



NOTICE OF ELECTION OF TRUSTEES FOR NGĀ TĀNGATA TIAKI O WHANGANUI
CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE 2024-2027 TERM

Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui is the governance entity for Whanganui Iwi for the purposes of Ruruku Whakatupua - the Whanganui River Deed of Settlement.

The current seven (7) Trustees of Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui took office in September 2021 and their term will expire in September 2024. All seven (7) Trustees will vacate their seats (though they are eligible to stand again).

Three Trustees (3) have been nominated through Te Rūnanga o Te Awa Tupua as per the process outlined in the Trust Deed.

We are now calling for nominations for four (4) Trustees to be voted on by all adult registered members on the Whanganui Iwi database. To be eligible to stand for election a nominee must:

- ✓ Be aged 18 years and over
- ✓ Be a registered member of the Whanganui Iwi Database held by Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui
- ✓ Have three (3) people nominate you who are also registered on the database, and
- ✓ Be a resident in New Zealand.

Nominations open on Monday 10 June 2024 and close at 12pm noon Monday 8 July 2024.

Each nomination form must be signed by three registered and verified adult members of the Whanganui Iwi Database. Candidates must also submit a completed Ministry of Justice Criminal Record Check form, a brief Profile Statement no more than two (2) pages in length containing details of the nominee's experience relevant to the role of Trustee and a photograph with their nomination. This information will be collated and included with the voting material if an election is required.

Where more than four (4) valid nominations are received, an election will be held by postal voting. Voting papers will be sent to all registered members aged 18 years and over on Monday 29 July 2024. Voting will close at 12pm noon on Tuesday 27 August 2024.

Nomination Forms are available online at the Ngā Tāngata Tiaki o Whanganui website www.ngatangatatiaki.co.nz, by emailing office@ngatangatatiaki.co.nz and at the offices at 357 Victoria Avenue, Whanganui. Alternatively, you can email the Returning Officer, Election Services, info@electionservices.co.nz, or phone 0800 922 822.