on practical solutions and real change, and would not follow the 'one size fits all' mandate approach of the past ten years which has failed to secure the consent and unity of Ngāpuhi hapu.



Assembly members affirmed the collective responsibility of Ngāpuhi hapū as kaitiaki of He Whakaputanga (1835) and Te Tiriti o Waitangi (1840). They also expressed concerns about the divisiveness of the mandating process to date and the resulting dysfunction and lack of support which has resulted from it.

Mgāpuhi hapū representatives assembled at Kohewhata Marae in Kaikohe on 19 Jan 2019 agreed on the following whakatau from the hui:

- 1. **Unity of Purpose:** "The hapū of Ngāpuhi did not cede sovereignty to the Crown through Te Tiriti o Waitangi, as confirmed by the Waitangi Tribunal's Stage One Report.";
- 2. Hapū Coordination: Agreement to meet every three months;
- 3. Whakatau: "A call to the government for immediate action to withdraw recognition of the Tühoronuku Mandate". Moved: Ngāti Manu Second: Te Whiu.





OVERCOMING BARRIERS

One of the objectives of the Whangārei Assembly was to identify barriers which hinder progressing the Unity of Purpose and the aspirations of Ngāpuhi Hapū.

The assembly broke into two workshops in the afternoon session to explore these barriers in detail and suggest potential avenues to overcoming them.

In workshops the following potential areas of cooperation for the assembly of Ngāpuhi hapū were identified:

- 1. Shared Vision for the Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly;
- 2. Business Strategy for the Assembly;
- 3. Explore opportunities to support cooperation within:
 - · Allied neighbouring hapu
 - Regional Hapu Assemblies
 - Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly
- 4. Explore opportunities to formalise our hapū / collective / Ngāpuhi institutions based on hapū rangatiratanga and built upon the constitutional toundations of He Whakaputanga;
- 5. Support hapū to exercise their tino rangatiratanga;
- 6. Give effect to kotahitanga through an assembly of Ngāpuhi hapū founded upon their own tino rangatiratanga;
- 7. Collectively advocate for the completion of the Stage Two Waitangi Tribunal Report as a foundation for negotiations on local issues.

No agreement has yet been reached to advance any of these additional arenas collectively. However the themes are highlighted in this report to provide hapū and regions with an opportunity to discuss them further in their own hui and wānanga.

Hapū are encouraged utilise coming months to hui tahi and bring their thoughts on this subject to the August wānanga.



NGĀ MAHI

The Whangārei Assembly agreed to maintain contact and continue to meet throughout 2019.

Te Ohu Kalmahi

Te Ohu Kaimahi was endorsed by the Whangārei Assembly to be established as interim open working group with the following approved key tasks:

- Collate and distribute hui notes and key messages from Kohewhata and Whangārei Assemblies;
- Develop a draft Terms of Reference for the Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly and distribute to hapū for feedback;
- Coordinate and organise a Ngāpuhi Hapū Wananga and further Ngāpuhi Hapū Hui in October and November 2019.

Ngāpuhi Hapū Wānanga:

4pm, 3 August to 2pm, 4 August 2019

Otangaroa Marae Whangaroa



Whangaroa made a tono to host the Ngāpuhi Hapū Wānanga at Otangaroa Marae in August; program is currently being developed.

The purpose of the August wananga will be to clarify hapu positions and understandings of the Unity of Purpose and flesh out potential pathways moving forward.

Ngāpuhi hapū will assemble again in October and November to make key decisions and advance these kaupapa collectively.

This report is provided to hapu as a resource to support hapu hui and wananga to prepare for the August Wananga. Hapu are invited to come to the Wananga ready to share learnings, positions and solutions to overcoming barriers to our agreed Unity of Purpose.

It is important to highlight that several hapū have confirmed their intention to undertake their own mandating process which they have indicated will begin in the next few months. These efforts are an expression of hapū rangatiratanga and is supported.

It is recognised that the opportunity and need to work collectively on regional and Ngāpuhi issues is an ongoing area of work supported by both Ngāpuhi Hapū Assemblies to date.

E Ngā Hapū o Ngāpuhi

Hapū are invited to consider the following matters of importance and attend the up and coming Ngāpuḥi Assembly Wānanga and Hui with feedback:

- How do we overcome barriers identified to achieve the Unity of Purpose;
- Consider legal opinions, through your own hapū, claimant channels;
- Draft terms of reference for the Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly (to be distributed shortly);
- Hapū Perspectives on the Unity of Purpose "The Hapū of Ngāpuhi have never ceded sovereignty to the Crown and Ngāpuhi will never cede sovereignty."

He Mihi

The January and April Ngāpuhi Hapū Assemblies have been coordinated by a group of voluntary hapū kaimahi. The Assembly were funded through generous koha received through Marae, Hapū, Whānau, Individuals and Trusts to tautoko the kaupapa. Thank you to all who have contributed thus far.

Te Ohu Kaimahi will continue on with the mahi as approved at the Whangārei Assembly as a voluntary rōpū.

The communications for the collective effort of the Ngāpuhi Hapū Assembly and the working group is being coordinated through the Ngāpuhi Facebook page:

https://www.faqebook.com/Ngāpuhiwhare/

The email address for this kaupapa is whakakotahimai.ngapuhi@gmail.com

Please make contact through these channels if you are interesting in getting involved or supporting the kaupapa.



APA HAPU WHANGAROA

STATEMENTS

Mā Whangaroa a Whangaroa e korero THEREFORE

Mā Whangaroa a Whangaroa e Whakahaere

Whangaroa Papa Hapū upholds He Wakaputanga me te Tiriti o Waitangi.

Whangaroa Papa Hapū maintans that our Rangatira have never ceded our Ting Rangatiratanga or our sovereignty.

negotiate and settle Whangaroa Treaty claims against Tuhoronuku (TIMA) currently holds the mandate to the Crown.

This Mandate is disputed.

THEREFORE the Whangaroa Papa Hapu will continue its efforts, and seek to obtain a mandate from our people and our hapu to take Whangaroa through the Treaty negotiations process. To achieve this, the Whangaroa Papa Hapu will require the consent of hapu to establish a register of members/beneficiaries to enable a hapu voting process to occur

THEREFORE the Whangaroa Papa Hapu will be:

Encouraging all Whangaroa hapu to have their own hapu hui Registering as a legal entity, with a newly appointed Board made up of Waitangi Tribunal claimants and hapu members;

establish their own member registers;

identify their whakapapa and rohe

establish their own tikanga;

appoint their kaikorero and taumata kaumatua;

identify their member's specific interests, strengths

and expertise.

Then, that legal entity shall seek to hold the mandate for Whangaroa

THEREFORE

Any mandate voting process will be on the basis of a vote for the Whangaroa Papa Hapu, or any other body, who may seek to lead Whangaroa through this process.

THEREFORE the Whangaroa Papa Hapu membership will appoint or establish the Once a mandate is achieved, the Negotiations process will follow. following committees:

Executive Committee: To administer ongoing process of Negotiations;

Negotiations Team to: Negotiate Terms of Negotiations with the Crown;

focus on Commercial; Historical; and Cultural redress areas.

) Taumata Kaumatua

Research Body that will include:

Focus groups – Urban & Taawaahi links;

- Population numbers

- Shared interests across Ngapuhi

i) Mapping team

iii) Whangaroa Specific Crown breaches

iv) Lands lost

Shared interests within Whangaroa

From negotiations we expect to achieve the following outcomes:

- a. A Whangaroa Settlement Act.
- A Whangaroa Post Governance Settlement Entity.
- The ability to work with other Ngapuhi rohe on issues of mutual
- Hapu will continue to work together and develop their own whanau.
- The Crown will acknowledge that Whangaroa Maori did not cede their , sovereignty or rangatiratanga.
 - Hapū will maintain their individuality.
- Hapu members will participate through this whole process.



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Nicole Butler

Sent:

Monday, 22 July 2019 2:33 PM

To:

Samuel Mcdonald

Subject:

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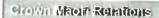
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 approaching the regional Te Puni Kökiri office as they are looking at how to configure themselves
 moving forward so they can best manage a range of kaupapa, including Treaty settlements.
- Officials at Te Arawhiti report that Minister Little will brief the Cabinet on 20 Here-turi-kôkā 2019. We
 will continue to engage with and provide further support to Te Arawhiti and will provide a further
 update to you as they prepare advice for Cabinet's consideration on 20 Here-turi-kôkā 2019.

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Sent: Thursday, 1 August 2019 4:18 PM

To: Erin Keenan; Tui Marsh; Samuel Mcdonald; Nicole Butler

Cc: Stapp, William Subject: Ngāpuhi hui notes

Attachments: Summary Ngāpuhi Hui Tonu 20 July.pdf

Kia ora koutou

A number of people have requested a summary of the Ngapuhi Hui Tonu hui so we've drafted up the attached, which the Minister has approved. Thanks very much Nicole for your excellent notes.

Ngā mihi

Maureen



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Thank you.

 Approximately 205 people attended the Ngāpuhi Hui Tonu hui on 20 July in Waitangi.

The Minister made the following comments:

- Acknowledged the challenges faced in the evolved mandate process and accepted the outcome of the vote – there wasn't enough support from Ngāpuhi.
- Clear there is no viable mandate in place.
- It was time for the Crown to take a step back and provide hapu with the opportunity to talk amongst themselves.
- Knows there have been hui and lots of k\u00f6rero.
- Heard that nothing will happen until the mandate is withdrawn.
- It would be a significant step to withdraw the mandate before that the Crown would need to know clear next steps.
- The Crown will not enter negotiations until confident with the level of support behind a mandate.
- Scheduled to update Cabinet in the next few weeks.
- Acknowledged the Crown's breaches of Te Tiriti and the significance of He Whakaputanga and Te Tiriti.
- The Crown will continue to work with Ngapuhi, however Ngapuhi need to work together because of overlapping interests and common issues.
- Some Ngāpuhi groups have said they are ready to go, however the Crown needs to honour everyone and not drive Ngāpuhi apart.
- The Crown is not seeking to divide Ngāpuhi. The Crown wants to respect Ngāpuhi in all its forms.
- Comments about the Waitangi Tribunal Stage 1 report and the need to wait for the Stage 2 report – it is unclear when the Waitangi Tribunal Stage 2 report will be available (could be 2-3 years away). This should not prevent us from talking sooner.
- Suggestion of a Ngāpuhi trust fund I won't make promises I can't keep, however nothing stopping us from being creative to make progress.
- Heard requests for:
 - o funding:
 - suggestion of Te Arawhiti working with hapū in workshops to explain Crown rules and negotiation processes;
 - o marine and costal process korero;
 - o a call from rangatahi that the Crown can do better; and
 - o earlier notice of hui.

Comments from Ngāpuhi (approx. 30 speakers) included:

- Will the Crown negotiate with hapū?
- If the settlement is broken up Ngāpuhi will feast for a while but starve forever.
- Ngāpuhi is ready to go forward.
- Where are we going and when will we move?
- The Crown started other negotiations with hapū and others followed why can't this approach be taken with Ngāpuhi?
- What is the Crown's view on whether sovereignty was ceded?
- Can we take a more collaborative approach to designing the process?
- Is funding available now?
- What does good will and mutual respect look like?
- Can there be a multi-layered approach to redress?
- Can we start by talking to the taumata?
- Will settlement be commercial and cultural or just a big apology?
- How far can/will the Crown go beyond its obligations?
- Asked for earlier notice of hui need to respect tikanga.
- Waiting for the Waitangi Tribunal Stage Two report how can we negotiate without that report?
- Why does consensus come into it? Ngāpuhi contains diverse voices.
- Will the Crown acknowledge He Whakaputanga?
- Will the Crown let Ngāpuhi take back responsibility for its people?
- Can Ngāpuhi build a 'waka haua' with the Crown and share everything and move together?
- Get rid of the TIMA mandate and start from scratch.
- Can we get our Wai numbers back?
- People are working to unite hapu.
- We need strategic thinkers, contacts and networks.
- Ngāpuhi are represented by hapū.
- Need to honour and respect mana matuhake o Ngāpuhi.
- Issues with Marine and Coastal Area claims process.
- Overlapping claims with Te Rarawa.
- Suggest money be put in a big fund for Ngāpuhi.
- Ngāpuhi are represented by hapū.
- Welcomed the Minister's statement that there is no viable mandate and that
 Ngāpuhi can start from scratch.
- Can Te Arawhiti run workshops on Crown rules and negotiation processes with hapū?
- Ngāpuhi is ready to honour He Whakaputanga and Te Tiriti.
- Can the Crown broker a relationship with the royal family to contribute funds and heal the mamae.
- Suggest women get together to form a leadership group.
- Ngāpuhi knows how to look after its tamariki.

From:

Nicole Butler

Sent:

Wednesday, 14 August 2019 11:42 AM

To:

Samuel Mcdonald

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Subject:

RE: OCMR paper for Lisa

Kia ora Sam - happy to have a first cut, but just double checking we haven't actually received a paper or the A3?

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Subject: FW: OCMR paper for Lisa

Kia ora Nicole,

We've just received a request from Lisa's office about the Ngapuhi proposed steps paper.

Should I leave this with you guys, and see if I can get any further updates from Te Arawhiti?

Nã, Sam





From:

Tui Marsh

Sent:

Monday, 16 September 2019 7:32 AM

To:

Erin Keenan Nicole Butler

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Fwd: Ngāpuhi - draft Cabinet paper

Morena Erin

On leave today but Nic is in head office.

Nga Mihi

Tui

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Kia ora Tui - thanks for this yes happy to have Nicole involved.

I'll also give you aring tomorrow for a quick chat to update on where we have gotten to. Or will you

be in head office again?

Erin.

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Kia ora Erin

Thanks for brief korero earlier today. I confirm Nicole is available to attend the meeting with Te Arawhiti alongside Katy on Monday. Appreciate time and venue details please

Nga mihi

Tui