



Ngāti Kahungunu Iwi  
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## **NKII BOARD WORKSHOP AND MEETING SUMMARY**

**THURSDAY 28 - FRIDAY 29 APRIL 2011**

**WAIRARAPA**

### **ANNUAL PLANNING 2011-2012**

The Board endorsed the strategic priorities for the next 3 years, and the iwi office work plan for 2011/2012. The following areas of focus continue to be of high priority, Cultural Development, Social Development, Economic and Political Development.

### **SPECIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

The Board acknowledged Tuahine Northover who recently passed away. Kaumatua (Joe) Northover was a giant totara in Kahungunu and contributed greatly to the wellness of the iwi. He will be greatly missed.

Whanau who continue to suffer the effects of the Christchurch earthquake - Ka aroha ki a koutou.

### **TE REO TIKANGA AND MĀTAURANGA**

Preparations are underway for Te Wiki o Te Reo Trivia nights being held in each rohe. This will take place in the 1st week of July.

A successful Kaumātua Hui was held at the end of March. Discussions focused around the upcoming Koroneihana celebrations in August, the Māori Battalion Service that was held on Anzac Day, the upcoming Tākitimu festival, increased iwi support of Te Matatini and a need to learn karakia specific to Ngāti Kahungunu.

### **FISHERIES**

A new Kahungunu Whata (Pātaka) system has been implemented.

Inaugural WAI Wānanga will be held on Friday 13th May, hosted by Ruahapia marae.

Two more Wānanga are planned and will be hosted in Wairarapa and Wairoa.

“Turned Mesh Net” testing trial began in April.

E-Fish Training of Tāngata Kaitiaki will start on 28th May, with a session at The Eastern Institute of Technology.

Please contact the Fisheries Management Unit if you would like to learn more about any of these initiatives.

### **KAITOKO WHĀNAU**

Kaitoko whānau workers currently working with 39 whānau.

Rangatahi Tobacco Free Summit planned to take place on 1st June.

The development of 'Hau te Kura' is underway and is a Kahungunu Child care plan from conception to birth. A solution focused response to our violence free position as an iwi.

#### **KAHUNGUNU INNOVATION CENTRE**

Plans are underway to work with a team of passionate Kahungunu people to develop a plan forward.

#### **KAHUNGUNU ASSET HOLDING COMPANY QUARTERLY REPORT**

The Company provided a Strategic Plan and Statement of Intent (SOI) 2011-2012. The objectives of the company are to maximise the financial return on the commercial assets of KAHC, build a sustainable capital base for the future and build intergenerational wealth for Ngāti Kahungunu. Hapū members who would like to provide comments on the SOI of the KAHC are invited to do so through their local NKII Board representative by 20<sup>th</sup> May.

#### **TE MATAU A MAUI TRUST APPPOINTMENTS**

The C E provided process for the appointments. 10 nominations were received, with 3 names being recommended as the Iwi representatives.

#### **SUPPORT SERVICES**

A total of 111 scholarship applications were received with 98 general applicants and 13 research applicants.

The Haka & Hangi Festival as part of the Rugby World Cup is generating a lot of interest.

#### **GIS**

Kahungunu ki Wairarapa gave a presentation on the development of their Māori Geospatial Information System (MGIS).

The NKII Board supported the continuation of the project.

#### **KAHUNGUNU MAORI SPORTS AWARDS**

A proposal was received from Sport HB/He Oranga Poutama regarding the Kahungunu Maori Sports Awards. There has been a shift in the scope of the He Oranga Poutama programme which makes it less appropriate for Sport HB/He Oranga Poutama to take the lead as the primary organisers for the awards. The board supported the proposal for NKII to become the main event organizers with Sport HB taking a more secondary and supporting role for the event.

#### **TU MAI REVIEW**

An update and presentation was given by Ngatai Huata. The Tu Mai Mission Statement and Values are being revised. The Board was challenged by iwi representative Ngatai Huata to get feedback from their respective Taiwhenua to her by the 20<sup>th</sup> May 2011.

## **TAIWHENUA REPORTS**

### **WAIROA**

Wairoa continues to focus on environmental issues facing their rohe, whānau hapū i.e. the regions storm water strategy and concerns around pollution etc.

Wairoa Taiwhenua Board members are also representatives with Te Whare Wananga o Awanuiarangi. Te Reo Hui/Wānanga are being held at marae.

### **KAHUNGUNU KI TAMAKI NUI A RUA**

A two day Whakapapa wānanga was successfully held in Wairarapa. Robin Potangaroa facilitated and it was well attended by whānau including rangatahi, Kaumātua young parents.

Tihei Kahungunu Wānanga are being held at marae and an agenda is set for the next six months.

A Kaumatua group has been pulled together.

### **KAHUNGUNU KI WAIRARAPA**

Environmental land swap at Wairarapa Moana was highlighted.

A Geospatial Information System has been developed.

Wairarapa Moana Exhibition and Waka is currently being exhibited at the Aratoi Museum and closes 7<sup>th</sup> May.

### **TE WHANGANUI Ā OROTU**

A night market has been initiated to bring the whānau together. It started on the 29<sup>th</sup> April.

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