Kia Ora

Notice of Election of Trustees - Call for Nominations

Nomination Form

You can download the nomination form from: *www.electionz.com/Ngatihaua/NomForm.pdf* or by scanning the QR code.

Te Whiringa Kākaho o Ngāti Hāua Trust (**the Trust**) is the PSGE entity established to receive, manage, hold and administer Trust Assets on behalf of and for the benefit of present and future Members of Ngāti Hāua in accordance with Trust Deed.

The Trust is currently governed by Seven (7) initial Trustees. The initial Trustees' term of office ends at the successful completion of this election process. In this first election, nominations are called to fill all seven (7) Trustee positions. At least three (3) of the successfully elected Trustees must be Resident (at least 50% of the year) in the Ngāti Hāua Area of Interest. The elected Trustees will take office at the conclusion of the AGM in December.

The Trust now calls for nominations from Adult Registered Members of the Trust for the Seven (7) available Trustee positions.

Nominations must be made on an official nomination form and submitted in full to the Returning Officer by the **close of nominations at 5pm on Thursday 10 September 2026**.

Candidates must meet the eligibility criteria set out in rule 2.1 of the Second Schedule of the Trust Deed. The Trust will give further notification of the election process after nominations have closed.

Hui ā-Iwi - Candidates' Forum

Following the close of nominations a Hui ā-iwi will be held. Open to all Adult Registered Members for the purpose of a candidates' forum where the nominees will be required to present to those Adult Registered Members in attendance.

All candidates are required to attend (in person or online). The Hui will be held in-person and online at: **10am on Saturday 10 October 2026 at the Ngāpuwaiwaha Marae, Taumarunui**.

Voting

Where more nominations are received than available positions an election will be held via postal and online voting. Voting will open on Monday 2 November 2026 and voting will close on **Friday 4 December 2026**.

New Registrations and updates

The Trust also takes this opportunity to invite all adults of Ngāti Hāua descent who have not already registered, to do so by completing a registration form. Registration forms and nomination papers can be sourced from the Returning Officer using the details included in the letter.

To be eligible to vote in the Trustee election, registrations must be submitted to the Trust by 5pm on Thursday 10 September 2026. All registrations are subject to the Trust's standard validation process.

Registrations can also be completed online at: ***ngatihaua.iwi.nz/register/***

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