



## ELECTION OF TRUSTEES FOR NGĀ TĀNGATA TIAKI O WHANGANUI

**2 AUGUST 2018  
ELECTIONS UPDATE**

### **Spelling error**

On Wednesday 1 August 2018, the Trust learnt that the printed version of the Candidate Profile Booklet that had been posted to uri contained a spelling mistake (“Candiate” rather than “Candidate”). The Trust apologises for this spelling error in the hard copy versions sent out to registered members. The Trust acted immediately to correct the online version of the Candidate Profile Booklet and as a result between 6.00 p.m. and 7.00 pm on Tuesday 31 July 2018, there was a ‘glitch’ with the link to the Candidate Profile Booklet from the Ngā Tāngata Tiaki website. **It is important to note that the ‘glitch’ on the Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui website had no effect on the electionz.com voting portal and electronic voting has remained open and fully functional throughout.**

### **Candidate withdrawal**

The Trust is aware that the number of confirmed candidates that were listed in the public notifications in newspapers and online from the 18<sup>th</sup> of July, and those that are featured in the Candidate Profile Booklet sent out on Monday, do not match.

In circumstances beyond the Trust’s control, one (1) of the candidates opted to withdraw their nomination after the public notices were approved. Registered members will note that the Candidate Profile Booklet and voting paper now list eleven (11) candidates standing for the four (4) available Trustee positions rather than the twelve (12) candidates originally notified.

The Trust apologises for any confusion that this might have caused and welcomes members to contact the Returning Officer should they require further clarification.

### **Reminder**

A reminder that postal and electronic voting has opened as at Monday 30 July 2018 and will close at 12 noon on Wednesday 29 August 2018.

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