



## IMPLEMENTATION PLAN - BUILDING TO 2024

### Te Mana o Te Awa

KEY FOCI: Te Awa Tupua Status	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
Internal relationships with whānau, marae, hapū and Iwi of Whanganui nui tonu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Encourage cohesion, maintaining and strengthening relationships and supporting Te Mana o Te Iwi led action and solutions to achieve Mouri Ora, Mouri Awa, Mouri Tangata</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing</li> <li>Number and nature of hui undertaken with whānau, marae, hapū</li> <li>Relationship database</li> </ul>
Inter-iwi across the Iwi of Te Awa Tupua; Ngā Rauru Kītahi, Ngāti Apa, Ngāti Maniapoto, Ngāti Maru	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Supporting cohesion across the breadth of Te Awa Tupua, maintaining relationships keeping people connected and informed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing</li> <li>Number and nature of hui</li> <li>Relationship database</li> </ul>
External relationships with entities who have policy and planning functions that impact on Te Awa Tupua; Ruapehu District Council, Stratford District Council, Whanganui District Council, Horizons Regional Council	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Build an understanding and commitment to Te Awa Tupua beyond legislative compliance to reflect a meaningful relationship for the benefit of the awa and the people.</li> <li>Monitor the actions and activity of the Councils to ensure they are compliant with Tupua Te Kawa.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quarterly hui</li> <li>Number of hui required to address matters related directly to use, management and impact issues</li> </ul>
External relationships across the community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Build understanding and awareness of Tupua Te Kawa and Te Awa Tupua across communities that ensures the people and communities of Te Awa Tupua are committed to its health and wellbeing</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Record the nature and extent of engagement</li> <li>Report on key themes emerging from community engagement</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Te Pou Tupua	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
Te Pou Tupua nomination and appointment process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintain cohesion and connectedness across the Iwi of Te Awa Tupua to ensure the appointment process of Te Pou Tupua is upheld.</li> <li>Ensure that the nominations process achieves joint agreement with the Crown for the final appointments of Te Pou Tupua</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support nomination process 3 yearly</li> </ul>



<p>Support the Office of Te Pou Tupua to ensure they have what they need to help Te Pou Tupua fulfil their purpose, functions, and powers.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engage regularly with Te Pou Tupua ensuring they have relevant information about matters relating to Te Awa Tupua Status and Tupua Te Kawa</li> <li>When requested ensure Ngā Tāngata Tiaki supports Te Pou Tupua with any matters related to the landowner functions that they hold</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ongoing engagement with Office of Te Pou Tupua</li> <li>Attendance as requested at Te Pou Tupua meetings</li> <li>No. of times support provided on landowner functions</li> </ul>
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KEY FOCI: Te Karewao	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
<p>Appoint a representative to Te Karewao on behalf of the NTT Trustees and when required help coordinate the other appointments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An open process is undertaken to gather interests in Te Karewao on behalf of NTT.</li> <li>Liaise with other Iwi with interests in the Whanganui River regarding the Te Karewao appointment.</li> <li>Liaise across the relevant local authorities regarding their appointment to Te Karewao.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Conduct a EOI process for NTT Te Karewao as required by vacancy or direction of Te Pou Tupua</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Te Kōpuka	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
<p>Actively participate and fulfil all obligations as a member of Te Kōpuka and provide leadership where required to ensure the cohesion of all parties involved</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Act collaboratively to advance the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua</li> <li>Ensure that Ngā Tāngata Tiaki is supporting the development of Te Heke Ngahuru.</li> <li>Uphold any responsibilities accorded to the group as a result of Government legislation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participate in the Te Kōpuka meetings</li> <li>Provide 6 Monthly updates to NTT Trustees on progress</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Te Heke Ngahuru	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
<p>Provide leadership to the development and maintenance of Te Heke Ngahuru.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Support the hapū voice through the development and ongoing implementation of Te Heke Ngāhuru</li> <li>Ensure Te Heke Ngahuru provides for and addresses equity for whānau, hapū and iwi of Te Awa Tupua</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participate in and report on the progress of Te Heke Ngahuru</li> <li>Level of engagement across the different forums</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Kia Matara Rawa	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
<p>Keep abreast of the matters related to the vesting of the bed and any rights and interests not addressed at the time of settlement.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintain accurate knowledge of the rights and interests accorded to land vested in Te Awa Tupua</li> <li>If required address any matters arising from the acts or legislation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Record the number, nature and extent of matters progressed</li> </ul>



	of the Crown not previously provided for in the vesting	
<b>KEY FOCI:</b> Ngā Ritenga Whakaū	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Timeframe/Measurement</b>
Ensure Ngā Tāngata Tiaki is aware of, and addresses, any matters arising from the other arrangements relating to Te Awa Tupua	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work with the Office of Te Pou Tupua on matters related to the protection of the name</li> <li>• Develop and maintain a register of commissioners for Te Awa Tupua</li> <li>• Maintain the register</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accurate record kept on outcome of any Te Awa Tupua name requests</li> <li>• Register reviewed annually by the Trustees</li> </ul>
Where required provide advice and support to Te Pou Tupua where a consent authority determines they are an affected person in resource consents applications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Build relationships and understanding of Te Awa Tupua and Tupua Te Kawa that normalises the way people and communities engage with Te Pou Tupua prior to applying a consenting regime on activity or use</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Level and amount of support provided on resource consents applications</li> </ul>



<b>KEY FOCI: Ngā Ritenga Whakaū</b>	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Timeframe/Measurement</b>
Activities on the Surface of the Whanganui River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Convene hui and collate a collective agreement from whānau, hapū and iwi on the management of Te Awa Tupua</li> <li>• Work with whānau, hapū, iwi and communities on the implementation of agreed activities and parameters for the management of activities on the Whanganui River</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• River activities plan completed, agreed, and implemented by mid 2022</li> </ul>
Fisheries and Customary Food Gathering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Seek input from hapū and iwi on the establishment of a fisheries coordination group</li> <li>• Ensure the hapū and Iwi interests and rights related to Fisheries and Customary Food Gathering are provided for in the fisheries co-ordination group</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fisheries co-ordination group established by 31 March 2022</li> </ul>
Taonga Tuturu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• develop and maintain a process for dealing with any taonga tūturu found in the Whanganui River</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accurate record kept of all taonga found in the Whanganui River</li> </ul>
<b>KEY FOCI: Connecting Flows</b>	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Timeframe/Measurement</b>
Contribute to the reconnection of flow and restoration of mouri on the nga manga iti affected by the western diversion of the Tongariro Power Development scheme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support Te Whawhaki and the Genesis Relationships Group restoration work reconnecting flows on the Taurewa, Okupata and Tawhitikuri</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Connecting flows established by 31 Dec 2022</li> </ul>
<b>KEY FOCI: Mouri Tūroa</b>	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Timeframe/Measurement</b>
Implement Mouri Tūroa the 4 year jobs for nature approach of Ngā Tangata Tiaki	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete first year of implementation of Mouri Tūroa</li> <li>• Prepare and complete a four-year implementation plan</li> <li>• Whānau and hapū participate and lead initiatives to fulfil Mouri Turoa</li> <li>• Mouri Tūroa initiatives established and self-sustaining by Dec 2024</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Contract signed August 2021</li> <li>• Contract progress and achievements reported to the Trust 6 monthly</li> <li>• Report at the AGM on the progress of Mouri Tūroa</li> </ul>
<b>KEY FOCI: Restoration and monitoring</b>	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Timeframe/Measurement</b>
Support the development of restoration and monitoring work led by whānau, hapū and kura	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Whānau, Hapū, Tamariki and Mokopuna are contributing to the health and wellbeing of Te Awa Tupua</li> <li>• Whānau, Hapū, Tamariki and Mokopuna are strengthening their connection with Te Awa Tupua</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Report annually on the number of projects and initiatives supported</li> </ul>



## Te Mana o Te Iwi

KEY FOCI: Rangahau a Tāne, miroi e Tāne	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
The right to carry out authorised customary activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engage with hapū and the iwi to define customary activities beginning with the activities outlined in the act</li> <li>Support the development of protocol and processes required to carry out the activities</li> <li>Ensure the broader community are informed of the customary activities and aware of the protocols and processes.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>First initial list of activities identified before 31 March 2022</li> <li>Protocols and processes established and the broader community informed 30 June 2022</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Te Pākurukuru	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
Establish Te Pākurukuru an ongoing relationship with the Crown as described in Ruruku Whakatupua.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop and agree on a relationship document that defines the commitments of Te Pākurukuru</li> <li>Establish mutually agreed outcomes that enable accurate measurement of progress achieved through the relationship</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Te Pākurukuru established by 30 June 2022</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Te Rautaki o Te Whawhaki	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
Support Te Whawhaki to implement Te Rautaki o Te Whawhaki 2020 to 2040	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The role and responsibilities of Ngā Tāngata Tiaki are agreed in a Service Level Agreement</li> <li>Ngā Tāngata Tiaki commit the necessary personnel and resources required to perform the annual commitments of the Service Level Agreement</li> <li></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Service level agreement in place and reviewed annually in line with the financial year</li> <li>Te Whawhaki provide feedback to the Trust on the achievement of the Service Level Agreement</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Te Ngākinga	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
Support the operational needs of Te Ngākinga	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The role and responsibilities of Ngā Tāngata Tiaki are agreed in a Service Level Agreement</li> <li>Ngā Tāngata Tiaki commit the necessary personnel and resources required to perform the annual commitments of the Service Level agreement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Service level agreement in place and reviewed annually in line with the financial year</li> <li>Te Ngākinga provide feedback to the Trust on the achievement of the Service Level Agreement</li> </ul>
KEY FOCI: Empowering hapū	Objectives	Timeframe/Measurement
Support hapū to build capacity and capability required to achieve their aspirations for	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Facilitate shared learning and capability building opportunities across the iwi</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Annual plan identified with Te Runanga o Te Awa Tupua</li> </ul>



Mouri Ora, Mouri Awa, Mouri Tāngata	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collaborate with the others to resource hapū led development</li> </ul>	
<b>KEY FOCI: Whanganuitanga</b>	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Timeframe/Measurement</b>
Ensure the Whanganui Iwi Register is an accurate for engagement and connecting uri and	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ngā Tāngata Tiaki can disseminate important and connect uri with opportunities and benefits</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Annual register audit conducted to assess register accuracy</li> </ul>
<b>KEY FOCI: Trust and Confidence</b>	<b>Objectives</b>	<b>Timeframe/Measurement</b>
Empower the whānau, hapū and iwi to engage in the review of Ngā Tāngata Tiaki Trust Deed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Develop a plan for the Trust Deed review and engage an independent facilitator to initiate discussions across the iwi</li> <li>Ensure Te Matua a Rohe, Te Rūnanga o Te Awa Tupua, Te Pae Matua and Whagnanui iwi generally and engaged and consulted on the review</li> <li>Receive a report from the independent facilitator outlining any recommendations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The review must be initiated by the August 2022</li> <li>The Trust shall confirm any amendments according to the Fourth Schedule of the Trust Deed</li> </ul>