11 January 2022

He pūkenga wai, he nohanga tāngata He nohoanga tāngata, he putanga kõrero

Tihei mauriora

Ki ngā mate o te wā, haere atu rā koutou, okioki ai ki ō mātua tipuna. Rātou ki a rātou, otirā tātou ki a tātou ngā kanohi ora, ngā hapū o tēnā pito, o tēnā pito o Te Awa Tupua tēnā koutou katoa.

This letter follows on from the one sent in November which are aimed at keeping you all informed of the various kaupapa Ngā Tāngata Tiaki (NTT) is supporting.

The e-pānui is continuing to be circulated monthly. Please ensure that the details for your marae and hapū key contacts are up to date so that you get these pānui and any other communications in a timely manner.

There have been some changes in our office and across our workstreams.

- Gerrard Albert has returned to help out on the ground here at Ngā Tāngata Tiaki having been appointed as Principal Advisor recently. Upholding Tupua Te Kawa and reinforcing its application across policy and relationship settings continues to be critical to our settlement implementation. Having Gerrard back on the team has brought some much-needed senior experience to lead this work. Gerrard will be looking at developing tools to guide decision making and training on components of Ruruku Whakatupua for our use across our Iwi, and then more broadly, across the communities of Te Awa Tupua.
- Near the end of last year, the team also welcomed Nikorima Te Ngahue, commonly known across the community as Richard. Nikorima has joined our Mouri Tūroa team led by Gordon Cribb. Nikorima will be working with the contractors we hope to engage as part of our Mouri Tūroa, jobs for nature approach.
- Te Aroha McDonnell will move from a primary focus on Environment to supporting landowner engagement in the lower reaches of the Awa for Mouri Tūroa. Please encourage your whānau who have lands bordering the Awa or its tributaries on the lower reaches of the Awa if they need fencing, riparian planting or pest and weed control, to fill in the expression of interest form (discussed further in this letter).

357 Victoria Avenue P.O.BOX 544, Whanganui 4540 (06) 281 3375 or 0800 AWA TUPUA (0800 292 8878) office@ngatangatatiaki.co.nz • Javell Ranginui is set to return in the new year after a year at MFE on secondment. The time that Javell has spent with MFE has been invaluable so its likely that we will establish an opportunity for her to remain connected to that work. This allows a two-way exchange of insights and experience where we can benefit from some of the things and specialists they have, and they can benefit from the innovation and specialists we have.

Other updates:

1. Mouri Tūroa

The expressions of interests are now open for Mouri Tūroa. There are two processes open, one for our people who are established contractors in fencing, riparian planting, pest and weed control and the other is for landowners.

Here are the links to these EOI's

Contractors please fill in the Online Expression of Interest form by clicking on <u>here</u> to submit your interest.

Landowners please fill in the Online Expression of Interest form **here** to submit your interest.

2. Hāpainga te Mana o Te Iwi.

A small but informative hui was held with our whānau at Ngāti Hau at Patiarero on November the 16th. The hui discussed the increased usage of tourists on the low stretch of the Awa. Noted concerns included the limited camp site facilities on this stretch of the Awa, leading to other issues. Concerns were raised about the Department of Conservation withdrawing some capacity from Pipiriki and the loss of this workforce out of the region. These are just a couple of things raised in what was a very informative hui. If there are any hapū wanting to hui with us, please let us know what suits you and we can come and meet.

3. NTT Trust Deed Review

The legislation provides for a review of the NTT Trust Deed within five years of the settlement date. Mana Recruitment have been engaged to advertise for an Independent Facilitator. This person will work with the hapū and iwi throughout the review process from the ground up, while remaining in line with the process of review described in the existing Trust Deed. The advertisement and details are live on the Mana Recruitment website¹ if you know anyone who may be suitable.

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¹ Independent Facilitator – Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui Trust Deed Review (maoripacificjobs.co.nz)

4. Governance essentials training

KPMG has been engaged to deliver a Governance 101 training programme in the new year. The training is aimed at supporting our Rangatakapū to build general knowledge and understanding about the role of governance. The training will cover;

- 1) Understanding legislation, constitutions (deeds, trust orders etc) and charters
- 2) Board dynamics and culture including how to get your voice heard
- 3) Board composition and a comparison of representation, democratic/elected at large and skillsbased models
- 4) Considerations when appointing to or supporting people for roles
- 5) Governance, management, and the grey zone
- 6) Understanding financial reporting in its different forms

As we have numerous hapū, unfortunately at this stage we can only accommodate for 2 Rangatakapū nominations from each hapū or marae. The training will be delivered using online workshops and everyone will be brought together for 1-day hui at the end. Please register your interest by sending your name and contact details to <u>Office@ngatangatatiaki.co.nz</u>.

In closing, I just want to wish everyone a safe and healthy Summer. Looks like 2022 will continue to bring us challenges but our resilience and adaptability always sees us overcome anything put in our path.

Nō reira, kia piki te ora ki koutou, nāku noa, nā,

Nancy Tuaine Kaihautū.

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Mouri Tūroa Expressions of Interest - Landowners

The purpose of this form is to identify landowners across the Whanganui lwi rohe who may be interested in having their lands alongside the Whanganui river or its tributaries;

- Fenced
- Riparian Planted
- Pest & Weed Control
- Nursery Development

* Required

1. Name *

Enter your answer

2. Physical address *

Enter your answer

3. Contact phone number *

Enter your answer

4. Email address *

Enter your answer

5. What river(s) or stream(s) does your land(s) sit alongside? *

Enter your answer

6. Please select what support you are seeking to receive from Mouri Tūroa *

____ Fencing



Weed Control

] Pest Control

] Nursery Development

7. FENCING

Please provide the legal description of the land blocks that you require to be fenced

Enter your answer

8. Please provide the total length of fencing that you require?

Enter your answer

9. Please identify the type of fencing you require



Standard 8-wire fence	
2-wire electric fence	
3-wire electric fence	
5-wire electric fence	
Other	

10. If you chose other, please specify the type of fencing you require

11. RIPARIAN PLANTING

Please describe the general land conditions of the proposed area for riparian planting

Steep slopes	Steep slo	
Moderate slopes	Moderat	
Flat slopes	Flat slop	
Heavy grass	Heavy g	
Light grass	Light gra	
Weeds	Weeds	
Other	Other	

12. If you chose other, please specify the land conditions of the proposed area(s).

Enter your answer		

13. Have you applied for the Horizons region riparian subsidy? *

) Yes

) No

14. WEED CONTROL

Please identify the types of weeds surrounding your land block(s)

Gorse

	Black	berry
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Other

15. If you chose other, please specify the <u>types of weeds</u> surrounding your land block(s)

Enter yo	ur ai	nswer
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16. PEST CONTROL

Please identify the predominant pest type(s)

Goat
Deer
Possums
Mustelids (weaslels, stoats)
Other

17. If you chose other, please specify the <u>type(s) of pests</u> surrounding your land block(s)

Enter your answer

18. HEALTH & SAFETY *

Are there any known or potential risks and hazards?

Fallling trees or objects
Deep Gorges
Underground cables
Traps/ Poisons in the area

Other			

19. If you chose other, please specify the <u>type(s) of hazard(s) and/ or potential</u> <u>risk(s)</u>

Enter your answer			

20. Do you have any further questions or queries within Mouri Turoa?

Enter your answer	/er
Submit	
Submit	
ever give out your passwor	word. <u>Report al</u>

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Mouri Tūroa - Expression of Interest from Experienced Contractors

The purpose of this form is to gather expressions of interests from experienced contractors who are working in the Whanganui region in;

- Fencing
- Riparian Planting
- Pest & Weed Control

* Required

1. Contracting Company Legal Name *

Enter your answer

2. Entity Type (i.e Sole Trader, Registered Company etc...) *

Enter your answer

3. Registered Place of Business *

Enter your answer

4. Contact Name *

Enter your answer

5. Email Address *

Enter your answer

6. Telephone *

Enter your answer

7. Alternative Contact Details *

Enter your answer

8. Hapū/ Marae associations (if applicable)

Enter your answer

9. Please identify your work availability i.e the duration of this contract which you are able to participate in...

Enter your answer

10. Please describe the types of activities your business has experience in *

Enter your answer

11. This project will be based in the Whanganui River and its tributaries. Please select which you are able to work in *



- Middle Whanganui (Whakahoro to Pipiriki)
- Lower Whanganui (Pipiriki to Whanganui)
- In-land tributaries towards Ruapehu
- In-land tributaries towards Taranaki
- 12. Please select the type of work your business is capable of contracting for *

Fencing	

] Riperian planting

Pest control

Weed control

13. For each field of work you have identified, please provide further detail of your business' experience (i.e length of time and experience in your field) *

Enter your answer

14. If you identified riparian planting, does your land require benching (bulldozer use) for riparian fencing?

🔵 Yes

🔵 No

15. Please provide at least **THREE** relevant references form recent and completed contracting work First Reference *

Enter your answer

16. Second Reference *

Enter your answer

17. Third Reference *

Enter your answer

18. Please add any further details you may like us to know (Not Required)

Enter your answer

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