

PART OF THE MINISTRY OF JUSTICE

Ngati Rangi Trust

NOTIFICATION OF DEED OF MANDATE FOR TREATY SETTLEMENT NEGOTIATIONS

The Office of Treaty Settlements (OTS) invites submissions, views or inquiries concerning Ngati Rangi Trust's Deed of Mandate for the settlement negotiations of the historical Treaty claims of Ngati Rangi. Submissions must reach OTS no later than Saturday, 7 June. All correspondence will be subject to the Official Information Act 1982. Submissions can be mailed to the Manager, Settlement Development Team, Office of Treaty Settlements, SX 10111, WELLINGTON; or emailed to OTS subs@justice.govt.nz

All submissions will be provided to Ngati Rangi Trust.

The Ngati Rangi Trust Deed of Mandate and supporting documents are available on the Office of Treaty Settlements website: www.ots.govt.nz

Ngati Rangi Trust is seeking to enter into Treaty negotiations with the Crown for the comprehensive and final settlement of all Ngati Rangi historical Treaty of Waitangi claims. The proposed settlement will require ratification by Ngati Rangi before a Deed of Settlement is signed with the Crown.

The Deed of Mandate refers to the nine publicly-notified mandate hui convened by the Ngati Rangi Trust between 9 February and 19 February 2013. The mandate hui were held in Karioi, Ohakune, Auckland, Hamilton, Wellington, Hastings, Whanganui, Palmerston North and Christchurch. Voting was carried out by postal ballot and by secret ballot. The ballots were collated and counted by independent scrutineers. 99.51% per cent of those who participated voted in favour of the resolution to mandate the Ngati Rangi Trust to negotiate Ngati Rangi's historical claims.

The claims to be negotiated by the Ngati Rangi Trust are all claims, whether registered or unregistered, that arise from Crown actions and omissions that occurred prior to 21 September 1992, including, but not limited to: Wai 151, 277, 467, 554, 569, 1250, 1263, 2205 and 2275. Wai claims to be negotiated also include Wai 48, 81, 146, 221, 759 and 1632 insofar as they relate to Ngati Rangi.

The Ngati Rangi Trust is seeking a mandate to represent all persons of Ngati Rangi who descend from the ancestors listed below, including those who can affiliate to the marae or hapu below.

NGATI RANGI ANCESTORS

Paerangi-i-te-Whare-Toka (also known as Paerangi or Paerangi-o-te-Moungaroa); and, one or more of Taiwiri (including her three principle children: Rangituhia, Rangiteauria and Uenukumanawawiri), Ururangi or Tamuringa.

NGATI RANGI HAPU

Ngai Tuhi Ariki, Ngati Hioi, Ngati Parenga, Ngati Rangi-ki-tai, Ngati Rangihaereroa, Ngati Rangipoutaka, Ngati Rangiteauria, Ngati Rangituhia, Ngati Tongaiti, Ngati Tui-o-Nuku and Uenukumanawawiri. Ngati Patutokotoko is included as a shared hapu to the extent that members of Ngati Patutokotoko descend from Ngati Rangi ancestors.

NGATI RANGI MARAE

Kuratahi Marae Kainga, Mangamingi Pa, Marangai Marae, Maungarongo Marae, Mote Katoa Pa, Nga Mokai Papa Kainga, Raetihi Pa (Te Puke), Raketapauma Marae, Tirohia Kainga, Tirorangi Pa, Tuhi Ariki Pa and Waitahuparae. Marae in this list are not exclusively Ngati Rangi and can be included in the claimant definition of other Large Natural Groupings.

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