~ Our Vision ~ Tātau Tātau o Te Wairoa: He Iwi Motuhake, He Tāngata Ōranga Ake

Pānui # 6	
June 2017	



E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā Kārangaranga Iwi, Hapū, Whānau, Marae o te rohe o Te Wairoa, tēnā tātau katoa.

<u>He kupu whakataki</u> ~ Matariki ahunga nui, Matariki tāpuapua, Matariki hunga nui, Ngā kai a Matariki, Nāna i ao ake ki runga. *When Pleiades the gatherer is bright in the sky the year begins*.

<u>Iwi and Hapū of Te Wairoa Claims Settlement Bill – Select Committee</u> ~ Submissions made through the Select Committee process has resulted in the recommendation of only technical amendments to the Settlement Bill by OTS. OTS remains firm on no substantive change to the Settlement Bill to ensure consistency with the Deed of Settlement ratified and signed in 2016. We will keep you posted on progress toward the 2nd reading but with a General Election looming in late September it may mean early 2018 before our 2nd and 3rd reading of the bill. Here is the link to 'How a bill becomes law' so you can follow the various stages our bill will pass through before it becomes an Act of Parliament, http://tinyurl.com/mo67flw

<u>Key Point Summary</u> ~ Your Tātau Tātau trustees met 17th/18thJune in Wairoa. Here is a summary of development under the four Ohu work programmes since <u>Pānui 5</u>:

1. <u>Work Plan</u> Johnina Symes Carwyn Jones Moana Rongo Huia Huata Pauline Symes Pieri Munro	 The Work Plan Ohu is leading our discussion to finalise presentation content for the 1st engagement hui. The presentation themes are likely to be: History & Context – Ratification, DoS Signing, First Reading Work Plan – Values, + Principles + Aspirations ~ Concepts. Timeline – Key Dates Going Forward Questions & Answers – How to Feedback We are planning nine 1st engagement hui over August 2017. Just like the July/August 2016 ratification hui we hope to have live-streaming in place at each of the venues to extend our reach to Ngā Iwi me Ngā Hapū o Te Rohe o Te Wairoa. Further info will be on our web-page closer to August. What you tell us at the 1st engagement round is absolutely critical to help shape TToTW thinking on our future representative structure (currently 7
2. Engagement	 x Kāhui/Clusters) and about asset ownership arrangements. We will use the Tātau Tātau o Te Wairoa (TToTW) web-page to keep you nested of confirmed 1st opportunity datas times and uppure. Web page
<u>Plan</u>	posted of confirmed 1 st engagement dates, times and venues. Web-page link - <u>http://www.ttotw.iwi.nz/</u>
Apiata Tapine Heta Kaukau Oha Manuel Huia Huata Richard Niania Darren Beatty Pauline Symes Pieri Munro	 Times and venues will be posted on the web-page, once confirmed. The following places and dates are tentative: Wairoa, 04/08/17 Napier, 05/08/27 Wellington, 06/08/17 Rotorua, 11/08/17 Hamilton, 12/08/17 Auckland, 13/08/17 Invercargill, 19/08/17 Christchurch, 20/08/17

	• The Engagement Ohu is reviewing the members registration form particularly given recent requests from Marae and kāhui wanting information that members have approved on their registration forms to be shared.
3. <u>Settlement</u> <u>Matters</u> Carwyn Jones Heta Kaukau Oha Manuel Carmen Morrell Phil Beattie Johnina Symes	 Our focus (with legal advice where needed) is to continue working with OTS and others to anticipate and overcome any impediments to our bill becoming law. TToTW continues to be proactive in seeking to establish a strong working relationship going forward with both neighbouring iwi entities and local government partners. One of key settlement redress matters yet to be finalised, the Social and Economic Revitalisation Strategy (SERS) is one of the main focuses that the Ohu will be concentrating on over the coming months.
4. <u>Operational</u> <u>Services</u> Darren Beatty Johnina Symes Carmen Morrell Pieri Munro	 The Trust Deed (clause 14.2(b)) provides for the remuneration of interim trustees. Legal and professional advice was sought to assist trustees in this process and to ensure that the remuneration set was fair and equitable across the board. Relative to its current and projected (2 year) operating requirements, TToTW has sanctioned appropriate financial, human resources, administrative and operational policy and procedures. We look forward to the appointment of our new Transition/Project Manager. It's a critical role that following an initial induction, will quickly assume administrative and operational responsibility for some of our Ohu activity.

<u>Transition/Project Manager position</u> ~TToTW is working with Jackson Stone recruitment agency. We received 18 applications which has been reduced to 6 after initial consultation with the agency. TToTW is impressed with the high calibre of the applicants. The next step will be applicant interviews which if successful should lead to a July appointment and a contract start late in July/August.

<u>Kaumātua Council</u> ~ TToTW is seeking 2 nominees from each kāhui/cluster to form a Kaumātua Council (clause 4.1 of the Trust Deed). Your elected trustees will guide and support you through this process. This brings a source and critical pool of knowledge to the assistance of TToTW that helps maintain a wise and firm grasp of our language, traditions and whakapapa. All nominations are required before 30 August 2017 to enable an inaugural meeting of the Kaumātua Council before the end of September this year.

<u>He aha $\overline{o}u$ whakaaro?</u> ~ Anticipating our 1st engagement hui we continue to ask probing questions, open-ended – encouraging full and meaningful answers to stimulate discussion:

- Q 1. Tell us if and why your aspirations have changed since 2012? The values and principles that underpinned your aspirations ~ to what extent do those hold true today?
- Q 2. What do you consider to be a successful, vibrant, economic and sustainable future? And, Tell us how you think Tātau Tātau can help to make this happen.

Nā mātau,

Tātau Tātau o Te Wairoa Trustees