

30 June 2017

Judge Caren Fox
Presiding Officer
Porirua ki Manawatū Inquiry
Waitangi Tribunal
WELLINGTON

Tēnā koe e te Rangatira

Wai 2200: Crown Forestry Rental Trust Research Update

1. In its Memorandum-Directions of 18 January 2016 (Wai 2200, #2.6.14), the Waitangi Tribunal asked parties to file quarterly research updates. These updates are to cover:
 - (a) research completed, to date;
 - (b) newly-commissioned research;
 - (c) upcoming filing dates;
 - (d) research hui; and
 - (e) any other relevant information.
2. The Crown Forestry Rental Trust (the **Trust**) filed a research update on 3 April 2017 (Wai 2200, #6.2.61) informing parties of revised milestone dates for a number of Trust-commissioned research projects due to several factors including the Archives NZ closure in late 2016/early 2017.
3. Since that update, there has been significant progress on the Trust-commissioned research projects for the Porirua ki Manawatū Inquiry. Several draft and final reports have now been submitted and distributed to Approved Clients and claimants.
4. However, it has been necessary to extend the timeframes for several other projects. The Trust now expects the Trust-commissioned technical research programme to be completed in November 2017.
5. This is the 13th research update from the Trust.

Research Completed, to Date

6. The Inland Waterways Cultural Perspectives Final Report has been completed and will be distributed shortly.
7. The Local Government Issues Final Report has also been completed and will be distributed next week.
8. Correspondence will be sent to Approved Clients and claimants with the final research reports advising the date that the Trust intends to file these on the Wai 2200 Record of Inquiry. This correspondence will also advise the date by which any feedback on filing must be received.

Trust-Commissioned District Overview Technical Research Projects

9. A brief summary of each of the technical research projects commissioned by the Trust is set out below. This sets out draft and final report due dates, and any other relevant information.

Environmental and Natural Resource Issues

10. The Environmental and Natural Resource Issues Draft Report, prepared by The Vaughan Wood Research Cluster (led by Dr Vaughan Wood), was distributed in March 2017 to Trust Approved Clients and claimants for review and comment. Hui to discuss the draft report are being held today in Feilding and Ōtaki.
11. The final report due date has been extended slightly to **31 July 2017**.

Public Works Issues

12. Bassett Kay Research (led by Heather Bassett) is undertaking the Public Works Issues report for the Inquiry. The Trust and Ms Bassett recently agreed to a further contract variation to extend the milestone due dates for this project. This was necessary due to the significant amount of time required to construct the public works takings database which entails reviewing a large number of Gazette notices, survey plans and other source material. The draft report is now due on **29 September 2017**. The final report and final Public Works Takings Database is now due on **20 November 2017**.
13. The next milestone for this project, being Progress Report 3 and the draft database, is due for submission on 14 July 2017.

Block Research Narratives

14. Walghan Partners (led by Tony Walzl) are responsible for undertaking the Block Research Narratives project, which is an overview technical research assistance project. The draft Block Research Narratives report was distributed electronically last week.
15. Due to the recent discovery of previously unidentified source material at the Whanganui Māori Land Court, the Trust and Walghan Partners have agreed to extend the due date for the final Block Research Narratives project. The final milestone is now due on **31 August 2017**.

Inland Waterways Cultural Perspectives

16. Te Rangi (managed by project leader Aroha Spinks) has been commissioned to prepare two reports concerning inland waterways for the Inquiry - the Cultural Perspectives Report and the Inland Waterways Historical Report (discussed below).
17. The Inland Waterways Cultural Perspectives Final Report will shortly be distributed.

Inland Waterways Historical

18. Te Rangi is also responsible for preparing an Inland Waterways Historical Report. The draft Inland Waterways Historical Report was submitted on 28 April 2017 and was distributed to parties shortly thereafter. Hui to discuss the draft report are being held today in Feilding and Ōtaki.
19. The final report is now due on **11 August 2017**.

Local Government Issues

20. Suzanne Woodley was commissioned to prepare a Local Government Issues report. Ms Woodley submitted the final report earlier this month and this will be distributed to Approved Clients and claimants electronically next week. Hardcopies for Approved Clients will also be arranged.

Mapping for Overview Technical Research Projects

21. Mapping has now been contracted for all of the Trust-commissioned overview technical research projects, apart from the Public Works Issues project. Mapping for that project will be contracted in due course as the draft report due date approaches.

Trust-Commissioned Ngāti Raukawa and Affiliated Iwi/Hapū Historical Issues Research Projects

22. The four Trust-commissioned Historical Issues Projects are specific to Ngāti Raukawa and affiliated iwi/hapū. As such, as set out in the Trust's previous updates, progress reports pertaining to these projects are not provided to the wider Wai 2200 distribution list. Any claimants who are of Ngāti Raukawa and/or affiliated iwi/hapū and who have not been receiving updates on these projects are requested to contact Nicola Kiri Smith as soon as possible (see paragraph 40 below for contact details).
23. A brief summary of each of the Historical Issues projects is set out below. This details upcoming milestones, draft and final report due dates, and any other relevant information.

Historical Issues Project 1: Custom, Colonisation and the Crown, 1820 - 1900

24. Professor Richard Boast is the historian undertaking Historical Issues Project 1. The Custom, Colonisation and the Crown Draft Report was distributed electronically last week and hardcopies will be arranged for Approved Clients shortly. A revised draft report is now due on **1 September 2017**. The final report is now due on **1 November 2017**.

Historical Issues Project 2: Crown Action and Māori Response, Land and Politics 1840-1900

25. The Crown Action and Māori Response, Land and Politics 1840-1900 project is being undertaken by ARRK Ltd (Dr Robyn Anderson is the lead historian and Rachael Selby is the ARRK Director).
26. The draft report was received last week and is currently undergoing assessment. It will be distributed to parties shortly. The final report due date is currently **31 July 2017**, however this may be extended slightly to allow time for feedback and consultation hui to occur.

Historical Issues Project 3: Māori Aspirations, Crown Response and Reserves 1840-2000

27. Dr Paul Husbands is undertaking the Historical Issues Project 3 concerning Ngāti Raukawa and affiliated iwi/hapū reserves in the district. Due to other work commitments, the scope of the project, and delays with files from Archives NZ becoming available, the timeframes for this project have been extended.
28. The draft report is due on **1 September 2017**. The final report is due on **3 November 2017**.

Historical Issues Project 4: Rangatiratanga versus Kāwanatanga, 1890-2000

29. ARRK have also been commissioned to prepare a report concerning Rangatiratanga versus Kāwanatanga. Dr Grant Young is the lead historian on the project, which provides an overview of land management issues and land loss, and discusses whether leadership was assisted or thwarted in its attempts to exercise rangatiratanga.
30. The Rangatiratanga and Kāwanatanga Draft Report was received on 27 February 2017 and has been distributed to parties. Hui to discuss the draft report were held in Feilding and Ōtaki on 9 April 2017.
31. The final report will be submitted and distributed next week.

Mapping for Ngāti Raukawa and Affiliated Iwi/Hapū Historical Issues Projects

32. Mapping has now been contracted for all of the Trust-commissioned Ngāti Raukawa and affiliated iwi/hapū Historical Issues projects.

Overview of Project Milestones

33. **Appendix 1** sets out an updated schedule of all Trust-commissioned district overview technical research projects for the Porirua ki Manawatū Inquiry, including due dates for progress reports, and the draft and final reports. All claimants are welcome to participate in the district overview technical research projects.
34. **Appendix 2** sets out a full schedule of all Ngāti Raukawa-specific Historical Issues research projects, including due dates for progress reports, and the draft and final reports.
35. **Appendix 3** sets out the milestone due dates for all Trust-commissioned projects for the Porirua ki Manawatū Inquiry (except Approved Client-specific Oral and Traditional History projects) in a timeline format for ease of reference.

Trust-Commissioned Oral and Traditional History Projects

36. The Draft Tūmatanui Oral and Traditional History report by Peter McBurney was submitted on 9 June 2017 and has been distributed to members of Tūmatanui Incorporated Society. The Trust is currently working with Tūmatanui to finalise arrangements for a research hui to be held on 9 July 2017. The final Tūmatanui Oral and Traditional History Report is still scheduled to be completed in **July 2017**. It will then be up to Tūmatanui to file the final report on the Record of Inquiry.

37. Anthony Patete (Te Pātete Ltd) recently completed an Oral and Traditional History Scoping Report for Tū Te Manawaroa. A full set of confidential recommendations for a substantive Oral and Traditional History report for Tū Te Manawaroa has been provided.
38. Te Hono ki Raukawa commenced their substantive Oral and Traditional History project in July 2016. This project is making good progress and is still scheduled to be completed in **December 2017**.

Research Hui

39. On 9 June 2017, after consultation with Approved Clients and the researchers, Trust staff confirmed that two research hui will be held today, **Friday 30 June 2017**, to discuss the Inland Waterways Historical Draft Report and the Environmental and Natural Resource Issues Draft Report. A further pānui was distributed on 16 June 2017 confirming the arrangements as follows: :

Feilding Events Centre
10-12 Bowen Street, Feilding
12pm – 1.30pm

Ōtaki Memorial Hall Supper Room
Main Street, Ōtaki
7pm – 8.30pm

Trust Staff

40. Nicola Kiri Smith is the Trust's Funding & Contracts Manager (Research) responsible for overseeing the six district overview technical research projects and the four Historical Issues projects, as well as the operations contracts for Approved Clients in the district. Nicola is also the responsible for facilitating the Tūmatanui Oral and Traditional History project. Nicola can be contacted at nicola-kiri.smith@cfrt.org.nz or via phone 027-544-1699.
41. Kathryn Rose, Funding & Contracts Manager (Research), is responsible for facilitating the Trust-commissioned Oral and Traditional History projects for Tū Te Manawaroa and Te Hono ki Raukawa. Kathryn can be contacted at kathryn.rose@cfrt.org.nz or via phone 027-516-7823. Please note that Kathryn's work hours are from Monday – Wednesday.
42. Clinton McMillan is the Trust's Mapping Facilitator for the Porirua ki Manawatū Inquiry. Clinton can be contacted at clinton.mcmillan@cfrt.org.nz or via phone 029-916-7834.
43. If the Tribunal or other parties have any questions about this update, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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Director Funded Services



APPENDIX 1: Schedule of Remaining Trust-Commissioned District Overview Research Milestones

Project	Contractor	Milestones	Due Date
Environmental and Natural Resource Issues	The Vaughan Wood Research Cluster (Principal: Dr Vaughan Wood)	Final Report	31 July 2017
Public Works Issues	Bassett Kay Research (Principal: Heather Bassett)	Progress Report 3 Progress Report 4 Draft Report Final Report	14 July 2017 11 August 2017 29 September 2017 20 November 2017
Block Research Narratives	Walghan Partners (Principal: Tony Walzl)	Final Report	31 August 2017
Inland Waterways Historical Report	Te Rangitāwhia Whakatupu Mātauranga (Project Leader: Aroha Spinks)	Final Report	11 August 2017

APPENDIX 2: Schedule of Remaining Trust-Commissioned Ngāti Raukawa-specific Research Milestones

Project	Contractor	Milestones	Due Date
Historical Issues Project 1: Custom, Colonisation and the Crown 1820-1900	Professor Richard Boast	Revised Draft Report Final Report	1 September 2017 1 November 2017
Historical Issues Project 2: Crown Action and Māori Response, Land and Politics, 1840-1900	ARRK Ltd (Director: Rachael Selby & Lead Historian: Dr Robyn Anderson)	Final Report	31 July 2017
Historical Issues Project 3: Māori Aspirations, Crown Response and Reserves, 1840-2000	Dr Paul Husbands	Draft Report Final Report	1 September 2017 3 November 2017
Historical Issues Project 4: Rangatiratanga versus Kāwanatanga, 1890-2000	ARRK Ltd (Director: Rachael Selby & Lead Historian: Dr Grant Young)	Final Report	3 July 2017

APPENDIX 3: Timeline of Remaining Milestones - Trust-Commissioned Research for Porirua ki Manawatū Inquiry¹

Project	Jun 2017	Jul 2017	Aug 2017	Sep 2017	Oct 2017	Nov 2017
Environmental & Natural Resource Issues		Final 31 st				
Public Works Issues		PR 14 th	PR 11 th	Draft 29 th		Final 20 th
Block Research Narratives			Final 31 st			
Historical Issues Project 1				Revised Draft 1 st		Final 1 st
Historical Issues Project 2		Final 31 st				
Historical Issues Project 3				Draft 1 st		Final 1 st
Historical Issues Project 4		Final 3 rd				

¹ PR = Progress Report.