Status of CFRT-commissioned Research projects for Wai 45 Renewed Muriwhenua Land Inquiry at 6 June 2026.

#	Report	Author/s	Completion date	Status/Notes
1	Te Paatu Scoping Report	David Armstrong	February 2022	Completed. Filed on record.
2	Te Paatu ki Kauhanga Wāhi Tapu and Portable Tāonga project	Ben Leonard and Sunrise Archaeology Ltd	August 2024	Completed. Filed on record.
3	Te Paatu Customary Interests Project	Ben Leonard and James Eruera	17 July 2026	Completed. In copy-editing. Available 17 July 2026.
4	Te Paatu Mapping of Place Names and Boundary Markers	Ben Leonard and Jacobs Ltd	16 June 2026	In progress.
5	Ngāti Tara Wāhi Tapu and Portable Taonga Project	Ben Leonard and Sunrise Archaeology Ltd	February 2025	Completed. Filed on record.
6	Ngāti Tara Customary Interests Report	Bruce Stirling, Historyworks Ltd	18 August 2026	Draft report due 30 June. In progress
7	Ngāti Kahu Customary Interests Report	Professor Margaret Mutu for Te Rūnanganui a Iwi o Ngāti Kahu	30 September 2026	Draft report due 31 July. In progress
8	Ngāti Kahu Wāhi Tapu and Portable Taonga Report	Tanja Rother	30 June 2026	Draft report and mapping produced. Final in progress.
9	Scoping Report for the Whangaroa and Muriwhenua Shared Customary Interests Report	Dr Aroha Harris, Terry Tauroa & Doreen Puru	March 2025	Completed but not to be filed.
10	Customary Interests Oral History Report for Whangaroa Papa Hapū	Dr Aroha Harris, and project team	24 June 2026	Draft report produced. Final in progress.
11	Customary Interests Historical Report for Whangaroa Papa Hapū	Jane Luiten	24 June 2026	Draft report and mapping produced. Final in progress.

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12	Whangaroa Wāhi Tapu Mapping Project	TBC	TBC likely September 2026	Funding to be considered 17 June 2026
13	Ngāpuhi Research Scoping Report	Prof Michael Belgrave, and project team	March 2026	Completed but not to be filed.
14	Ngāpuhi Customary Interests Report	Prof Michael Belgrave, and project team	26 March 2027	In progress.
15	Political engagement and tribal organisation post-c1900	TBC	TBC	Funding approved. To be tendered.
16	Māori-focused economic history, 1840 - c1950	TBC	TBC	Funding approved. To be tendered.
17	Wāhi tapu, portable taonga, and te reo (overview for Inquiry)	TBC	TBC	Funding approved. To be tendered.