

What is Nga Waihua o Paerangi ?

As part of the Ngāti Rangi settlement, Te Tōtarahoe o Paerangi Trust was established to receive and manage the settlement redress, on behalf and for the benefit of Ngāti Rangi. On the 15th of September 2018 and by resolution of the Board Members, the name Ngāti Rangi Trust was changed to Ngā Waihua o Paerangi Trust.

Founding vision of Nga Waihua o Paerangi

On 19 September 2009, Ngāti Rangi launched its strategic plan, determining a vision for the iwi that reaches across all its work and decision-making.

*Kia mura ai te ora o Ngāti Rangi ki tua o te 1,000 tau
Ngāti Rangi continues to vibrantly exist in 1,000 years*

What is Whiria Nga Hua?

Whiria Nga Hua is an enterprise fund that represents that whanau have the solutions within them; direct local funding invests in whanau to define the issues that are critical to them. Whiria Nga Hua, is able to fund kaupapa that responds to the needs of whānau.

What are the opening and closing dates of the application?

Whiria Nga Hua will be opened on 6 September 2024 running until 6pm; 27 September 2024.

What is the maximum amount of funding available in Whiria Nga Hua?

The funds will be for a maximum of \$10,000 per application set against the range of criteria determined to maximise whānau outcomes (see below).

What is the context for proposals to be assessed in Whiria Nga Hua?

1. **Impact:** that the initiative will contribute to thriving whānau;
2. **Viability:** that the idea can be delivered;
3. **Local level solutions:** does the initiative have credibility and confidence with local landscape and/or regional environment? (ie is it Kainga focused)
4. **Inter-generational transmission:** that the initiatives recognise the link and role of each generation both past present and future;
5. **Collective identity and ownership** is the focus rather than individual needs;

What are the criteria that proposals need to demonstrate in Whiria Ngā Hua?

Initiatives must demonstrate their understanding of the following outcomes:

Ngāti Rangi Principles (choose two)

- **Ko te Kāhui Maunga te mātāpuna o te ora** : We understand that the Kāhui Maunga is the source of our origin and well-being as Ngāti Rangi
- **Me karioi te noho** : We understand that we, as Ngāti Rangi, are here forever
- **Kia mana ai ngā kōrero tuku iho** : We understand that the teachings of our tūpuna are upheld
- **Ko te anga whakamua ki āpōpō**: We understand that decisions must be future focused.

Te Kawa o Whānau Ora (choose three)

- **Ngakau Maori**: A Maori heart. Whanaungatanga; aroha, manaakitanga, whakapapa and wairuatanga. Ability to show and feel love, compassion and empathy for whānau
- **Mana Motuhake**: All whānau must be at the centre of all Whānau Ora work; to encourage, support and facilitate independence, self-determination and autonomy
- **Tūmanakohanga**: Hopes, dreams and desires; the values of wellness; solution focused and strengths based
- **Tūhono**: To join, bond, attach or connect; to create and maintain connections; to balance these relationships in a way that promotes wellness for whānau.
- **Ngā Hua**; all work with whānau must be aligned to a particular outcome, the fruits
- **Matataki**: the ability to advocate fiercely on behalf of whānau; to challenge, to be proactive.

What is the emphasis area in Whiria Ngā Hua 3?

- Census 2023 told us that the median age of the Māori population is 27.2 years. Whiria Ngā Hua 3 is looking to particularly focus on encouraging and investing in initiatives by, for and with rangatahi and rangatakapu. We encourage proposals in areas such as:
 - Te Reo, tikanga and kawa
 - Te Taiao (the environment) including Rongoā
 - Ngā Mahi Toi - Traditional and contemporary arts (Whakairo, Raranga, Design, Photography, Videography, Multi-media)
 - Hauora
 - Iwi/Māori development
 - Maturanga (including education)
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What is Whānau Ora?

- Whānau Ora is an inclusive approach to support whānau to work together as whānau, rather than separately with individual family members.

What if an applicant is under 18 years of age?

Contracts entered into by a minor (those aged under 18) generally can't be enforced (ie we can't force you to do what you had promised in the contract) unless the court or the Disputes Tribunal thinks the contract is fair and reasonable. Applicants who are under 18 years of age will need an adult over the age of 18 years of age to act as your guarantor/mentor.

What if I need help filling in my application ?

Please contact WNH@ngatirangi.com. We encourage collective applications if you want to submit a proposal on behalf of your whānau.

What if have problems with completing a written application ?

We are happy to accept a video application, or you could request a face to face meeting with the assessment panel if you believe it would strengthen your attempt.