



NGAITAI
IWI AUTHORITY

Te Awa Kōrero

Pānui-a-marama
Here- Turi- kōka

Toi Rāwhiti Community-led commissioning

It is with great excitement that we share that Toi Rāwhiti has been selected by the Social Investment Agency to enter the discovery and design phase of community led commissioning. This has been a collective effort of Ngāi Tai, Te Whānau ā Apanui and Te Whakatōhea marking a significant milestone in the evolution of locally-led decision making in Aotearoa. This kaupapa brings together iwi, hapū, community organisations, and local leaders to explore new ways of designing and delivering services that are led by our communities, for our communities.

The design phase provides an opportunity to identify local priorities, strengthen relationships, and develop approaches that reflect the aspirations, strengths, and lived experiences of whānau across Toi Rāwhiti. Through engagement, collaboration, and shared decision-making, we aim to help shape a model that supports better outcomes and greater community wellbeing for future generations. We look forward to working alongside our partners and communities as this important kaupapa progresses.



Rehua Nuku Ora bus in Torere

The Rehua Bus will be returning to Tōrere Marae each month, providing podiatry checks and ear checks for our community. This service is free and no appointment is required. If you, a whānau member, or someone you know could benefit from these services, we encourage you to come along. Please share this information with your whānau and friends. The Rehua Bus will be at the marae on Tuesday 8 September.

Register at the Runanga

Linda Steel has been hard at mahi trying to get all our whanau registered! The rūnanga is open every Wednesday from 11am-2pm to help whānau update their Beneficiary Roll details, register new beneficiaries, and answer any questions. Keep an eye out for upcoming registration campaigns and help us encourage your wider whānau to enrol on the Beneficiary Roll and participate in local and central government elections

Join Our Team

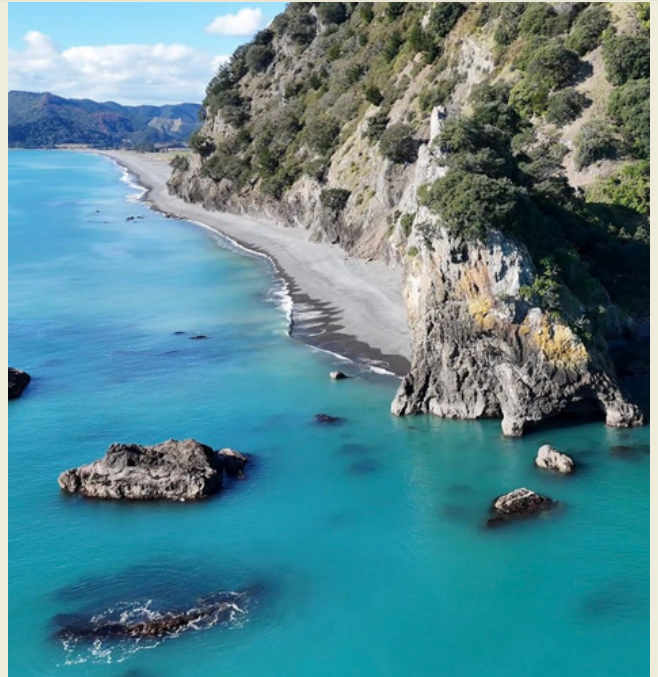
Directorship Positions

We are seeking experienced Directors to join the boards of Te Hinahina, our housing company, and Te Kumukumu, our fisheries company. We are looking for people who bring strong governance, strategic thinking, and relevant commercial or sector experience, alongside a genuine commitment to Ngāi Tai iwi and our future aspirations.

These are important roles that will help guide the direction of our housing and fisheries interests and support positive, sustainable outcomes for our people and future generations. If this opportunity interests you and you have the skills, experience and passion to contribute, we would love to hear from you. Please get in touch to find out more.

IMPB Board Position

We are currently seeking a person to represent Ngāi Tai on the Iwi Māori Partnership Board (IMPB). This board was legislated under the Pae Ora Healthy Futures Act 2022 to ensure that iwi Māori voices aspirations and priorities are embedded into health planning services and that the crown gives effect to its obligations under Te Tiriti o Waitangi. If you are interested, please get in touch.



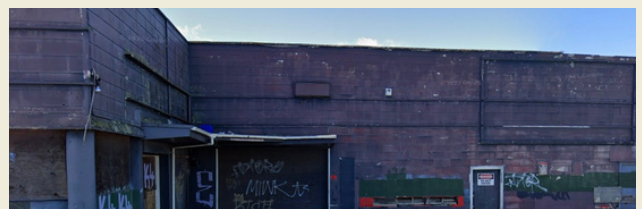
Takaputahi access

For Tōrere and Ngāi Tai whānau wishing to access Takaputahi, please get in touch for more information and an access form. To help us manage access safely, permission is required before entering the site.



Blue Shed Update

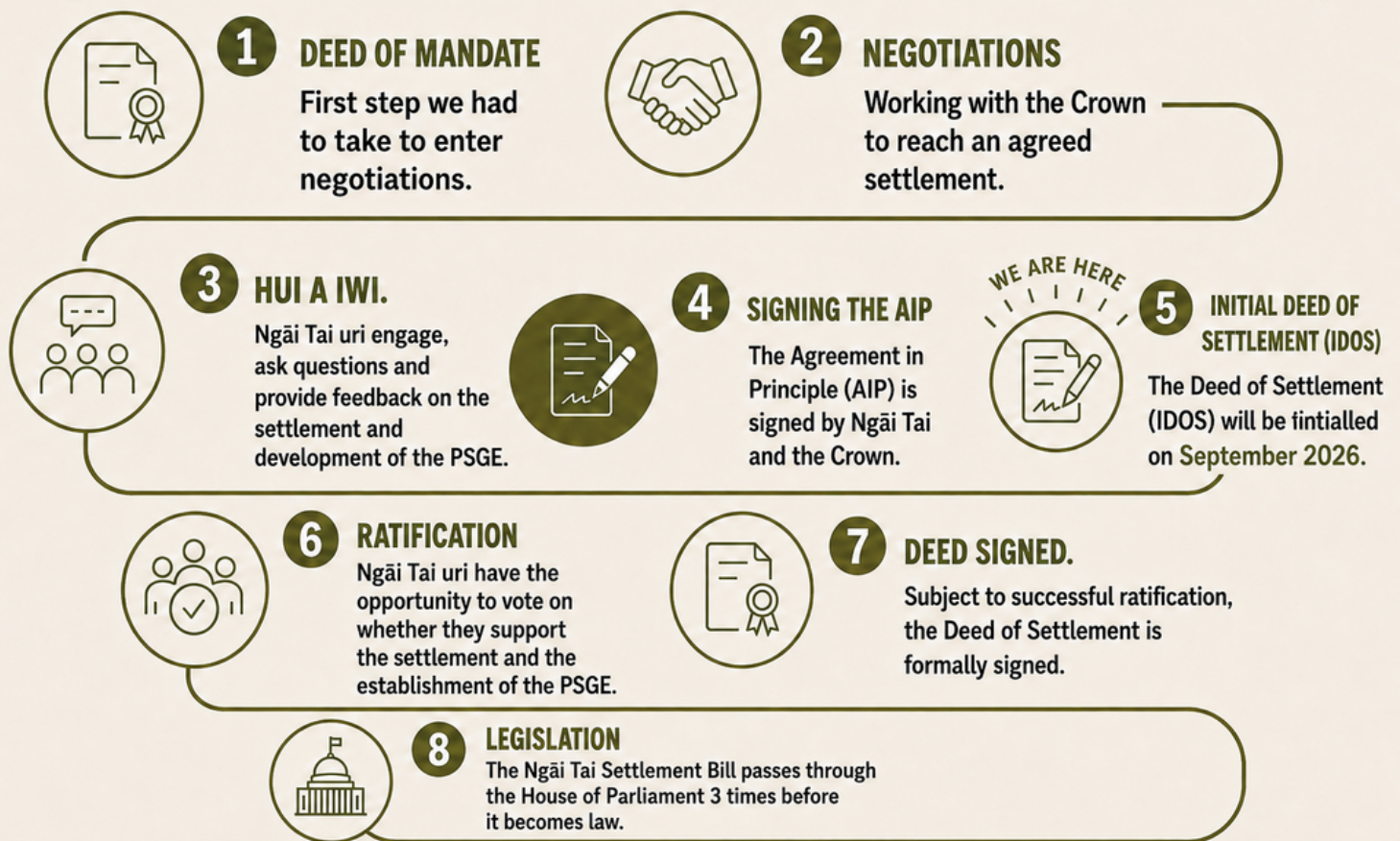
Asbestos has been removed, with demolition being carried out by Waiotahe Contracting. Selected items have been tagged for repurposing, while the remaining materials will be removed and recycled.



Negotiations update

The Treaty settlement process is a journey that involves many stages, with opportunities for Ngāi Tai whānau to be informed and have their say along the way. Following the approval of our Deed of Mandate, Ngāi Tai entered formal negotiations with the Crown. Negotiations have been supported by regular hui ā iwi, where our whānau have had opportunities to hear updates, ask questions and provide feedback. See the timeline below to see which stage we're at now.

THE STAGES OF SETTLEMENT



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