

NOTE | KIA MAHARA:

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General | Hei kōrero whānui

1. Karakia | Prayer Whakatau | Welcome

The Board opened the hui with its karakia. The Chairperson welcomed hui participants, especially the three new members, Mahana Toka, Dr Cadence Kaumoana and Iaeen Cranwell who had all attended an induction session in August 2023.

2. Present | Te hunga i tae mai Apologies | Ngā whakapāha

The three Board members whose terms had recently finished will join the hui at 12pm on MS Teams for their official farewell and virtual presentation of books.

It will be a hybrid hui with several Board members attending virtually on MS Teams due to some flights into Wellington being cancelled because of the bad weather.

The Department of Conservation and Te Arawhiti observers will join later in the hui. The hui will be recorded to assist with preparation of the minutes. The recording will be deleted once the minutes have been confirmed.

Paulette Tamati-Elliffe advised that she will leave the hui for an hour or so at 12.55pm.

Board members	
Anselm Haanen, Chairperson	Surveyor-General, Toitū Te Whenua LINZ
Shaun Barnett	Federated Mountain Clubs of NZ nomination
Merata Kawharu (by Teams)	Minister for Land Information appointment
Jenni Vernon	Minister for Land Information appointment

Adam Greenland (by Teams)	National Hydrographer Toitū Te Whenua LINZ
Robin Kearns	New Zealand Geographical Society nomination
Paulette Tamati-Elliffe (by Teams) (excluding 12.22pm - 2.23pm)	Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu (TRONT) nomination
Mahana Toka	Minister for Māori Development nomination
Dr Cadence Kaumoana	Minister for Māori Development nomination
Iaeen Cranwell (by Teams)	Local Government NZ nomination

Board Secretariat	
Wendy Shaw	Kaiarahi / Leader – Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa – NZGB Secretary
Christopher Stephens	Matanga Ture Kiritaki / Customer Regulatory Specialist – Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa NZGB
Jill Remnant	Matanga Ture Kiritaki / Customer Regulatory Specialist – Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa NZGB
Joanna Barnes-Wylie	Matanga Ture Kiritaki Matua / Senior Customer Regulatory Specialist – Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa NZGB

Observers	
Charlotte Jones	Hoa Kotui Pakihi / Business Partner – Communications and Engagement, Toitū Te Whenua LINZ
Waihoroi Shortland (from 9.55am)	Te Puni Kōkiri (TPK)
Robert Pouwhare (by Teams) (10.35am – 2.30pm)	Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori (TTWh)
Sheryll Johnson (by Teams) (11.16am – 12.00 noon)	Department of Conservation Te Papa Atawhai (DOC)
Philip Green (11.33am – 2.29pm)	Te Arawhiti (Office for Māori Crown Relations)
Victoria Smits for Mōkai Pātea (By Teams) (12.00 noon – 1.57pm)	Te Arawhiti (Office for Māori Crown Relations)
Agnar Niksson for Ngāti Hāua (12.23pm – 2.29pm)	Te Arawhiti (Office for Māori Crown Relations)
Irina Ilyushkina for Ngāti Hāua (11.33am – 2.29pm)	Te Arawhiti (Office for Māori Crown Relations)

Observer apologies	
Tāne Karamaina	Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori (TTWh)

Minute Taker	
Sadie Laurenson	GBL Personnel

3. Agenda | Rārangi take Disclosure of conflicts of interest | He whākinga rongorua

3.1. Agenda | Rārangi take

The Board confirmed the agenda, noting that it had been arranged so the main decision items were scheduled first.

3.2. Disclosure of conflicts of interest | He whākinga rongorua

No conflicts of interest were declared at the start of the hui. Any new conflicts of interest can be declared at the time of discussion.

4. Previous minutes | Ngā kōrero o te hui o mua Matters arising | Ngā take i ara ake Action sheet | Ngā mahi hei whakatutuki

4.1. Previous minutes | Ngā kōrero o te hui o mua

The Board reviewed the draft minutes of its 22 June 2023 hui (Objective ID 5601287). There were no comments or edits from the Board.

The Board noted some minor grammatical errors that will be corrected:

- Page 5, 6.1, first paragraph: bracketed reference to '[apple] phones' to be changed to '[Apple] phones'.
- Page 7, item 6.2, line 5: insert the word 'been' after 'had' to read 'there had been a few very abusive submissions'.
- Page 7, item 6.2, second paragraph-- add 'Legal Team' after 'Toitū Te Whenua LINZ'.
- Page 17, end of page: the Secretariat note regarding 'no timeframe' for the Meyer proposals can be deleted because the response has been received.

Resolution

That the minutes of the hui held on 22 June 2023 be ratified with the specified changes.

Moved Merata Kawharu

Seconded Jenni Vernon

All in favour

Carried

Actions required

- Secretariat to update the minutes of 22 June 2023 with the specified changes.
- Secretariat to obtain the Chairperson's signature and publish an unsigned, updated version on the Toitū Te Whenua LINZ webpages.

4.2. Matters arising | Ngā take i ara ake

There were no matters arising from the minutes of the 22 June 2023 hui that aren't covered elsewhere in today's agenda.

4.3. Action sheet | Ngā mahi hei whakatutuki

There were no actions from the Board's 22 June 2023 hui. The Board reviewed the remaining actions open from its 26 April 2023 and earlier, closing two and deferring one.

Actions from 26 April 2023 minutes (excluding Secretariat actions)			
Agenda Item	Action	By Whom	Comments
11.2 Items to note from the Undersea Feature Names Committee (UFNC)	Communicate/engage with each iwi group about the opportunity to give 7 names each and the 15 th from AWI, as part of her Te Mātāwai Board member role.	Paulette Tamati-Elliffe	Covered under item 14. CLOSED

Actions from 26 July 2022 minutes (excluding Secretariat actions)			
Agenda Item	Action	By Whom	Comments
25 History/Origin/ Meaning in the Gazetteer	Advise appropriate people to contact people for collaboration and priorities for Māori place names' history/origin/meaning for the Secretariat to provide to Michael Roche.	Board	Covered under item 18.3. CLOSED

Actions from 14 October 2020 minutes for Chairperson, Board or Committees			
Agenda Item	Action	By Whom	Comments
7. Board Agreements (Previous minutes of 27 July 2020)	Discuss with LINZ's Chief Executive adding a schedule to the LINZ/ Board Agreement of the high-level services LINZ provides to the Board.	Chairperson	Awaiting the conclusion of Toitū Te Whenua LINZ's staff restructure in mid-2022, which is still underway.

The current Board members introduced themselves to the three new members and welcomed them to the Board. They acknowledged the Board's important mahi as New Zealand's national place naming authority and spoke of the privilege of being a Board member. A succinct summary of the mahi being thorough and proper processes, with tight and good place name decisions that serve the nation. The three new Board members then introduced themselves. Secretariat member Jill Remnant also introduced herself to the new Board members as she hadn't attended their August 2023 induction session.

Standard decisions | Ngā whakataunga noa

5. Minister's decision | Whakatau a te Minita

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5548644). The Board was concerned that it may be up to a year before any new decisions are made. There is likely to be a new Minister for Land Information as a result of the recent elections, and any decision making is reliant on how long it takes for a new government to form and decide on its priorities. It was suggested that if no outstanding decisions have been made by the Minister by the Board's next hui in April 2024, the Board should send a letter to the Minister.

There is an opportunity to advise the Minister of the Board's activities in the BIM (Briefing for the Incoming Minister) which Toitū Te Whenua LINZ produces, but there is no separate BIM for the Board. It may be more effective for the Chairperson to meet with the Minister to discuss the Board and the Minister's role in greater detail.

Actions required

- Board to reconsider its suggestion to write to the Minister on any outstanding decisions not yet made as at the Board's April 2024 hui.
- Chairperson to pursue meeting with the new Minister to advise on the Board's and Minister's roles.

6. Decisions made by Chairperson | Whakatau a te Toihau

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5478183). Mahana Toka requested confirmation that the local marae had been engaged for the Rangiriri and Whangamarino decisions and requested copies of the correspondence.

Action required

- *Secretariat to provide Mahana Toka with the proposer's correspondence with local marae showing their support of the Rangiriri and Whangamarino proposals.*

7. Submissions on proposals | Tāpaetanga ki ngā tono

7.1 Herwin Creek

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5551876).

For the benefit of its new members the Board discussed the decision making processes in relation to this proposal, noting that the initial decision that the Board makes when accepting a proposal is important as it means that it initially agrees with the proposal.

Decision and resolution in confidence | Kia noho matatapu

Resolutions

Report the Board's decision to the Minister for Land Information **and request** the Minister to make the final determination on the proposal.

Moved Merata Kawharu

Seconded Robin Kearns

All in favour

Carried

Action required

- *Secretariat to report the Board's decision to the Minister for Land Information.*

7.2 Pūāwhē

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5479967). Board member, Shaun Barnett has had the article 'Name Proposal on Pirongia Mountain' published in the Federated Mountain Clubs' Bulletin [Backcountry](#).

The Board noted that the 'āwhē' part of the name isn't a single word –the [ā] is a particle and [whē] refers either to a tree fern or caterpillars.

Decision and resolution in confidence | Kia noho matatapu

Resolution

Report the Board's decision to the Minister for Land Information **and request** the Minister to make the final determination on the proposal because the Board did not uphold the objections.

Moved Dr Cadence Kaumoana

Seconded Mahana Toka

All in favour

Carried

Action required

- *Secretariat to report the Board's decision to the Minister for Land Information.*

7.3 Mitiwai Stream

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5602469).

Resolutions

The Board **considered** the **five** submissions on the proposal to approve the unofficial recorded name **Mitiwai Stream** as an official place name and their reasons,

and

Rejected the **one** objecting submission that supports the alternative existing unofficial recorded name, Matauwai Stream, based on the reasons provided not outweighing those the Board previously accepted for the proposal and new reasons, being:

- the function of the Board to encourage the use of original Māori place names and advice that 'Mitiwai' is the correct, original name,
- evidence of historical use, including use of Mitiwai Stream on official maps until relatively recently (as late as 1984),
- advice that the name used locally for the feature is Mitiwai Stream, including evidence of continued use in scientific publications,
- support from three local marae and a formal letter of support from Waikato-Tainui,
- approving one of the names as official and replacing the other one potentially benefitting identification to emergency services,
- the use of the alternative existing unofficial recorded name, Matauwai Stream, appears to have been depicted in error on maps since 1984, and
- costs to change the name of the stream on maps and road signs (if there are any) would be negligible, especially for digital updates, and do not outweigh the Board's function to use the original Māori place name,

and

Confirmed the Board's earlier decision to accept the proposal to approve the unofficial recorded name **Mitiwai Stream** as an official place name, and replacing the alternative existing unofficial recorded name, Matauwai Stream.

and

Will **report** to the Minister for Land Information **and request** the Minister to make the final determination on the proposal.

Moved Adam Greenland

Seconded Robin Kearns

All in favour

Carried

Further discussion

The Board noted that even when it receives just one objection, if it rejects the objecting submission the proposal still has to be reported to the Minister for a final determination. Because a government hasn't yet formed, the Board agreed that there is no urgency to report the proposals that require a final determination to the Minister.

Action required

- *Secretariat to report the Board's decision to the Minister for Land Information.*

8. Deferred proposals | Tono kua tārewatia

8.1 Mount Paterson and Mount Northcroft

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5604367). The two proposals have been deferred for a long time because the features may have original Māori names. The Board has asked TRONT to advise, but to date they haven't responded.

From a safety point of view for mountaineers, there doesn't appear to be any issues for Search and Rescue as the peaks are in a remote area and mountaineers need to be very experienced to even get to the base of the peaks.

The Board discussed whether altering the positions of the names without making them official is an option as the process of the names becoming official might be more concerning to TRONT than the positions being corrected. The Board agreed to continue to defer the proposal, noting that TRONT will address the issue as time allows.

9.55am – Waihoroi Shortland joined the hui in person.

The Chairperson welcomed Waihoroi Shortland and introduced him to the new Board members.

8.2 Meyer Pass, Meyer Creek and Meyer (hill)

The Secretariat provided a summary of the correspondence with TRONT requesting whether they know of an original Māori name for the pass. Te Rūnanga o Waihao has since confirmed that they had no concerns with the proposal proceeding, therefore the proposals had been publicly notified for submissions, to run until 31 October 2023.

8.3. Wellington local use name proposals

The proposer has declined a request to discuss the proposals with the Secretariat and is yet to meet the Board's minimum requirements for his remaining 42 proposals despite having been provided with iwi contact details. The Board noted that the proposals don't have broad public interest and agreed to do nothing proactively as the responsibility is with the proposer.

Action required

- *Secretariat to inform the proposer that progress with processing the remaining proposals is dependent on meeting minimum requirements.*

9. Name Proposals | Tono taunahatanga

9.1. Franz Joseph / Waiau, Franz Joseph Glacier / Kā Roimata o Hine Hukatere

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5504453). The Board noted that it is legally able to change these names under the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008. An earlier legal opinion (provided under the New Zealand Geographic Board Act 1946) advised that the Board was unable to alter existing Treaty settlement place names. The new legal opinion has been discussed with TRONT in terms of the non-Māori part in dual place names, and they have also been advised that the Māori part of the dual names could be subject to submissions should the proposals be notified.

There is an opportunity to align the names with the standard convention that a space be applied to either side of the solidus (forward slash) in dual names. As some of the earliest dual names in the

modern format, the Ngāi Tahu settlement names don't include the space. If Josef was to be changed to Joseph, it wouldn't impact emergency services as the word sounds the same.

TRONT hasn't yet confirmed that they are happy with the orthographic advice to alter the Māori part of the name from Kā Roimata o Hine Hukatere to Kā Roimata-o-Hinehukatere. Paulette Tamati-Elliffe advised that the standard orthographic convention is that hyphens are to be used in names of more than seven syllables, but she wasn't speaking on behalf of TRONT or the rūnanga in terms of their preference. TRONT currently publishes Kā Roimata-a-Hinehukatere in *Kā Huru Manu* with the [a] possessive and the Board wondered if this is a concern. The Board had published the name with the [a] possessive on its Tangata Whenua maps, which appeared to be the preference of the relevant rūnanga.

The Board agreed to the recommendations but with the public notification period to be one month, not three months, because most submissions are typically received at the beginning of the notification period. The recommendations are also subject to TRONT confirming the updated orthography, which the Secretariat will clarify with TRONT.

Resolutions

The Board **declined** the proposal to **alter** the official dual name Franz Josef Glacier/Kā Roimata o Hine Hukatere to **Franz Joseph Glacier / Kā Roimata o Hine Hukatere** based on expert advice that Kā Roimata-o-Hinehukatere is the correct orthography of the Māori part of the dual name.

and

Accepted a different proposal from the Board to **alter** the official dual name Franz Josef Glacier/Kā Roimata o Hine Hukatere to **Franz Joseph Glacier / Kā Roimata-o-Hinehukatere**,

and

Accepted the proposal to **alter** the official dual name of the village Franz Josef/Waiau to **Franz Joseph / Waiau** based on:

- the updated legal opinion of 7 July 2023 that place names in the Ngāi Tahu Claims Settlement Act 1998 can be proposed to be altered through the process set out in sections 16-21 of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008,
- the Board's statutory obligation under sections 11(1)(b) and 10(1)(c) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008 to examine and correct the spelling of the names, and
- TRONT confirming they have no issues with correcting the non-Māori parts of the dual names, ie Josef to Joseph.

And

Will **notify** as proposals to alter for one month.

Subject to TRONT confirming the updated orthography, Kā Roimata-o-Hinehukatere, **noting** that Kā Huru Manu has the spelling Kā Roimata-a-Hinehukatere.

Noting the potential for objections to either or both parts of the dual names and advice from Te Arawhiti that in the interests of a good working Treaty partnership the Board seek the written consent of the Ngāi Tahu Trust Board regardless.

Moved Jenni Vernon

Seconded Shaun Barnett

All in favour

Carried

Actions required

- Secretariat to confirm with TRONT that it accepts the updated orthography of Kā Roimata-o-Hinehukatere.
- Secretariat to notify Franz Joseph Glacier / Kā Roimata-o-Hinehukatere and Franz Joseph / Waiau as proposals to alter for one month.

10.13 am – 10.30 am Morning tea / Kaputī

Charlotte Jones from Toitū Te Whenua LINZ Comms introduced herself. She is covering for Elizabeth Garlick and will be supporting the Board with media communications.

10.35 am – Robert Pouwhare joined the hui by Teams.

9.2. Parahaki

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5587138). Parahaki (island) will be affected by the new Te Ahu-a-Tūranga highway with a new bridge to go over the eastern end of the island. The elevation data shows that at 8m the island is relatively flat. The Board noted that Motuere and Parahaki have been used for the island and the spit and that Parahaki may have been translocated from the spit to the island because of changes to the topography.

The meaning supplied for the name relies on a loan word but Parahaki could have other meanings with 'Para' and 'Haki' being a traditional reference to the clearing of the clouds. The Board considered it was up to mana whenua to tell the Board what the name meant to them and agreed that the name was clearly relevant to the area.

Resolution

*The Board **accepted** the proposal to **approve** the unofficial recorded place name **Parahaki** as the official name of the island at the confluence of Manawatū River and Pohangina River, just southeast of Ashhurst, based on:*

- *the Board's function to encourage the use of original Māori place names,*
- *historical evidence for use of Parahaki for the island, including on some official maps,*
- *evidence of continued contemporary use of Parahaki (or Parahaki Island),*
- *officially naming the island being useful for identification, including to emergency services, but considering the addition of a generic term to be unnecessary,*
- *there being no other alternative recorded names known for the island, noting other names used historically such as Motuere and Rabbit Island are not 'alternative recorded names' under the definition in the Act,*
- *confirmation of the orthography, and*
- *public objection being unlikely,*

***Noting** the possibility that the name Parahaki may have been translocated from another riverside feature no longer existing due to river deviation,*

and

*Will **notify** as a proposal to approve for **one** month.*

Moved Dr Cadence Kaumoana

Secunder Paulette Tamati-Elliffe

All in favour

Carried

Further discussion

The Board viewed a set of overlaid survey plans and aerial photography showing the changes to the island over ~160 years and noted that the proposers have plans to revegetate Parahaki and build a papakāinga.

[Secretariat note: On 4 October 2023 the Chairperson requested the Board to reconsider the legal process to make Parahaki official. The Board had agreed at its 3 October 2023 hui to publicly notify the name for one month. The Board subsequently agreed by email that its decision to support the proposal stood but it hadn't fully discussed the different avenues for the name to be made official. The Board

therefore subsequently agreed to notify the name as official under section 24 of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008 without public consultation as the requirements for this process had been met. Objective ID A5881858 refers.

Updated Resolution

The Board **accepted** the proposal to **approve** the unofficial recorded place name **Parahaki** as the official name of the island at the confluence of Manawatū River and Pohangina River, just southeast of Ashhurst, based on:

- the Board’s function to encourage the use of original Māori place names,
- historical evidence for use of Parahaki for the island, including on some official maps,
- evidence of continued contemporary use of Parahaki (or Parahaki Island),
- officially naming the island being useful for identification, including to emergency services, but considering the addition of a generic term to be unnecessary,
- there being no other alternative recorded names known for the island, noting other names used historically such as Motuere and Rabbit Island are not ‘alternative recorded names’ under the definition in the Act,
- confirmation of the orthography, and
- public objection being unlikely,

Noting the possibility that the name Parahaki may have been translocated from another riverside feature no longer existing due to river deviation,

and

Will **notify** as an **approved** official place name in terms of s.24 and s.21(2) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008 (ie, without public consultation).

Moved Anselm Haanen

**All in favour
Carried]**

Action required

- Secretariat to notify Parahaki as an approved official place name for an island in terms of s.24 and s.21(2) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008 (ie, without public consultation).

9.3. Manawatū District

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5575636). For consistency with the orthography of the region’s name, Manawatu District Council had resolved to alter the name of its district from Manawatu District to Manawatū District. The council has consulted widely and provided extensive written support for the change.

The proposal is to standardise the name with a macron, not alter it. The Board questioned whether there are any alternatives to the lengthy process for altering a district’s name, noting that a local authority can’t change its operating name until the district name is changed. The Board considered whether sections 23-24 of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008 could provide a way forward. However, section 22 sets out the process the Board must follow for altering a local authority’s name. The Board agreed to accept the Secretariat’s recommendation but subject to the Secretariat obtaining legal advice on whether any alternative means could be used instead to accelerate the proposal.

The Board agreed that for consistency it should update Manawatu Gorge to Manawatū Gorge in the Gazetteer and request Toitū Te Whenua LINZ’s Topo team to update Manawatu Gorge to Manawatū Gorge on official topographic maps.

Resolution

Subject to the Secretary obtaining legal advice regarding any faster alternative processes to standardise the district name, the Board **accepted** the proposal to **alter** the official name Manawatu District to **Manawatū District** for the district (as defined in Section 5 and listed in Schedule 2 Part 2 of the Local Government Act 2002), based on:

- the resolution of Manawatu District Council to alter its district name,
- the Board meeting its statutory duty and function to 'enable certain administrative needs of government to be met',
- Manawatū being the correct standardised orthography as previously advised by an expert licensed translator,
- consistency with Manawatū-Whanganui Region and the district's namesake Manawatū River,
- evidence of support from several marae and several iwi and hapū groups, and
- evidence of support from six territorial authorities and the relevant regional council,

Noting processes are underway to standardise the names of three associated Crown protected areas, **and**

Will **notify** as a proposal to **alter** for one month, **and**

Request Toitū Te Whenua LINZ's Topo team to **update** Manawatu Gorge to **Manawatū Gorge** on official topographic maps, based on the desire to provide consistent orthography for all Manawatū place names. The unofficial recorded¹ name will then be updated in the Gazetteer,

Noting Manawatu Gorge was not recommended for approval as an official name (as Manawatū Gorge) in 2020 due to its original Māori name being Te Āpiti.

Moved Dr Cadence Kaumoana

Seconded Mahana Toka

All in favour

Carried

Actions required

- Secretary to request advice from the Toitū Te Whenua LINZ legal team on alternative processes to fast-track standardising local authority names.
- Secretariat to notify Manawatū District as a proposal to alter for one month, subject to the above.
- Secretariat to request Toitū Te Whenua LINZ's Topo team to update Manawatu Gorge to Manawatū Gorge on official topographic maps.
- Secretariat to update Manawatu Gorge to Manawatū Gorge in the Gazetteer.

[Secretariat note: On 16 October 2023 the Secretary requested legal advice on whether an alternative process could be followed that doesn't require public notification, ie could the section 24 fast track process be used for adding macrons to the district or region names of local authorities. On 25 October 2023 the Toitū Te Whenua LINZ Legal team responded 'no' and that the only other course of action would be a legislative amendment. Objective ID A5930080 refers. Therefore, the Secretariat publicly notified this proposal for one month.]

9.4. Waimarino, Waimarino Railway Station

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5598790). The earlier change from Waimarino to National Park reflected it being a destination reached by rail. The Board noted that should it accept the proposals, it would be a clear indication of what it considers to be the best outcomes, but the proposals need to be carefully considered at this stage. The Board noted there has been a good range of support for the proposals and some interest in the media.

¹ A recorded place name is one that has appeared on at least two authoritative maps, charts or databases, which the Board has resolved to be: NZMS map, LINZ Archived Place Names Database, [Kā Huru Manu](#), and all hydrographic and bathymetric maps and charts published under a New Zealand hydrographic authority at the time of publication. It is not official.

The Board questioned the consultation with mana whenua to date and suggested that Ngāti Tūwharetoa should also be consulted noting their role on the Taupō Tongariro Conservation Board. The Secretary advised that consultation so far has been based on Te Puni Kōkiri's *Te Kāhui Māngai* which provides an indication of areas of interest. In terms of the Board's *Kaupapa for Māori Place Names* iwi are advised of upcoming consultations five weeks before public notification to give the groups more time to respond.

Noting that one of the proposals is for just Waimarino (locality) with no generic term, the Board considered whether a generic term, for example, 'Village' should form part of the name. With regard to the wider administrative locality in the *NZ Suburbs and Localities* dataset, which is currently named National Park, it would also need to be changed to Waimarino, so the Secretariat would advise Toitū Te Whenua LINZ to update the dataset should the proposal be successful. It would also be recommended that the locality to the south currently called Waimarino be changed to another name, and there may be implications for other locality names in that dataset too.

The Board agreed to notify the proposals for three months, expecting considerable public interest.

Resolutions

The Board **accepted** the proposal to **alter** the existing unofficial recorded village name National Park to the official village name **Waimarino**, based on:

- the Board's function to encourage the use of original Māori names, and recognising the traditional narratives and cultural values associated with the name Waimarino and the area as it originally applied to,
- the existing name National Park not being suitable for a village and creating confusion, as there are many actual national parks,
- evidence of support from:
 - Ōwhango-National Park Community Board,
 - Ruapehu District Council (the relevant Local authority),
 - Federated Mountain Clubs of New Zealand,
 - Tongariro-Taupō Conservation Board,
 - KiwiRail,
 - Visit Ruapehu.
- some evidence of local support (ie those living in the area), noting there is also evidence of local opposition, and
- the Board's primary responsibility to name geographic features and its purpose to achieve a coordinated and standardised approach to official naming, noting evidence of longstanding confusion about the name of the village is partly as no name was made official through a statutory process,

Noting that the wider 'National Park' addressable locality in the *NZ Suburbs and Localities* dataset managed by Toitū Te Whenua LINZ, which the proposed Waimarino (village) and Waimarino Station sit within, would need to be changed to Waimarino; and an existing nearby addressable locality 'Waimarino' to the south would need to be changed as well; so as to avoid confusion,

Noting the implications for associated Community Board names which are not in the Board's naming jurisdiction,

and

will **notify** as a proposal to alter for three months.

AND

The Board **declined** the proposal to alter National Park Station to Waimarino Station,

and

Accepted a new proposal from the Board to **alter** the existing unofficial recorded railway station name National Park Station to the official name **Waimarino Railway Station**, based on:

- the Board’s longstanding consideration that railway stations should typically be named for the populated places they service, for consistency and to prevent confusion for travellers and tourists,
- ensuring standard and consistent generic terminology for official railway station names, ie ‘Railway Station’ not ‘Station’,
- KiwiRail’s agreement to the proposal, being the rail operator, which is a Board requirement for railway feature name proposals, and
- support from Ōwhango-National Park Community Board and Ruapehu District Council, and likely support from the other institutions which specifically supported the proposed name of the village,

and

Will **notify** as a proposal to alter for three months.

Moved Robin Kearns
Seconded Merata Kawharu
All in favour
Carried

Actions required

- Secretariat to notify Waimarino and Waimarino Railway Station as proposals to alter for three months.
- Secretariat to also advise Ngāti Tūwharetoa of the public notification.

11.16 am – Sheryll Johnson joined the hui by Teams

10. Crown protected area names | Ngā taunahatanga e tiakina ana e te Karauna

10.1. Ototara or Ōtōtara Scientific Reserve

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5576633). The Chairperson introduced Sheryll Johnson.

Under the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008 the Board must review proposals from DOC to name Crown protected areas and decide whether or not it concurs. The Board has delegated this review and concurrence function to the Secretary who checks that the proposed name meets the criteria in the *Standard for Crown protected area names*. This allows DOC’s proposals to be actioned in a timely manner instead of waiting for one of the three Board hui each year. However, if the Secretary doesn’t concur the proposal is escalated to the Board, which is what has happened in this case. If the Board still doesn’t concur, then it reports its non-concurrence to the Minister of Conservation who makes the final decision.

In this case the issue is that the Board has had expert advice that the correct orthography is Ōtōtara, with macrons on the possessive [Ō] and tōtara for the tree, which is the only meaning, but the iwi didn’t want the macrons. The lack of information in the proposal supporting or explaining the position of the iwi makes a decision difficult. The Board discussed whether the macrons change the meaning of the word. DOC had commented that the iwi considered it would be offensive as in its Treaty settlement the name has been written without macrons. However, Ototara hadn’t been proposed as a Treaty place name so the Board hadn’t considered it and therefore no check had been done on the orthography. There were no macrons at all in the Rangitāne o Manawatū Deed of Settlement, even on Manawatū, which is part of the name of the iwi. Therefore, Te Arawhiti may not have checked the orthography of the name either. The Board discussed whether the opposition to macrons was a

generational issue, and whether if it concurred with what the iwi are seeking now, the name might come back again one day to be standardised.

11.30 am – Irina Ilyushkina and Phil Green joined the hui in person

11.30 am – Victoria Smits joined the hui on Teams

Te reo Māori was not originally a written language and macrons hadn't been endorsed as part of the language's orthography until recently. The Board considered that part of maintaining its own mana is to keep a consistent position on standard orthography rather than acceding to local interests.

Resolution (1st, withdrawn)

*The Board **does not concur** with this proposal to assign a new official CPA name **Ototara Scientific Reserve**, based on the correct orthography with macrons not being applied and therefore the proposal not meeting clause 3.5(b) of the Standard for Crown protected area names NZGBS60001 (dated 11 May 2020),*

***Noting** that the Rangitāne o Manawatū Deed of Settlement did not include the correct orthography for the one reference to a site of significance named Ototara in the Document Schedule,*

and

*Will **report** the Board's recommendation to the Minister of Conservation under s.29(1) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008, for a final determination.*

Moved Dr Cadence Kaumoana

Seconded Paulette Tamati-Elliffe

Further discussion

Robert Tauwhare emphasised that the position of Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori is to ensure consistency with the use of macrons and noted other examples of 'tōtara' names.

The Board again noted the inconsistent use of macrons in the Rangitāne o Manawatū Treaty settlement documents and wondered if Option 3 might be more appropriate, which would allow for further discussion with Rangitāne o Manawatū about its orthographic preferences and see if they would accept Ōtōtara Scientific Reserve.

The observer from DOC advised that DOC had asked the iwi about the name twice but DOC hasn't gone back to the iwi again following the Secretary's review and non-concurrence. The DOC team were concerned that going back a third time would appear disrespectful and the views of the iwi on the name were being ignored. DOC could communicate the Board's views to the iwi if that was what the Board wants.

The Board noted that in terms of Ngāi Tahu's *Kā Huru Manu* work, it sometimes adopts a position of omitting macrons entirely if there is doubt about the meaning of the name, as the macrons might suggest one meaning or another is correct. However, for tōtara as a word there doesn't appear to be any other options. This isn't a matter of respect or disrespect, just of consistency.

A further possibility is that [Tō tara] is an offensive term aimed at women, so it was possible that the iwi didn't wish to explain this. However, even if this was the case, the orthography would still be the same with macrons on the [o]s.

The Board agreed to defer the proposal for DOC to discuss the use of macrons further with Rangitāne o Manawatū. However, it expressed concern about causing further offence to Rangitāne o Manawatū and the decision-making taking longer.

Resolution (2nd, accepted)

The Board agreed to **defer** this proposal to assign a new official CPA name **Ototara Scientific Reserve**, for further discussion by the Secretary and DOC with Rangitāne o Manawatū about its orthography preference setting out the Board's rationale for its decision to have macrons, to see if they would accept **Ōtōtara Scientific Reserve**, meaning that the Board could concur, and no report would need to go to the Minister of Conservation.

However, if Rangitāne o Manawatū hold to no macrons, then the Board will **report** the Board's recommendation for **Ōtōtara Scientific Reserve** to the Minister of Conservation under s.29(1) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008, for a final determination.

Moved laean Cranwell
Seconded Mahana Toka

The Board discussed procedure now that it had two motions on the table. Dr Cadence Kaumoana agreed to withdraw her motion of Option 1 (from Objective ID A5576633). The Chairperson asked for those who were in favour of Option 3 (Objective ID A5576633).

All in favour 8 in favour, 1 abstained
Carried

Further discussion

The observer from DOC asked if DOC had provided enough information to the Board. The Board confirmed that DOC had and considered the fundamental issue was that the story for the name was missing, which led to this discussion.

Actions required

- Secretary to request DOC to discuss the use of the macrons further with Rangitāne o Manawatū and ask why Rangitāne does not support the macrons in the name.
- If Rangitāne o Manawatū continue to uphold no macrons, then the Board is unable to concur with the proposal, and the Secretary to proceed with a report on the Board's decision for Ōtōtara Scientific Reserve to the Minister of Conservation, seeking a final determination.

[Secretariat note: On 6 October 2023 the Secretary requested DOC to consult further with Rangitāne o Manawatū about the macrons and their story. On 6 November 2023 DOC responded that they maintain no macrons. They did not provide more information. Objective ID A5952939 refers. Therefore, the Secretariat proceeded to report the Board's non-concurrence to the Minister of Conservation for the final determination.]

10.2. Crown Protected Area Names | Ngā taunahatanga e tiakina ana e te Karauna

The Board noted the paper and report provided (Objective ID A5575139). The Secretary provided a brief overview of the report.

12.00 pm – Chanel Clarke and Bonita Bigham joined the hui on Teams

12.00 pm – Sheryll Johnson left the hui

12.05 pm – Shane Te Ruki joined the hui by phone

Farewell to departing Board members

The Chairperson formally acknowledged the huge contribution each of the departing Board members had made during their three-year terms including the unique skills they brought to the table and highlighted some specific contributions. Each was presented with a book which will be mailed to them. The current Board members took the opportunity to likewise express their appreciation for the outgoing members and their time on the Board.

Bonita Bigham, Chanel Clarke, and Shane Te Ruki gave their respective replies and farewells to the Board and Secretariat, acknowledging their privilege to be part of the important mahi.

Action required

- *Secretary to send the commemorative farewell books to the three departing Board members.*

12.20 pm – Chanel Clarke, Bonita Bigham and Shane Te Ruki left the hui

Irina Ilyushkina, Phil Green and Victoria Smits from Te Arawhiti introduced themselves to the Board.

12.22 pm – 1.00 pm Lunch | Kai o te rānui

12.22 pm – Paulette Tamati-Elliffe left the hui

12.23 pm – Agnar Niksson joined the hui

Treaty advice | He kupu āwhina mō te Tiriti

In confidence | Kia noho matatapu

1.57pm – Victoria Smits left the hui

2.29 pm – Agnar Niksson, Irina Ilyushkina and Philip Green left the hui

2.30 pm – Robert Pouwhare left the hui

2.30 pm – 2.37 pm afternoon break

13. Approval of recorded names as official | Whakaaetanga kia mana ngā ingo akua takoto

Additional information tabled

- Response from Ngāti Tamaoho requesting that four unofficial recorded place names in Appendix A be withdrawn from being approved as official (Objective ID A5876127).

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5534675) and the late information from Ngāti Tamaoho. The Board thanked the Secretariat for the work done on this and the clarity of the information. The Board also thanked Merata Kawharu who had liaised with Ngāti Whātua Ōrākei and provided advice to the Secretariat.

The Board agreed to the request from Ngāti Tamaoho to withdraw Pāhurehure (suburb), Pāhurehure Inlet, Pararēkau Island and Puhinui Creek from Appendix A and move them to Appendix D noting that they will remain as unofficial recorded place names. This will make the new totals 525 names in Appendix A and 83 names in Appendix D. The Board agreed to approve the remaining 525 unofficial recorded Māori place names in Appendix A and the 16 unofficial recorded Māori place names in Appendix B as official. The Board also agreed to the recommendations in Appendices C-E.

Resolutions

The Board **approved as official** the **525** unofficial recorded Māori place names in **Appendix A** based on:

- there being no alternative recorded place names known for the features,
- public objection being unlikely, and
- the Board previously agreeing that the addition of a macron does not prevent a recorded Māori place name being approved as official because it is not an alternative name (applies to 186 of the names).

Noting that:

- the 207 names marked with an asterisk are supported by the Auckland Council Local Boards whose jurisdiction the features fall within,
- the only feedback from mana whenua on these names has been from Ngāti Whātua Ōrākei for this project and Ngāti Manuhiri via the Tangata Whenua Place Names maps project,
- the Board's fast track programme provides that if no response is received by a reasonable deadline it may proceed to make the recorded place names official, and
- if there are any issues, they can be resolved in the future.

and

Will **notify** the 525 Māori place names approved as official in terms of section 21(2) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008.

and

Approved as official the **16** unofficial recorded Māori place names in **Appendix B** based on:

- there being no alternative recorded place names known for the features,
- public objection being unlikely, and
- the Board previously agreeing that the addition of a macron does not prevent a recorded Māori place name being approved as official because it is not an alternative name (applies to 8 of the names).

Noting that

- Ngāti Whātua has confirmed Ōkahu Bay and Ōrākei,
- there are associated features with a long-form names,
- the long-form names aren't shown on authoritative documents for these 16 features, so they are not considered to be 'alternative recorded names' under section 24 of the NZGB Act 2008, and
- if there are any issues, they can be resolved in the future.

and

Will **notify** the 16 Māori place names approved as official in terms of section 21(2) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008.

and

The Board **declined to approve** the **119** unofficial recorded Māori place names in **Appendix C** based on the Board's expert translator requiring more information before being able to advise the correct orthography.

Noting that these 119 place names will continue to be classified as unofficial recorded place names and used on maps, charts and other official documents.

and

The Board **declined to approve** the **83** unofficial recorded Māori place names in **Appendix D** based on them having issues such as:

- either mana whenua or an Auckland Council Local Board not supporting that they be approved as official,
- being features outside of the Board's naming jurisdiction (a Girls Guides' lodge),
- Reed recording an original Māori name or for the feature or possible spelling correction,
- the generic term 'Railway' not being included in railway station names, and
- the name being part of an existing recorded dual place name.

Noting that these 83 place names will continue to be classified as unofficial recorded place names and used on maps, charts and other official documents.

and

Will **notify amendments** to **13** existing official Crown protected area names in **Appendix E** by adding macrons for consistency with the recorded place names in Appendix A, **subject** to confirmation by the Department of Conservation.

Moved Adam Greenland

Seconded Robin Kearns

All in favour

Carried

Actions required

- Secretariat to notify 541 approved official place names from Appendix A and B in terms of s.24 and s.21(2) of the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008 (ie, without public consultation).
- Secretariat to request DOC to confirm that amendments to 13 existing official Crown protected area names from Appendix E can proceed and then notify them.

Committees | Ngā Komiti

14. Undersea Feature Names Committee | Komiti Ingoa mō Tārainga Takere Moana

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5557892). The Board noted the progress with the 15 proposals from the Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and Marine Research.

The Board noted that an article by the BBC², which has been shared by Radio NZ, has again raised the issue of naming of the continent that New Zealand sits upon. Zealandia and the dual name Te Riu-a-Māui / Zealandia are becoming commonly used. Therefore, it is important that the Board reconsiders officially naming the feature. Despite the feature overlapping with Australia and New Caledonia, the Board could consider a proposal to name the part of the feature that is within New Zealand's naming jurisdiction, or alternatively give advice on a name.

While the Board has previously discussed naming the feature, GNS Science hasn't yet submitted a formal proposal. In 2019 the Māori Names Committee provided feedback on 'Te Riu-a-Māui' and suggested that 'Tangaroa' would be more appropriate than 'Māui'. Noting that Tangaroa is a male name, the Board wondered if a female name or Te Riu-a-Mako might be appropriate. The Board discussed providing options for names to GNS Science, however it agreed to leave the future proposal to GNS Science, noting that it would be most appropriate for them to consult.

The Board noted and was impressed by a new paper dated 6 September 2023 that GNS Science has provided on naming the continental block, advising that it had taken the initiative of seeking an acceptable Māori-Polynesian name and put forward the dual name Te Riu-a-Māui / Zealandia.

A difficulty in the Board considering a future proposal from GNS Science is that the Board's jurisdiction extends to the Extended Continental Shelf, which is a political boundary. The physical extent of the whole continent is beyond that boundary, however, the proposed Te Riu-a-Māui / Zealandia is not. The Board considered the feasibility of naming the entire feature, even if it might only be recognised in New Zealand. However, that may have adverse geo-political implications internationally.

The Board has several options for considering this proposal, such as to name only the part of the feature that is within its jurisdiction or advise GNS Science to agree on a name with Australia and New

² British Broadcasting Commission

Caledonia [France] who partially overlap the feature and therefore have a sovereign interest or decline the proposal. The Board wondered if other Pasifika nations should be consulted, but noted this would just be out of courtesy as the continent doesn't extend to them.

The Board agreed that it supports naming the continent in principle and that it has the authority to make a name official within New Zealand's Extended Continental Shelf boundary, but it will be up to GNS Science to make the proposal and consult internationally. The Board agreed that it would encourage GNS Science to make a formal proposal and that the Secretariat would provide international contacts.

Resolution

That the Board encourages GNS Science to make a formal proposal to name the continent, including consultation with Australia and New Caledonia [France].

Moved Jenni Vernon
Seconded Adam Greenland
All in favour
Carried

Actions required

- *Secretariat to encourage GNS Science to make a formal proposal to the name the continent.*
- *Secretariat to provide GNS Science with international contacts.*

15. Komiti Taunahatanga Māori

Additional information tabled:

- Summary of Komiti hui 2 October 2023 (Objective ID A5877326).

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5604583). Mahana Toka provided a verbal update on the Komiti hui held on 2 October 2023. Co-Chair Matanuku Mahuika is considering stepping down from the Komiti, but at their request has agreed to stay on for another 12 months to provide continuity for the newer Komiti members. His membership will be reviewed again in a year's time. The Komiti noted that the continued membership of former Board member Shane Te Ruki is still to be confirmed.

The Komiti would like to meet with Te Mātāwai and Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori for whakawhanaungatanga (to establish relationships), but this is still to be arranged and confirmed. The Komiti had discussed the upcoming centenary programme and potential ideas such as podcasts and oral history interviews with people such as Tā Tipene O'Regan about the restoration of Māori place names. They also discussed having the Komiti minutes translated into te reo Māori and queried the budget for this and its priority in terms of the Board's other mahi. The Secretariat will cost having the minutes translated and report back to the Komiti. However, the funding allocation will be determined by Toitū Te Whenua LINZ.

The Komiti membership was recommended to the Board, noting that the appointment of members to Board committees is a formal process under the New Zealand Geographic Board (Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa) Act 2008.

The Board queried the membership of its other two committees following the departure of Bonita Bingham, Chanel Clarke and Shane Te Ruki from the Board. The current Board membership on the Antarctic Names Committee and Undersea Feature Names Committee was noted as currently:

Antarctic Names Committee

Shaun Barnett
Mereta Kawharu
Jenni Vernon
Paulette Tamati-Elliffe

Undersea Feature Names Committee

Adam Greenland
Robin Kearns
Paulette Tamati-Elliffe

The Board noted that its membership on the Antarctic Names Committee is well covered. Mahana Toka volunteered to join the Undersea Features Names Committee, and this was added to the Board's recommendation on Committee membership.

Resolutions

The Board **confirmed** the appointment of Iaeen Cranwell, Mahana Toka and Dr Cadence Kaumoana to the Komiti Taunahatanga Māori **and** reconfirmed Matanuku Mahuika as Co-Chair, to be reviewed again in twelve months.

Noting that:

- Former Board members Chanel Clarke and Bonita Bingham are no longer members of the Komiti, and that the ongoing membership of former Board member Shane Te Ruki is still to be confirmed,
- Paulette Tamati-Elliffe remains as Co-Chair,
- Tāne Karamaina is the new Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori representative on the Komiti (with Robert Pouwhare available to deputise if needed), and
- Waihoroi Shortland remains as the Te Puni Kōkiri representative.

and

The Board **confirmed** the appointment of Mahana Toka to the Undersea Feature Names Committee.

Moved Paulette Tamati-Elliffe

Seconded Anselm Haanen

All in favour

Carried

Actions required

- Secretariat to cost having the minutes translated and report back to the Komiti Taunahatanga Māori.
- Secretariat to confirm Shane Te Ruki's membership on the Komiti Taunahatanga Māori.
- Secretariat to update committee membership reference documents.

Policies | Ngā Kaupapa here

16. Policies | Ngā Kaupapa here

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5578493). The Secretary provided a brief summary to the Board, noting that Toitū Te Whenua LINZ is currently looking at agency guidance on remuneration for Māori. The Board would follow whatever guidance is developed, noting the question of remuneration for Māori has been put to the Board many times, but declined.

The Board noted that its standards are being updated with the additions it has previously agreed to (gender balance, inclusion and diversity) and queried if it has a role in the review process. The

Secretary clarified that policies are largely considered to be operational matters although the Board does have a formal role in endorsing standards.

Outreach | Toronga

17. Outreach and Engagement | Toronga me to Whakawhanaunga

17.1. Centenary

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5589691). The Board noted this correction to the report: page 1: the Honorary Geographic Board first met in September 1924, not September 1923.

The Board's ability to deliver on the proposed centenary initiatives and priorities will depend on the final budget for this work. The Board's budget has already been reduced slightly and may need to be reduced by at least a further 6.5% should there be a change of government. The Board will need to be very mindful of spending for the centenary and accountability. The focus is likely to be on the initiatives that are relatively low cost such as the series of 12 monthly articles. An option for the 12 articles could be to have one or two essays which speak to the topic of 'what's in a name?', written from a hapū or marae perspective. The intention being to cover history, understanding and connection.

The Board agreed that it's important to have an event to focus the centenary on, such as the proposed Parliamentary breakfast. This would likely generate media interest but would require a conversation with the Minister for Land Information who would need to host it. The breakfast would probably occur in the 2024/2025 financial year to align with the September date when the first Honorary Geographic Board meeting was held. The Board supported branding initiatives for the centenary, including email signatures.

Actions required

- Secretary to amend its report to the Board (Objective ID A5589691) from September 1923 to September 1924.
- Secretary to pursue one or two essays which speak to the topic of 'what's in a name?', written from a hapū or marae perspective.
- Secretary to pursue the Parliamentary breakfast event in September 2024.

17.2. Other outreach and engagement

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5599218.)

Project, initiatives | Ngā mahi, ngā kaupapa

18. Projects, initiatives | Ngā mahi, ngā kaupapa

18.1. Kā Huru Manu update and Marlborough Region names

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5558024). The project to align the Gazetteer with *Kā Huru Manu*, which began in 2019, is back after a hiatus of a few years. It is slowly recommencing with the few remaining Marlborough Region names. The project follows a process agreed with Ngāi Tahu after the Board recognised *Kā Huru Manu* as an authoritative source for place names in 2018.

The outcomes for the *Kā Huru Manu* names under this process include:

- collecting names
- recording new names then fast-tracking them to be approved as official
- fast-tracking existing recorded names to be approved as official
- updating and correcting existing official names
- adding *Kā Huru Manu* links to existing *NZ Gazetteer* entries (where the names are exactly as per *Kā Huru Manu*).

The Board noted that many decisions previously identified under this process have instead been recently completed with the publication of the new *Tangata Whenua Place Names* map for Te Waipounamu (for example, the collection of unofficial place names). However, there is still project work to be done across the regions, and Ngāi Tahu intend to eventually publish another ~1500 names in *Kā Huru Manu*.

Resolution

The Board will **notify** an amending notice in the *New Zealand Gazette* to standardise Waima River with a macron, as **Waimā River**,

and

Noting that **Kaparatehau, Te Parinui-o-Whiti, and Te Rae-o-te-Kōhaka** have been collected and published in the *NZ Gazetteer* against the two existing official Ngāi Tahu Treaty names and one existing recorded name (refer Appendix A in the report (Objective ID A5558024)),

Noting that two collected names (*Kaparatehau, Te Parinui-o-Whiti*) against the official dual Treaty names will be removed if/when the spelling/orthography are corrected (refer Agenda item 9.1).

Moved Anselm Haanen

All in favour

Carried

Actions required

- Secretariat to notify an amendment/corrigendum of Waima River to Waimā River.
- Secretariat to correct the report (Objective ID A5558024) to note that *Te Rae-o-te-Kōhaka* was collected against the existing recorded name for Cape Campbell.

18.2. *Tangata Whenua Place Names* maps launch and distribution

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5607580). The Board agreed that the report is a useful record of the project and noted there is no update on the Toitū Te Whenua LINZ proposal to install oversized versions of the maps in the foyer of 155 The Terrace, Wellington. The Board could potentially assist with the whakataukī proposed to be inserted between the two maps.

Action required

- Secretariat to advise Toitū Te Whenua LINZ of the Board's offer to assist with the whakataukī proposed between the two foyer maps.

18.3. Other projects and initiatives

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5583973). The Secretary encouraged the Board to look at some of Mike Roche's history/origin/meaning stories that have been added to names in the *Gazetteer*. The Board noted that 4,230 Māori names in the *Gazetteer* now have audio files to assist with pronunciation, and that audio files will be completed for another ~1000 names in November 2023. The next batch will also cover names newly collected from the *Tangata Whenua Place Names* maps. The Board noted that it was fairly costly to record the audio files but positive feedback has been received, demonstrating the benefit of the project.

Secretariat's update | Kōrero hou a te Hekeretari

19. Secretariat's update | Kōrero hou a te Hekeretari

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5551895). The Board's Annual Report will be printed and sent to the Minister's Office on 11 October 2023, for tabling in Parliament on 20 October 2023. All Board members and observers will receive a hard copy. The Board acknowledged the work involved in completing the Annual Report, which is largely undertaken by the Secretary.

The Board also noted:

- An update on the judicial review for Ōmiha.
- Non-compliance examples in Air New Zealand's *Kia Ora* magazine which is an official publication used for travellers as defined in the NZGB Act 2008.
- The Secretariat is working closely with the Toitū Te Whenua LINZ's Addressing team to manage changes to addressable localities in the LINZ NZ Suburbs and Localities dataset. There will be a panel to consider any changes and the Board will have a role on this panel. The Board will need to be involved if there are major changes to existing suburbs and localities in the dataset, or if new suburbs and localities are created. For boundary amendments, the change request process via the NZ Suburbs and Localities dataset might be a better option than the Board's process, noting the difficulties with defining boundaries via the Board's process, as happened recently with Rangiriri and Whangamarino.
- The enquiry re public engagement and democracy and confirmed that no further response is required.
- The Secretary's considerable contribution as a rapporteur at the 3rd UNGEGN³ session.
- New Zealand's significant contribution to the ANZ WGPN⁴ and the Secretary's virtual attendance at the upcoming annual meeting in Hobart.
- Actions from the latest SCAGI⁵ meeting, which can be provided to any interested Board members.
- All the Secretariat work that goes on in the background such as responding to Official Information Act requests and parliamentary questions can be very time-consuming. There is an ongoing OIA request regarding the costs of producing the new *Tangata Whenua Place Names* maps.

The Secretariat thanked the Secretary Wendy Shaw for her leadership and management of the team.

Other business | He take atu anō

20. Other business | He take atu anō

The Board noted the information and report provided (Objective ID A5607011). The Board discussed proposed timings for its three 2024 hui, which are tentatively scheduled for March/April, June/July and October/November. There is quite a gap until the first hui in 2024, however, the Board agreed that it wouldn't work to bring its first hui forward. The Undersea Feature Names Committee and Antarctic Places Names Committee hui are planned to possibly be in February 2024.

Action required

- *Secretary to liaise with Board members about the 2024 Board hui dates.*

³ United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

⁴ Australia New Zealand Working Group on Place Names

⁵ Standing Committee on Antarctic Geographic Information

Confidentiality requirements

The Chairperson reminded the Board that their deliberations are confidential and that any approaches from the media should be referred to the Secretariat for further advice.

The hui closed at 3.41 pm with a closing karakia led by Waihoroi Shortland.

Certified as a true and correct record of the hui:

Anselm Haanen, Chairperson

Date

Actions from 3 October 2023 minutes (excluding Secretariat actions)			
Agenda Item	Action	By Whom	Comments
5. Minister's decision Whakatau a te Minita	Reconsider its suggestion to write to the Minister on any outstanding decisions not yet made as at the Board's April 2024 hui	Board	
	Pursue meeting with the new Minister to advise on the Board's and Minister's roles	Chairperson	

Appendix A approved as official (525)

Place name	Feature type	NZTopo50 grid reference	Place name	Feature type	NZTopo50 grid reference
Ahaaha Rocks	Island	BA33 809376	Karangatuoro Point	Point	AZ32 606713
Ahuroa	Locality	AZ31 393620	Karioitahi Beach	Beach	BC31 467725
Akatāreere Point	Point	AY34 077908	Karore Bank	Bank	BB31 475028
Anawhata	Locality	BA30 297128	Karukaruhui Creek	Stream	AZ30 177560
Anawhata Stream	Stream	BA30 318136	Kauri Bay	Bay	BB33 884095
Aotea Cliffs	Cliff	AZ30 233524	Kauri Point	Point	BB32 678970
Aotearoa Point	Point	BA33 916126	Kauri Point	Point	BB31 473991
Apuapu Bay	Bay	BA33 925178	Kauri Ridge	Ridge	AY33 887933
Arapāpera	Locality	AZ30 305587	Kauritūtahi Creek	Stream	BB31 457944
Arapāpera River	River	AZ31 368599	Kauritūtahi Island	Island	BB31 475936
Ararimu	Locality	BB33 810876	Kawa	Locality	AY34 131991
Ararimu Stream	Stream	BA31 390366	Kawa Stream	Stream	AY34 131983
Aroaro Stream	Stream	BB33 889039	Kawaŭi Point	Point	AZ32 649710
Aronui Stream	Stream	BA31 410256	Kawau Pārua Inlet	Bay	AZ30 237471
Ātiu Creek	Stream	AZ30 229791	Kirikiroa Point	Point	AY34 107994
Auwharewhare Stream	Stream	BB33 029005	Kiripaka Stream	Stream	BB33 934045
Awaawaroa Bay	Bay	BA33 876214	Kiriraukawa Stream	Stream	AY33 887914
Awakiriapa Bay	Bay	BA33 930248	Kiwiriki Bay	Bay	AY34 114911
Awakohukohu Creek	Stream	AZ30 196552	Kōherurahi Point	Point	BA33 907110
Awapeka Stream	Stream	AY31 340856	Kohikohinui Stream	Stream	BB33 006041
Awarere Stream	Stream	AZ31 408736	Kohuroa Stream	Stream	AY32 608822
Awaroa Stream	Stream	BA30 311397	Kōnini	Suburb	BA31 464118
Awaruaiti Creek	Stream	BB31 513774	Kōpukanui	Hill	BB31 447801
Awaruku Creek	Stream	BA31 555374	Korakorahi Point	Point	BA33 877286
Āwhitu Point	Point	BB32 580938	Kotekote Stream	Stream	AY31 507820
Erangi Point	Point	BA30 278163	Kotikoti Stream	Stream	AZ31 335612
Hangaura Point	Point	BA32 775260	Kotipū Stream	Stream	AZ31 337567
Hangore Bank	Bank	BB31 518975	Kōtorengaru Stream	Stream	AZ31 357621
Haraki Point	Point	BA33 932136	Kōtuku Point	Point	AY34 104959
Haratahi Creek	Stream	AZ30 130593	Kōtukutuku Inlet	Bay	BA31 460287
Harataonga Bay	Bay	AY34 235947	Kōurawhero Stream	Stream	AZ31 438689
Harataonga Stream	Stream	AY34 220939	Kōwhai Beach	Beach	BA31 479282
Hauruia Stream	Stream	AY33 889901	Kuataika	Hill	BA30 309143
Hautapu Point	Point	AY34 247003	Kurakuranui Stream	Stream	BB33 008039
Hekerua Bay	Bay	BA33 807276	Lake Keretā	Lake	AZ30 146496
Hiki Creek	Stream	AZ30 222753	Lake Ngākaru	Lake	BA30 187430
Hikihiki Bank	Bank	BB32 619974	Lake Paekawau	Lake	BA30 279273
Hītapa Bay	Bay	BA33 821232	Lake Pokorua	Lake	BB31 449825
Homai	Suburb	BB32 668015	Lake Poutoa	Lake	BA30 177447
Hōteo North	Locality	AZ31 330793	Lake Pupuke	Lake	BA32 576280
Huapai	Locality	BA31 373294	Lake Wainamu	Lake	BA30 309163
Huaroa Point	Point	AZ32 644487	Lake Whatihua	Lake	BC31 481733
Huawai Bay	Bay	AZ31 531600	Little Mahuki Island	Island	AY34 073882
Hūnua	Locality	BB33 842942	Lower Nihotupu	Lake	BB31 436086
Hūnua Falls	Waterfall	BB33 858955	Reservoir		
Hūnua Stream	Stream	BB33 835955	Māeneene Creek	Stream	AY31 338873
Huruhuru Creek	Stream	BA31 446203	Māeneene Stream	Stream	AY31 365901
Kahawai Point	Point	BB31 512861	Māhoe Stream	Stream	BB33 029017
Kahuru Point	Point	BB33 885098	Māhoenui Stream	Stream	BA31 473352
Kahutaewao Creek	Stream	AZ30 229752	Māhuehue Point	Point	BA32 769269
Kaikioire Creek	Stream	AZ30 180495	Mahurangi	Locality	AZ31 554620
Kaipātiki Creek	Stream	BA31 520276	Mahurangi Harbour	Bay	AZ31 542645
Kaiteke Point	Point	BB31 387018	Mahurangi Island	Island	AZ31 538542
Kaitoke Beach	Beach	AY34 228861	Mahurangi River	River	AZ31 515686
Kaitoke Creek	Stream	AY34 189901	Mahurangi River Left	River	AZ31 465722
Kaitoke Swamp	Wetland	AY34 197878	Branch		
Kaituna Creek	Stream	BA30 211446	Mahurangi River Right	River	AZ31 478661
Kaiwakawaka River	River	AY30 318823	Branch		
Kanohi	Locality	AZ31 344493	Mahurangi West	Locality	AZ31 514589
Kāparanui Stream	Stream	BB33 013039	Mairetahi	Locality	AZ30 202539

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Mairetahi Creek	Stream	AZ30 188524	Nihotupu Stream	Stream	BB31 393093
Makarau	Locality	AZ31 335539	North Titirangi	Suburb	BA31 481122
Makarau Forest	Forest	AZ31 341565	Nukumea Stream	Stream	AZ31 497512
Makarau River	River	AZ30 319547	Ōhakiri Stream	Stream	AY33 862935
Mako Point	Point	BB31 448999	Ōhiku Creek	Stream	BB31 491862
Makomako Stream	Stream	BA31 440203	Ōhinerangi Beach	Beach	BA33 824164
Mangakura	Locality	AZ30 300680	Ōhinerau Bay	Bay	BA32 740236
Mangakura Stream	Stream	BA30 303375	Ōkahuiti Creek	Stream	BA33 818260
Mangatū Stream	Stream	AZ31 338655	Ōkahukura Peninsula	Peninsula	AZ30 192760
Mangawheau Stream	Stream	BB33 818897	Ōkiore Point	Point	AY34 081886
Māngere Lagoon	Lake	BB32 582084	Ōkiritoto Falls	Waterfall	BA30 294263
Māori Garden Bay	Bay	BA32 744345	Ōkiritoto Stream	Stream	BA30 291261
Māori Rock	Rock	AZ32 666721	Ōkiwi	Locality	AY34 155962
Māori Stream	Stream	BB33 886969	Ōkohaka Point	Point	BB31 520815
Marokura Stream	Stream	BA31 413201	Ōkoromai Bay	Bay	AZ32 619462
Mātaikōkako	Hill	BB33 954060	Ōkura River	River	BA31 542405
Matakawau	Locality	BB31 436915	Ōmāhungaiti Bay	Bay	AY34 197969
Matakawau Creek	Stream	BB31 453903	Ōmana Beach	Beach	BA33 814169
Matakawau Point	Point	BB31 482921	Ōmana Beach	Locality	BA33 807166
Matapihi Point	Point	BA33 892294	Ōmaru Bay	Bay	BA33 917212
Matarāhui Bay	Bay	BA32 778242	Ōmaru Creek	Stream	BA32 668170
Matawhauwhau Point	Point	AZ34 184799	Ōmaumau River	River	AZ30 298637
Matawhero Stream	Stream	AZ30 310480	Ōmokoiti Bay	Bay	AZ30 135634
Mātiatia Bay	Bay	BA32 774275	Ōmokoiti Flats	Bank	AZ30 193570
Mauku	Locality	BB32 611813	Onemanga Creek	Stream	AZ30 236772
Mauku Stream	Stream	BB32 612796	Onepoto Basin	Crater	BA32 561250
Maungapiko	Hill	AY34 143894	Onepoto Stream	Stream	BA31 554253
Maungaroa	Hill	BA30 315100	Oneroa Bay	Bay	AY34 131000
Moanauriuri Bay	Bay	AY34 126995	Onetaipū Point	Point	BA31 467288
Mohunga	Hill	AY34 090986	Onetaunga Bay	Bay	BA31 514236
Mohunga Bay	Bay	AY34 100977	Ōpāhekeheke Island	Island	AZ30 235466
Mokoputuputu Point	Point	BA33 907293	Ōpākau Island	Island	AY34 067912
Mokorau Creek	Stream	BB31 511795	Ōpanuku Stream	Stream	BA31 423155
Mokoroa Stream	Stream	BA30 305212	Ōpatu River	River	AZ30 264720
Mōmona Point	Point	AZ32 628670	Ōpoto Creek	Stream	AZ31 354470
Motuhaku Island	Island	AY34 059955	Ōpou Creek	Stream	AZ30 247776
Motuharakeke Island	Island	AX33 912249	Ora Point	Point	AY34 238984
Motukaha Island	Island	BA32 772260	Ōrākei Basin	Bay	BA32 616183
Motukaraka Bank	Bank	BA31 502102	Ōrākei Creek	Stream	BA32 606179
Motukaraka Island	Island	BA32 764168	Orapiu	Locality	BA33 914204
Motuketekete Island	Island	AZ32 622624	Orapiu Bay	Bay	BA33 917204
Motukōrea Channel	Channel	BA32 682237	Ōrongo Point	Point	AZ30 217696
Motukuru Island	Island	AZ30 216472	Ōrua Bay	Locality	BB31 431984
Motunau Bay	Bay	BA33 948144	Ōrua Bay	Bay	BB31 429988
Moturako Island	Island	AY34 066937	Ōruawharo	Hill	AY34 261822
Moturekareka Island	Island	AZ32 611620	Ōruawharo Bay	Bay	AY34 246840
Moturemu Island	Island	AZ30 249683	Ōruawharo Bay	Bay	AY34 130005
Moturoa Point	Point	AY34 115016	Ōruawharo Heads	Hill	AZ30 169794
Moturoa Point	Point	AY34 242000	Ōrukuwai Point	Point	BA31 471233
Motutāiko Island	Island	AY34 058895	Ōtaimako Creek	Stream	BB32 615030
Motutara Island	Island	AZ32 604617	Ōtamatea Channel	Channel	AZ30 100776
Motutara Point	Point	AZ32 619721	Ōtau Crossing	Place	BB33 884910
Mount Matawhero	Hill	AY34 169910	Ōtekawa Creek	Stream	AZ30 148794
Mount Titirangi	Hill	BA31 470106	Ōturapa Creek	Stream	AZ30 183784
Muriwai Beach	Locality	BA30 279236	Ōwairaka	Suburb	BA31 529154
Muriwai Pā	Historic Site	AZ30 137627	Ōwhanake Bay	Bay	BA32 780285
Nanī Island	Island	BA33 827285	Ōwhiti Bay	Bay	BA33 916292
Ngānui Point	Point	BB32 607038	Paehoka	Hill	BA30 318368
Ngāpuke Creek	Stream	AZ30 278509	Pakatoa Island	Island	BA33 958254
Nihotupu Auxiliary Reservoir	Place	BA31 386114	Pakatoa Point	Point	BA33 961243
			Pakinui Stream	Stream	BA31 397235

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Pākiri	Locality	AY31 552854	Pukutoitoi Point	Point	AY34 250983
Pākiri River	River	AY31 527844	Puni	Locality	BB32 649776
Pākiri Stream	Stream	AY32 565853	Pūponga Point	Point	BB31 434017
Pāpakanui River	River	AZ30 276707	Pūrākau Channel	Channel	BB31 466036
Pāpakanui Spit	Peninsula	AZ29 075667	Pureroa	Hill	BA30 223397
Papakauri	Hill	BB33 923061	Pūriri Bay	Bay	AZ34 219793
Papakurī Island	Island	AY34 057892	Pūtaki Bay	Bay	BA33 814252
Papanui Point	Point	BB33 962099	Pūtata	Hill	AZ30 168482
Paparātā	Locality	BB33 824846	Pūtiki Bay	Bay	BA33 817245
Paparimu	Locality	BB33 888868	Rahopara Point	Point	BA32 580303
Pararaha Bay	Bay	BB31 322028	Raihoa	Hill	AZ34 186791
Pararaha Point	Point	AZ30 137630	Rākauananga Point	Point	BA32 607448
Pararaha Stream	Stream	BB31 334031	Rākauwhatia Creek	Stream	BA30 313386
Parekawa Creek	Stream	AZ30 202505	Rākino Channel	Channel	BA32 729330
Pāremoremo Creek	Stream	BA31 464314	Rākino Island	Island	BA32 740346
Patumāhoe	Locality	BB32 622827	Rangihoua Creek	Stream	BA33 850248
Paturoa Bay	Bay	BB31 478090	Rangiriri Creek	Stream	BB31 480888
Paturoa Stream	Stream	BB31 476098	Rangiriri Pā	Site	BB31 473888
Pāwhetau Point	Point	BB33 916096	Rangitāwhiri Point	Point	BA33 927261
Piha	Locality	BB30 310093	Rangitōpuni Stream	Stream	BA31 455376
Pīkau Stream	Stream	BA31 437256	Rānui	Locality	BA31 427190
Pīkoko Stream	Stream	AZ31 401679	Rauau Point	Point	BB31 500875
Pipitewai Bay	Bay	BA33 870217	Rauhori Stream	Stream	AZ31 364568
Piripiri Point	Point	BA32 562409	Raukura Point	Point	BA33 952106
Pōhuehue	Locality	AZ31 480634	Raupuka Point	Point	AY34 128004
Pōhutukawa Bay	Bay	BA32 780168	Rautawa Stream	Stream	BB33 934073
Pōhutukawa Bay	Bay	BA32 738336	Rāwiri Stream	Stream	BA31 454251
Pōhutukawa Bay	Bay	BA33 915202	Repo Bay	Bay	BA33 828281
Pōhutukawa Flat	Flat	AY33 897938	Rewarewa Creek	Stream	BA31 496131
Ponga	Locality	BB32 786911	Rotopiro Stream	Stream	BB33 892086
Pōnui	Hill	BA33 950171	Ruahine	Hill	AZ34 260762
Pōnui Head	Point	BA33 937207	Ruakōhua Stream	Stream	BB31 549808
Poroaki Bay	Bay	BA33 934184	Ruruwhango Bay	Bay	BA33 935316
Poukaraka Flats	Locality	BA33 847220	South Titirangi	Locality	BB31 471094
Poutawa Bank	Bank	BB31 555945	Tāhekeroa	Hill	AZ31 409559
Poutawa Stream	Stream	AY31 481916	Tāhekeroa	Locality	AZ31 399562
Pōuto Point	Point	BB33 866098	Tāhekeroa River	River	AZ31 392559
Pūharakeke Creek	Stream	AZ30 221482	Taiaotea Creek	Stream	BA31 551351
Pūharakeke Island	Island	AZ30 225467	Taihiki River	River	BB32 566855
Puhinui	Locality	BB32 657049	Taikata Creek	Stream	BA31 449204
Pūhoi	Hill	AZ31 527572	Taiorahi Creek	Stream	BA32 563336
Pūhoi River	River	AZ31 464590	Taitaiā Stream	Stream	BB33 803018
Pukapuka	Hill	AZ31 528590	Takahē Creek	Stream	AZ30 238795
Pukapuka	Locality	AZ31 507611	Takapau Creek	Stream	AZ30 251795
Puke Range	Range	BA33 904259	Takirangaranga Point	Point	BB32 685980
Pukekohe Railway Station	Railway Station	BB32 694809	Takitaki Stream	Stream	BA31 412246
Pukekohuhu	Hill	AZ30 291708	Tamahunga	Hill	AZ31 539815
Pukekōwhai Point	Point	BA30 286139	Tamahunga Stream	Stream	AZ31 552800
Pukemahimahi	Hill	BA30 261417	Tāmaki River	River	BA32 672165
Pukematekeo	Hill	BA31 371170	Taniwhanui Point	Point	BA33 933245
Pukenihinihi Point	Point	AZ32 627750	Tāpora	Locality	AZ30 169763
Pukenui	Hill	AY31 405895	Tāpora Bank	Bank	AZ30 150711
Puketaratarā	Hill	AZ30 301773	Tapuwai Point	Point	AY34 184005
Puketoetoe	Hill	BA30 204423	Tarakihi Rapids	Waterfall	AZ31 323683
Puketoka Point	Point	BA33 920132	Taranaki	Hill	AZ30 311616
Puketōtara	Hill	BA30 304193	Tatarata Point	Point	BA32 569336
Puketūi	Hill	BA30 219427	Taumaiti	Hill	BA30 287167
Puketūtū	Hill	BB32 791815	Taumata Creek	Stream	AZ30 163561
Pukewhau Creek	Stream	BB31 498845	Taupaki	Locality	BA31 392240
Pukurau Stream	Stream	BB33 893071	Taurangaruru	Locality	BB31 476757
			Tautauoa Creek	Stream	BB32 598048

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Te Ārai	Hill	AY31 480968	Tūmatapura Point	Point	AY34 119011
Te Ārai	Locality	AY31 422929	Tūranga Creek	Stream	BB32 754086
Te Ārai Point	Locality	AY31 461957	Upokonui Creek	Stream	BA30 256453
Te Ārai Point	Point	AY31 486967	Upper Nihotupu Reservoir	Lake	BB31 391098
Te Hakono Creek	Stream	BB31 502831	Urungahauhau Stream	Stream	BB33 850049
Te Hana	Locality	AY31 354865	Waiake Beach	Beach	BA32 565366
Te Hana Creek	Stream	AY31 374870	Waiiau Pā	Locality	BB31 557884
Te Heruheru	Hill	AY34 123975	Waiheke Bay	Bay	BA33 833283
Te Hoakaramea Point	Point	AY34 110996	Waiheke Channel	Channel	BA33 931206
Te Hue Pā	Site	AY33 845934	Waiheke Point	Point	BA33 880276
Te Hue Stream	Stream	AY33 856930	Waihuna Stream	Stream	BB31 325036
Te Ikatauhou Creek	Stream	AZ30 186556	Waikahikatea Stream	Stream	BA31 359435
Te Iwirahirahi Point	Point	BB33 927088	Waikaitāmure Stream	Stream	BA31 366437
Te Karaka Creek	Stream	AZ30 283626	Waikākahu Bay	Bay	AY34 128999
Te Karaka Stream	Stream	BA30 280435	Waikaro Point	Point	AY34 195007
Te Kawau Bay	Bay	BA33 943211	Waikauri Bay	Bay	AZ32 624724
Te Kawau Point	Point	AZ30 129648	Waikauri Island	Island	AZ30 210467
Te Kōwhai Creek	Stream	AZ30 243464	Waikiri Creek	Stream	AZ30 134797
Te Kuru Stream	Stream	AZ31 343495	Waikōkopu Creek	Stream	AZ32 587761
Te Miro Bay	Bay	BA32 771265	Waikopou Bay	Bay	BA33 926252
Te Ngaio Point	Point	AZ30 149720	Waikōpua Creek	Stream	BA32 776132
Te Okoriki Inlet	Bay	BA31 479274	Waikorariki Bay	Bay	BA33 928217
Te Pene Beach	Beach	BA33 817170	Waikoukou Stream	Stream	BA31 356339
Te Rāhui Point	Point	AY34 123994	Waikoukou Valley	Locality	BA31 348327
Te Raupā Creek	Stream	AZ30 229714	Waikōwhai	Suburb	BA31 550118
Te Rere Bay	Bay	AY32 599849	Waikōwhai Bay	Bay	BA31 545108
Te Rere Point	Point	BA32 774256	Waimā	Suburb	BA31 459105
Te Rokotai	Hill	AZ30 116613	Waimaru Stream	Stream	AZ32 623748
Te Roto Bay	Bay	AY34 118012	Wainamu Junction	Place	BA30 318150
Te Tamuiti Point	Point	BA33 933132	Wainoni	Locality	BA31 500295
Te Taumata Point	Point	AY34 116991	Wainui	Locality	AZ31 424482
Te Taumutu Point	Point	AZ32 598792	Wainui Stream	Stream	AZ30 307607
Te Tokaroa Reef	Reef	BA31 527212	Wainui Stream	Stream	AZ31 461509
Te Tūrereinga Inlet	Bay	BA31 467286	Waiomanu Beach	Beach	BA33 830162
Te Wahanui Stream	Stream	BA30 287435	Waioneke	Locality	AZ30 162551
Te Wharau Bay	Bay	BA32 783248	Waiouni Inlet	Bay	AZ29 074654
Te Wharau Creek	Stream	BA31 500299	Waipapa Bay	Bay	AY34 216957
Te Whau	Hill	AZ31 517539	Waipareira Stream	Stream	BA31 460244
Te Whau Bay	Bay	BA33 814237	Waipatukāhu Stream	Stream	BA30 294294
Te Whau Point	Point	BA31 516114	Waipipi	Locality	BB31 495805
Te Whau Point	Point	BA33 813234	Waipipi Creek	Stream	BB31 483802
Te Whetūmatarau Point	Point	BA32 768273	Wairahi Bay	Bay	AY34 103899
Ti Point	Point	AZ32 607789	Wairahi River	River	AY34 137884
Ti Point	Locality	AZ32 603796	Wairaki Stream	Stream	BA31 530121
Tihema Stream	Stream	BA31 441232	Waireia River	River	AZ30 280805
Tikitū Creek	Stream	AZ30 197480	Wairere Bay	Bay	BA33 926258
Tipau Point	Point	BA32 566358	Wairoa Bay	Bay	BA33 896100
Tipitai Point	Point	BB31 401992	Wairoa Dam	Facility	BB33 883916
Tirikohua Point	Point	BA30 273203	Wairoa Point	Point	BB31 483896
Titirangi	Suburb	BA31 475107	Wairoa Reservoir	Lake	BB33 895929
Titirangi Beach	Beach	BB31 477092	Wairoa River	River	BB33 854966
Tokanui Point	Point	AZ32 595753	Wairōpā Channel	Channel	BB31 449052
Tokaroa Point	Point	BB31 492878	Wairua Point	Point	BA33 895290
Tokawhero Point	Point	AY34 262995	Waitākere Railway Station	Railway Station	BA31 376207
Torehangina Bay	Bay	AY34 127006	Waitangi	Hill	AZ31 333514
Toroanui Falls	Waterfall	BA30 292261	Waitangi Falls	Waterfall	AZ31 321533
Tōtara Creek	Stream	BB31 509810	Waitangi Falls	Waterfall	BB31 543785
Tōtara Creek	Stream	BA31 434253	Waitangi Stream	Stream	AZ31 339522
Tōtara Inlet	Estuary	BA31 427271	Waitangi Stream	Stream	BB32 560787
Tuawahine Stream	Stream	BB33 931051			
Tuhirangi	Hill	AZ31 326562			

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Waitapu Stream	Stream	AY31 450895	Whangamaire Stream	Stream	BB32 635850
Waitapu Stream	Stream	AY34 136997	Whangaparapara	Hill	AY34 136875
Waitawa Bay	Bay	BB33 912098	Whangaparapara	Bay	AY34 152859
Waiteitei	Locality	AY31 407836	Harbour		
Waiteitei Stream	Stream	AY31 425902	Whangapoua	Hill	AY34 189968
Waitete Point	Point	BB31 514869	Whangapoua Beach	Beach	AY34 180991
Waiti Bay	Bay	BA33 953278	Whangapoua Creek	Stream	AY34 160965
Waiti Bay	Bay	BA33 957100	Whangapouri Creek	Stream	BB32 673862
Waiti Stream	Stream	BA30 306175	Whangaripo	Locality	AY31 463828
Waitoki	Locality	BA31 387445	Whangaripo Stream	Stream	AY31 466833
Waitoki Stream	Stream	AZ31 395477	Whangateau	Locality	AZ32 586799
Waitomokia Creek	Stream	BB32 573047	Whangateau Harbour	Bay	AZ32 588785
Waitoru Falls	Waterfall	BA31 345191	Whangawāhia	Hill	AY34 203944
Waiwera Beach	Beach	AZ31 530542	Whangawāhia Bay	Bay	AY34 223954
Waiwera River	River	AZ31 474539	Wharauroa Stream	Stream	BA31 331342
Waiwhiu	Locality	AZ31 447744	Wharehanu Creek	Stream	AZ30 274806
Waiwhiu Stream	Stream	AZ31 440771	Wharehine	Locality	AZ30 265789
Wakaaranga Creek	Stream	BA32 682155	Wharehine	Hill	AZ30 261801
Waokauri Creek	Stream	BB32 628043	Wharehine River	River	AY30 283829
Wekatahi Creek	Stream	BA30 319105	Wharepapa	Locality	BA30 283351
Whakakaiwhara Point	Point	BA33 870141	Whatipu	Locality	BB31 341997
Whakapirau Creek	Stream	AY31 345846	Whatipu Stream	Stream	BB31 354010
Whakaruru	Hill	BA30 239458	Whenuapai	Locality	BA31 440271
Whakatautuna Point	Point	AY34 253938			

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Huia	Locality	BB31 394042	Big Ōmaha	Locality	AZ31 554788
Huia Bay	Bay	BB31 396036	Little Ōmaha Bay	Bay	AZ32 605774
Huia Bank	Bank	BB31 410012	Ōmaha	Locality	AZ32 594768
Huia Stream	Stream	BB31 379080	Ōmaha Bay	Bay	AZ32 641782
Little Huia	Locality	BB31 382022	Ōmaha Flats	Locality	AZ31 555764
Lower Huia Reservoir	Lake	BB31 395059	Ōmaha River	River	AZ32 568781
Upper Huia Reservoir	Lake	BB31 368081	Ōrakei	Suburb	BA32 620193
Matakana	Locality	AZ31 538759			
Ōkahu Bay	Bay	BA32 617204			

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Ahukuramu Stream	Stream	BA31 351274	Kakanui	Locality	AZ30 302563
Auahine	Hill	BA30 199438	Kakanui Creek	Stream	AZ30 299553
Awataha Creek	Stream	AZ30 172564	Kakanui Point	Point	AZ30 276566
Hakaimango Point	Point	BA32 798289	Kakaraia Flats	Bank	AZ30 244663
Harania Creek	Stream	BB32 618092	Kapoai Stream	Stream	BB33 884070
Haruru Stream	Stream	AZ31 393537	Karamatura Forks	Place	BB31 361038
Huruhi Bay	Bay	BA32 797251	Karamatura Stream	Stream	BB31 371042
Ihawhanui Pa	Historic Site	AZ30 133623	Karamuroa Point	Point	AZ32 618759
Kaiarara Bay	Bay	AY34 118933	Karipaka Bay	Bay	BA33 925257
Kaiarara Stream	Stream	AY34 147922	Karure Stream	Stream	BA31 410263
Kaikuku Bay	Bay	BA33 846215	Kauaroa Bay	Bay	BA33 841222
Kaitoto Stream	Stream	AZ31 374713	Kikitango	Hill	AZ31 342771
Kakamatua Stream	Stream	BB31 413054	Kohonui Creek	Stream	BB31 495853

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Koiroraki Point	Point	BA33 929137	Paerata	Locality	BB32 685846
Komahunga	Hill	AY34 206960	Pakihi Point	Point	BA33 932241
Komokoriki	Locality	AZ31 371604	Parakau Creek	Stream	BB31 503799
Kopuakai	Hill	BA30 271298	Parau	Locality	BB31 437074
Korotiti Bay	Bay	AY34 240922	Paraua Rapids	Waterfall	AZ30 319687
Kuhatu Rock	Rock	BA33 886103	Pataua Creek	Stream	AZ30 125612
Lake Kuwakatai	Lake	AZ30 108568	Pipimea Head	Point	BA32 637205
Lake Piripoua	Lake	BA30 195418	Pipitiwai Creek	Stream	BA30 301416
Maimuka Stream	Stream	BA31 411270	Pitokuku Island	Island	AY34 239851
Marama Stream	Stream	BB31 377026	Poroure	Hill	BA30 302456
Mataia	Hill	AZ30 271613	Puatiti Point	Point	BB33 987082
Mataia Creek	Stream	AZ30 296606	Pukaki Creek	Stream	BB32 607041
Matakatia Bay	Bay	BA32 585450	Rangiona	Hill	BA33 842245
Matakatia Bay	Locality	BA32 583454	Rangiwhea Creek	Stream	BB31 524768
Matatuahu Point	Point	AZ32 631725	Rarawaru Creek	Stream	BA31 445282
Matenga Point	Point	BA33 801260	Rarawaru Stream	Stream	BA31 444218
Matingarahi	Locality	BB33 032025	Ratara Stream	Stream	BA31 442279
Matingarahi Point	Point	BB33 038017	Raurataua Stream	Stream	BA30 314257
Momutu Stream	Stream	BA31 412212	Takatu	Locality	AZ32 584738
Ngarango Otainui Island	Island	BA32 621104	Tararata Creek	Stream	BB32 602094
Ngataranga Bay	Bay	BA32 583236	Tarihunga Point	Point	AZ32 561460
Nimaru Bay	Bay	AY34 114991	Tataweka	Hill	AY34 142056
Nimaru Stream	Stream	AY34 111986	Tawaipareira Creek	Stream	BA33 832257
Oaia Island	Island	BA30 258219	Tawhitokino Beach	Beach	BB33 967093
Oatoru Bay	Bay	BA31 487102	Te Haruhi Bay	Bay	AZ32 631462
Oira Creek	Stream	BB32 694867	Te Hihi	Locality	BB32 629909
Okakari Point	Point	AY32 588856	Te Hihi Creek	Stream	BB32 615898
Omeru Falls	Waterfall	AZ31 320531	Te Hihi Stream	Stream	BA30 208451
Opahi Point	Point	AZ31 539591	Te Kaiahorawaru Point	Point	BB33 974090
Opopo Bay	Bay	BA33 934274	Te Kie Point	Point	AZ32 610757
Opopoto Bay	Bay	BA33 840281	Te Moau Stream	Stream	BA30 282410
Oranga	Suburb	BA32 599135	Te Okawai Point	Point	BA33 921119
Oranga Bay	Bay	BA33 938186	Te Pahi Creek	Stream	AZ30 149590
Oratia	Locality	BA31 438132	Te Pahi Stream	Stream	AZ31 321731
Oratia Stream	Stream	BA31 440138	Te Papa	Hill	AZ30 294508
Oruapure Bay	Bay	AY34 102988	Te Tau Bank	Bank	BB31 476058
Oruarangi Creek	Stream	BB32 575053	Tikitikiatongi Point	Point	BA33 932316
Otakawhe Bay	Bay	BA33 910199	Tikokopu Stream	Stream	BA31 345366
Otamanewa Island	Island	BB31 479915	Tipakuri Stream	Stream	BB33 814917
Otanerua Stream	Stream	AZ31 506520	Tokotoroto Point	Point	AZ30 158587
Oteha Stream	Stream	BA31 516328	Tomarata Lake	Lake	AY31 484933
Ourauwhare River	River	BA30 313433	Tutu Stream	Stream	BA31 422216

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Tuturau Bay	Bay	BB33 959099	Waipapakara Stream	Stream	BA31 414438
Waiarohia Stream	Stream	BA31 454258	Waiteputa Stream	Stream	BA31 414233
Waikaha Creek	Stream	BB33 020042	Whanaki River	River	AZ30 311789
Waimahia Creek	Stream	BB32 667985	Wheraroa Creek	Stream	AZ30 315502
Waimanga Bay	Bay	BA33 872221			

Appendix D declined to approve as official, so remain unofficial recorded (83)

Place name	Feature type	NZTopo50 grid reference	Place name	Feature type	NZTopo50 grid reference
Awana	Locality	AY34 219913	Omaha Cove	Bay	AY32 626825
Awana Bay	Bay	AY34 230900	Onehunga Station	Railway Station	BA32 591119
Awana Stream	Stream	AY34 206924	Oneura Bay / Red Cliff Cove	Bay	AY34 084923
Beehive Island / Taungamaro Island	Island	AZ32 632644	Opou Point	Point	BB31 486096
Calypso Bay / Ōtamarau Bay	Bay	BA32 743240	Orakei Station	Railway Station	BA32 613188
Cascade / Kauri	Forest	BA31 363168	Ōrarapa Island / The Haystack	Island	BA32 746369
Challenger Island / Little Kawau Island	Island	AZ32 678641	Ōrere Point / Rangipākihi	Point	BB33 002074
French Bay / Otitori Bay	Bay	BB31 484093	Oruamo or Hellyers Creek	Stream	BA31 522293
Homai Station	Railway Station	BB32 668020	Otahuhu Station	Railway Station	BB32 632094
Ihumatao	Locality	BB32 570053	Otimai Camp	Place	BA31 432124
Ihumoana Island	Island	BA30 283162	Pāhurehure	Suburb	BB32 717959
Kaikōura Island / Selwyn Island	Island	AY34 090939	Pāhurehure Inlet	Bay	BB32 677965
Karamuramu Island	Island	BA33 921114	Pakuranga	Suburb	BA32 667130
Karepiro Bay	Bay	BA31 552421	Pakuranga Heights	Suburb	BA32 683128
Kohekohe	Locality	BB31 468826	Pakuranga Creek	Stream	BA32 687124
Kohimarama	Suburb	BA32 645192	Panetiki Island / The Outpost	Island	AY32 633823
Kohimarama Beach	Beach	BA32 644202	Papakōhatu Island / Crusoe Island	Island	BA32 760241
Komahunga Bay / Mona Bay	Bay	AY34 203965	Papakura Station	Railway Station	BB32 731961
Kotanui Island / Frenchmans Cap	Island	BA32 592446	Papatoetoe Station	Railway Station	BB32 646060
Mahurangi Heads	Point	AZ31 550583	Pararēkau Island	Island	BB32 697965
Mahuki Island / Anvil Island	Island	AY34 069878	Park Point / Te Roreomaiaea	Point	BA32 775241
Martello Rock / Ruakōura	Island	AZ32 619667	Pembles Island / Tangaroa	Island	AZ32 634695
Maunganui Point / Separation Point	Point	AY34 083996	Piha Stream	Stream	BB31 331098
Mokohinau Islands	Island	AX33 909232	Puhinui Creek	Stream	BB32 655039
Mokoroa Falls	Waterfall	BA30 313223	Puke Kiwiriki Pa	Site	BB32 762958
Motuihe Channel	Channel	BA32 720261	Punganui	Locality	BA30 317440
Mount Mangere	Hill	BB32 587094	Ramarama	Locality	BB32 728875
Muriwai Beach	Beach	BA30 211351	Rarohara Bay / Ungunu Bay	Bay	AY34 121951
North Piha Beach	Beach	BA30 304101	Reef Point / Tūkari Point	Point	AY34 124999
Okokewa Island / Green Island	Island	AY34 077977	Remuera Station	Railway Station	BA32 591168
Okupu	Locality	AY34 191848			

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Rocky Bay / Whakanewha Bay	Bay	BA33 840226	Te Pua Point	Point	BB32 657976
Takaparawhā Point	Point	BA32 620207	Te Toro	Locality	BB31 483850
Tarahiki Island / Shag Island	Island	BA33 987260	Te Toro Point	Point	BB31 508870
Taratara Point / Cake Island	Point	BB31 397992	Thumb Point / Te Patu Point	Point	BA33 942319
Taumatarea Point	Point	BB31 452062	Tiritiri Matangi Island	Island	AZ32 691478
Te Matuku Bay / McLeods Bay	Bay	BA33 900208	Toroa Point / Gull Point	Point	BA32 574374
Te Papapa	Suburb	BA32 609124	Waiheke Island	Island	BA33 879247
Te Papapa Station	Railway Station	BA32 605125	Waiwera	Locality	AZ31 525544
Te Pirau Point / Jones Head	Point	BB31 391992	Weiti Stream	Stream	BA31 465454
Te Pua	Locality	BA30 285399	Weiti River	River	BA31 530457
			Whakatakataka Bay	Bay	BA32 611196
			Whau River	River	BA31 505146

Appendix E notify amendments to existing official Crown protected area names by adding macrons for consistency with the recorded place names in Appendix A, subject to confirmation by the Department of Conservation (13)

Current official CPA name	Associated name/s in Appendix A	Proposed amended CPA name	Current official CPA name	Associated name/s in Appendix A	Proposed amended CPA name
Kotuku Point Scenic Reserve	Kōtuku Point	Kōtuku Point Scenic Reserve	Pakiri Scenic Reserve	Pākiri River, Pākiri (locality), Pākiri Stream	Pakiri Scenic Reserve
Long Bay-Okura Marine Reserve	Ōkura River	Long Bay-Ōkura Marine Reserve	Pohuehue Scenic Reserve	Pōhuehue (locality)	Pōhuehue Scenic Reserve
Okiwi Recreation Reserve	Ōkiwi (locality)	Ōkiwi Recreation Reserve	Puhoi Scenic Reserve	Pūhoi (hill), Pūhoi River	Pūhoi Scenic Reserve
Omaumau River Scientific Reserve	Ōmaumau River	Ōmaumau River Scientific Reserve	Rakino Island Recreation Reserve	Rākino Channel, Rākino Island	Rākino Island Recreation Reserve
Oruawharo Creek Government Purpose Reserve	Ōruawharo (hill), Bay	Ōruawharo Creek Government Purpose Reserve	Te Arai Scenic Reserve	Te Ārai (locality), Te Ārai (hill), Te Ārai Point, Te Ārai Point (point)	Te Ārai Scenic Reserve
Oruawharo Creek Recreation Reserve	Ōruawharo (hill), Bay	Ōruawharo Creek Recreation Reserve	Ti Point Scenic Reserve	Tī Point, Tī Point (locality)	Ti Point Scenic Reserve
Pakiri River Road Scenic Reserve	Pākiri River, Pākiri (locality), Pākiri Stream	Pākiri River Road Scenic Reserve			