



*Mai I te tau ihu ko Moehau, tae atu ki te taurapa ko Te Aroha.*

*Ka taa rehua I waenganui ko te Puke o Raka.*

*E mihi ana ki te whenua, e tangi ana ki te Tangata*

*Tihei Mauri Ora!*

*Ko Moehau te Maunga*

*Ko Waihou te Awa*

*Ko Tiikapa te Moana*

*Ko Hauraki te Whenua*

*Ko Tamaterā te Tūpuna*

*Tihei Mauri Ora!*

*E mihi atu nei ki a tātou katoa e noho mai na i ngā tōpito e wha o te motu. Mai i Te Aopouri, tae rawa atu ki a Kai Tahu i te Waipounamu. Tēnā koutou katoa. Otirā, ngā mate e hinga mai na e hinga atu rā, mai i a Mahurangi ki ngā Kuri a Whareī, otirā puta atu ki te motu whānui, Haere, okioki, moe mai rā. Tātou te hunga ora ki a tātou, E mihi atu nei, e tangi atu nei.*

*Tēnā koutou, Tēnā koutou, Tēnā tātou katoa.*

July 2012

## **LETTER TO NGĀTI TAMATERĀ FROM MANDATED NEGOTIATORS JOHN MCENTEER AND LIANE NGAMANE-TĀMAKI MAKAUARAU COLLECTIVE TREATY SETTLEMENT AND NGĀTI TAMATERĀ PSGE RATIFICATION**

### **Tāmaki Makaurau Collective Deed of Settlement Ratification**

We, along with the mandated negotiators for the other 12 iwi/hapū of Tāmaki Makaurau, have negotiated a comprehensive Tāmaki Makaurau collective redress offer from the Crown for the shared interests of the iwi/hapu of Tamaki Makaurau. The Crown offer is contained in the Tāmaki Makaurau Collective Deed of Settlement initialled by the representatives of the iwi/hapū and the Minister for Treaty of Waitangi Negotiations on behalf of the Crown.

The people of Ngāti Tamaterā now can now vote on whether to support the Tāmaki Makaurau Collective Deed of Settlement and accept the proposed Tāmaki Collective Post-Settlement Governance Entities (PSGEs) that will administer the redress.

The Tamaki Makaurau Collective Deed of Settlement sits side by side with the ongoing negotiations for the Ngāti Tamaterā specific settlement. The redress transferred in the Tāmaki Collective Deed of Settlement will be an 'on account' settlement for Ngāti Tamaterā as it is yet to reach a final settlement. Thus, the redress provided through the Tāmaki Makaurau Collective Deed of Settlement will form part of the overall settlement of the Ngāti Tamatera historical Treaty claims.

The following documentation is provided in this voting pack:

- [Tāmaki Makaurau Collective Deed of Settlement Information Booklet](#)
- [Public notice of the Tāmaki Makaurau Collective ratification process](#)
- [Your voting form](#)

The information about the Tāmaki Makaurau Collective Deed of Settlement and the proposed Tāmaki PSGEs will enable you to make informed decisions.

We and the other mandated representatives of the other 12 iwi/hapū of Tāmaki Makaurau truly believe the Crown's offer is the best available. We therefore all urge you to vote 'Yes' to both of the first two resolutions - one to accept the offer of cultural and commercial redress and let the settlement proceed to Parliament to be secured in legislation, and the second to accept the new PSGEs.

As with all Treaty settlements, it is not perfect but it was never going to be. The real strength of the settlement will be in what we do with it. It is now time for the people of Ngāti Tamaterā to have their say. We truly believe voting "Yes" to both resolutions is the right thing to do.

### **Ngāti Tamaterā Specific PSGE Ratification**

Before settlement assets or redress can be transferred, a legal structure referred to as the Post-Settlement Governance Entity (PSGE) must be in place for the Iwi to receive them. We have undertaken extensive work, held hui and sought expert independent advice to develop a proposal to establish a PSGE for Ngāti Tamaterā to receive and manage the tribe's settlement assets and redress.

In order to receive the redress from the Tāmaki Collective settlement, and the other settlements to come, the people of Ngāti Tamaterā can vote on whether to support the establishment of the Ngāti Tamaterā PSGE in the following resolution:

*I, as a member of Ngāti Tamaterā, agree that the Ngāti Tamaterā Treaty Settlement Trust will be the post-settlement governance entity and the recipient of Ngāti Tamaterā Treaty settlement redress.*

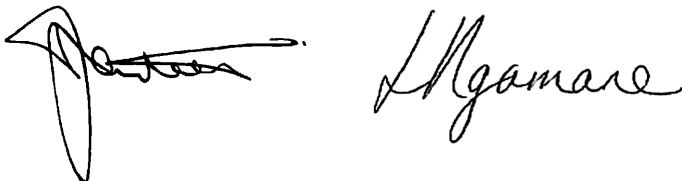
The following documentation is also provided in this voting pack:

- [Ngāti Tamaterā PSGE Ratification Information Booklet](#)
- [Public notice of the Ngāti Tamaterā ratification process](#)
- [Your voting form, which includes the above Ngāti Tamaterā related resolution](#)

Again, the information about the Ngāti Tamaterā PSGE is provided to enable you to make an informed decision. And, we truly believe the right decision is to vote 'Yes' in support of the Ngāti Tamaterā PSGE.

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John McEnteer and Liane Ngamane

### **Ngāti Tamaterā Mandated Negotiators**