



“Mo te hunga kua wehe, Mo te hunga ora, Mo te hunga kei mua”

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CHAIRMANS REPORT

Ngati Manawa, tena tatou katoa.

Firstly, I would like to pay tribute to the Christie and Paikea whanau, who have recently lost their loved one's.

He Maimai aroha ki a koutou
E te whakaruruhau, e te whaea, e nga rangatira ma
Ko o mahi aroha, ka mau tonu, ka mau tonu,
Pumau koutou ki roto i nga whatumanawa mo ake tonu,
Okioki atu ra i roto i te mahana, i te manaaki o to tatou Ariki

This report provides an update of the current activities for the month ending 31 August 2019:

2019 TRONM AGM

Our annual AGM will now be held on **Saturday the 28th of September 2019 at the TRONM office.** Our Hui will start at 10am and finish at 1pm. The agenda will be as follows.

1. Karakia
2. Mihimihi
3. Apologies
4. Previous minutes and matters arising
5. Annual reports
6. Constitution amendments /Trust Deed changes
7. Trustee Elections

Should the AGM have to be postponed due to unforeseen circumstances it will be rescheduled to Saturday the 5th October 2019.

We do apologize for the change in date. We originally had the AGM Hui set down for Saturday the 21st September with the backup date being Saturday the 28th September.

However, because we missed the timeline of advertising the AGM within 20 working days to when the hui is to be held as per the trust deed, it was recommended via legal advice that we move the hui one week out to accommodate the 20-day timeframe.

Review of the Trust Deed Changes

Our legal advisor Kiri Tahana has made some significant and important changes to our Trust Deed. The purpose of the review aligns with the changes we have made to the organization and will allow the Trust Deed to be more current and will reflect the activities and aspirations of Ngati Manawa into the future.

Changes such as the language in the Trust Deed have been updated to modernize it and remove historical references that were previously relevant only in pre settlement context.

Changes that the board are seeking that need your approval will be presented to you at the AGM to discuss and approve.

Tuna Heke Trap and Transfer

We are in discussions with Southern Generation to negotiate a long-term contract (5 years) for elver trapping and transfer. The team are now putting a proposal with a budget together on the best way to carry out Te Tuna heke for our taonga.

Upcoming Council elections 2019.

With nominations closing on the 16th August for the mayor, councilor and community board member seats it is very important that our people vote in these next council elections.

If we want change to happen in our ward, then we need to get our whanau voting and voting for someone we believe is going to do the best for Ngati Manawa and our community.

Education Grants

The Tertiary grants were paid out to iwi members along with the secondary school grants. Secondary school grants went to their nominated school bank accounts; we wish you all well with the remainder of your school studies.

Finally, this Sunday will be Father's Day. On behalf of the runanga we wish all you an awesome and wonderful day, we hope you are spoilt by your tamariki and your moko's.

Nga mihi ki a koutou katoa.

**Kani Edwards
Chairman
TRONM.**