APPENDIX B - proposed hearing plan (updated 20 March 2026)

Claimant group or witness	Time estimate (days or hours)	Comments
Hearing Week 9 (Public Works) – 8 – 12 June 2026, dates confirmed and planning underway		
Coordinating Counsel – Jacki Cole, Barrister / Sykes & Co		
Bassett and Kay – Public Works	1 day	
Dr Vaughan Woods – Environmental report	0.5 day	
Wai 1795 Tāwhiri Williams, Ngāti Rua	0.25 day	
Wai 864 Motuhora Quarry	0.25	
Mark Derby – Ngai Tamahaua oral & traditional history report	0.5 day	
Wai 87, Wai 1794 Turangapikitoi Hapū	0.5 day	.
Wai 558 Ngati Ira	1 day	
Wai 558 Ngati Ira including Site Visit	0.5 day	
	Total 4.5 days	
Hearing Week 10 (Social Issues & Economic Development)		
Coordinating Counsel – Tukau Law		
Walzl – *Economic Development report*	1 day	
Wai 1781 Ngai Tama	0.25	
Wai 1920 Wolfgramm economic development claim	0.25	
Wai 1884 – Ngati Ngāhere (Tukau)	3 days	
Wai 87	0.5 days	
	Total 5 days	
PART 2 (non-thematic and remaining evidence)		
Hearing Week 11		

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Co-ordinating counsel – Bryce Lyall / Hannah Swedlund		
Te Upokorehe: claimant evidence Wai 1092 (B Lyall) Wai 1787 (B Lyall) Wai 3272 (B Lyall) Wai 1758 (B Lyall)	4.5 days	
Paul Husbands, *Upokorehe Tribal landscape*	0.5 day	
	Total 5 days / full week	
Hearing Week 12		
Co-ordinating counsel - TBC		
Te Upokorehe: claimant evidence Wai 1092 (B Lyall) Wai 1787 (B Lyall) Wai 3272 (B Lyall) Wai 1758 (B Lyall)	2 days	If additional hearing time is required for claimant evidence
Wai 1781 Ngai Tama	0.25 day	Remaining evidence
Wai 203 Mokomoko	0.25 day	Evidence on contemporary claim and relief
Wai 78 Ngāi Tai	2 days	Pōwhiri, site visit, ngā kōrero tuku iho evidence
	Total 4.5 days	
Hearing week 13 - Ngai Tai		
Coordinating Counsel – Oranganui Legal		
Wai 78	5 days / full week	Technical and thematic evidence
Week 14	**Crown hearing**	
Week 15	**Closing hearing**	