



Ngāti Kahungunu
ki Wairarapa Tāmaki nui-a-Rua Settlement Trust

TRUST DEED REVIEW FEEDBACK FORM

We are reviewing our Trust Deed to ensure that it has strong, fair governance practices and standards, and complies with all legal requirements. The Trust Deed must be a relevant, living document that meets current best practice and is legally robust. It must be fit for purpose and serve our Ngāti Kahungunu ki Wairarapa Tāmaki-nui-a-Rua uri well.

We need input from our registered members to get it right. Your feedback will help inform proposed amendments before resolutions are put to adult registered members for voting at a Special General Meeting in 2027.

Please send us your feedback by **5pm on Friday, 27 November 2026**. You don't need to respond to all the questions, only the ones you would like to comment on.

For further information on the Trust Deed Review, check out our Information Booklet on our website: [Trust Deed Review: Hui Information Booklet](#)

Privacy Statement

This feedback form (including name and contact details) may be provided in their entirety to Trustees unless you tell us to redact your information (refer consent below). We will not make this information public at our offices or on our website without redacting name and contact details. All information collected will be stored securely, with submitters having the right to access and correct personal information.

Only adult registered members can vote on proposed amendments to the current Trust Deed; therefore, we are only accepting feedback from registered members. Asking for your name on this feedback form will enable us to check that you are registered on the iwi database.

I would like my name and contact details to be redacted from my feedback form

☐ Yes ☐ No

YOUR DETAILS

Name		Hapū Karanga	
Registered? Y/N		Contact details	

WHAT MATTERS MOST IN OUR TRUST DEED?

	Very important	Important	Somewhat important	Not important	Unsure
Fair hapū representation	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Transparency and reporting	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Member participation and consultation	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Te ao Māori, tikanga, reo Māori and cultural outcomes	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Financial distributions, grants and dividends	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Trustee skills, eligibility and appointments	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Decision-making and accountability	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Registration integrity / whakapapa records	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Hapū, marae and whānau development	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Careful protection of settlement assets	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

PLEASE TELL US HOW STRONGLY YOU AGREE WITH THE FOLLOWING:

	Strongly agree	Agree	Somewhat agree	Strongly disagree	Unsure
The Trust Deed should clearly reflect uri, hapū and iwi aspirations.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Trust Deed should set clear rules to avoid disputes.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Trust Deed should support hapū and marae development.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Trust Deed should support cultural and language revitalisation.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The current model of 12 Trustees is still appropriate.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Trust Deed should be stronger to ensure the elected Trustees have the right skills and capabilities.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
The Trust Deed should be clearer in managing Trustee remuneration expectations.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

WHAT CHANGES WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE IN THE TRUST DEED?
Please tell us why you would like these changes

WHAT SHOULD NOT CHANGE IN THE TRUST DEED?
Please state why you would not like this change to be made.

Refer to section 22 of the Trust Deed for information on what cannot be changed: [Trust Deed](#)

LEGAL REVIEW RECOMMENDATIONS

An initial legal review was completed in 2022, with updated recommendations made in late 2024. Please indicate your level of support for the legal review recommendations provided to us. Use the comment column for any changes, concerns or conditions you want considered.

Recommendation	What this means	Support	Unsure	Comment
Incorporate the Trust	Limit Trustee personal liability and support efficient asset management.	☐	☐	
Independent Trustee option	Allow appointment of an independent Trustee	☐	☐	
Cultural development investment	Allow cultural investments that may not deliver commercial returns.	☐	☐	
Subsidiary performance monitoring	Clarify how Trustees monitor subsidiary performance.	☐	☐	
Trustee Code of Conduct	Strengthen accountability and role expectations.	☐	☐	
Election integrity / "waka jumping"	Protect fair representation and process during election periods.	☐	☐	
Tidy terms and redundant matters	Update wording and references to current law.	☐	☐	

ANY OTHER FEEDBACK, IDEAS OR QUESTIONS ABOUT THE TRUST DEED?

Ngā mihi nui i ōu whakaaro!

Send us your completed feedback form in one of the following ways:

- Email: administration@kkwtnr.org.nz
- Drop off: Level 4, Departmental Building, 35-37 Chapel Street, Masterton, 5810
- Post: PO Box 756, Masterton, 5810