



# New Zealand Geographic Board Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa (NZGB)

## MINUTES

**Venue:** Mako and Pātiki  
Ground floor, Radio New Zealand House  
155 The Terrace  
Wellington

**Thursday 11 April 2019**

Duration 9.20am-4.00pm  
Morning tea 10.28am-10.53am  
Lunch 12.35pm to 1.18pm  
Afternoon tea 3.07pm to 3.25pm

### NOTE:

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## General

### 1. Welcome | Karakia

#### 1.1. Welcome

The Acting Chairperson welcomed everyone to the hui.

#### 1.2. Karakia

Mr Mark Te One opened the hui with a karakia.

### 2. Present | Apologies

<b>NZGB members (9)</b>	
Mr Anselm Haanen, Acting Chairperson	Acting Surveyor-General, Land Information New Zealand (LINZ)
Mr David Barnes	Federated Mountain Clubs of New Zealand Inc.
Professor Merata Kawharu	Minister for Land Information
Mr Matanuku Mahuika	Minister for Māori Development
Ms Adrienne Staples (until 3.45pm)	Local Government NZ
Professor Michael Roche (until 3.30pm)	New Zealand Geographical Society
Ms Jenni Vernon	Minister for Land Information
Mr Tekau Rikirangi Gage	Minister for Māori Development
Mr Adam Greenland (from 10.10am)	National Hydrographer, LINZ

<b>NZGB member apology (1)</b>	
Ms Paulette Tamati-Elliffe	Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu

<b>Observers (4)</b>	
Mr Mark Te One	Te Puni Kōkiri
Ms Kim Carter	Department of Conservation
Mr Wareko Te Angina (from 10.02am)	Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori
Ms Fiona Morris (from 10.28am to 12.35pm)	Strategic Communications, LINZ

<b>Observer apologies (2)</b>	
Ms Kylie Brown	Orthographic expert
Mr Gordon Smith	Te Arawhiti

<b>NZGB Secretariat (4)</b>	
Ms Wendy Shaw	NZGB Secretary
Mr Christopher Stephens	NZGB Advisor
Ms Ginny Leggett (until 3.55pm)	NZGB Senior Advisor (Treaty Names)
Ms Jill Remnant	NZGB Advisor

<b>Minute Taker (1)</b>	
Ms Mandy Leighs	GBL Personnel

### 3. Agenda | Disclosure of conflicts of interest

#### 3.1. Agenda

There were no changes to the agenda.

#### 3.2. Disclosure of conflicts of interest

##### Item 12.2. 15 Fiordland names

- Professor Michael Roche advised that the proposer had emailed him requesting that he sign a petition. The NZGB noted this disclosure was not a conflict of interest.

##### Items 10.1. and 10.4.

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##### Actions required

- *Secretariat to note conflicts of Mr Matanuku Mahuika and Mr Tekau Rikirangi Gage in the Conflicts of Interest register.*
- *Secretariat to remove all additions to the Conflicts of Interest register except for the last NZGB hui, unless the conflict is generic or for a name crossing several hui.*

### 4. Previous minutes | Matters arising

#### 4.1. Previous minutes

##### Resolution

*That the minutes of 27 September 2018 be ratified with these amendments:*

- *Item 5: page 4: 3<sup>rd</sup> bullet point: The NZGB's role is largely governance rather than management.*
- *Item 13.1: page 34: Resolution: Moved: Ms Paulette Tamati-Elliffe, Seconded Ms Adrienne Staples*

**Moved** Ms Adrienne Staples  
**Seconded** Mr Matanuku Mahuika  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

##### Action required

- *Secretariat to amend the minutes of 27 September 2018 as noted above, obtain the Acting Chairperson's signature and publish an unsigned, updated version on the LINZ webpages.*

#### 4.2. Matters arising

**Budget planning:** The NZGB noted its budget underspend for the 2018/2019 financial year and sought clarification on whether the unspent money could be carried over to the 2019/2020 financial year or if it is returned to LINZ. The Secretary advised that unspent money in the

NZGB's budget is not carried over to the next financial year. The NZGB wondered if there is an opportunity for it to give input into how the money is spent.

The Secretary advised that she will be discussing the 2019/2020 budget with LINZ Finance next week, and the NZGB's requirements must be finalised by the end of April 2019. Any request for additional funds must be included in the budget submitted at the end of April. The NZGB noted that there is not a lot of operational money allocated for initiatives. The Secretary advised that the list of initiatives would be circulated for discussion later at this hui if time permits.

The Secretariat advised that LINZ's process is to identify 'business as usual' and 'initiatives', for which there may be trade-offs. Money allocated to the NZGB's operational budget is \$500-600k with approximately \$60k for initiatives and projects. LINZ considers all projects and makes decisions in the context of its strategic goals. The NZGB noted that there are challenges in gaining approval for projects outside of the operational budget, and that employing contractors was an easier solution than seeking an extra FTE<sup>1</sup>.

The NZGB discussed how it could support the Secretariat, and requested that its strategic objectives and the annual budget planning be an agenda item at its October 2019 hui.

**PCPN<sup>2</sup> observers at the NZGB's 27 September 2018 hui:** The NZGB suggested that in the future when experts from other naming authorities observe at the NZGB's hui that they be asked for feedback, particularly in respect of indigenous place naming, and to give presentations. The NZGB noted that from discussion with the PCPN observers, it was apparent that some Australian states and territories were quite advanced and others considerably behind, with difference experiences in different states and jurisdictions. The NZGB agreed that despite the differences there are mutual learnings to be gained, which could be discussed outside of NZGB hui – including land, Antarctica and undersea naming.

The NZGB noted that there would be a PCPN indigenous naming workshop at Alice Springs in May and that PCPN has asked the Secretary to attend. The NZGB agreed that the Secretary would provide greater value than having an NZGB member attend. The Acting Chairperson agreed to follow this up with the Secretary.

#### **Actions required**

- *Secretariat to circulate list of strategic initiatives and projects for the coming year.*
- *Secretariat to add Strategic Objectives and Annual Budget Planning as an agenda item for the October 2019 hui.*
- *Acting Chairperson to discuss representation at the PCPN indigenous naming workshop (May 2019) with the Secretariat.*
- *Secretary to compile a budget report for the 2019-20 financial year (1 July-30 June)*

## **5. Action sheet | Review of past actions**

The Acting Chairperson advised that he had been working with the Secretary to refine the minutes' action sheet. The NZGB noted that a number of actions relate to Treaty settlements or are the responsibility of the NZGB's committees, so they require no further action from the NZGB. The NZGB agreed that these should be removed.

The NZGB agreed that only those items requiring action by its members should be included on the NZGB action sheet, and that a separate set of operational actions be maintained for the Secretariat. The NZGB agreed that the actions from the last hui be included with ticks.

#### **Action required**

- *Acting Chairperson and Secretary to review long standing actions as discussed, remove completed actions, and maintain a separate action sheet for the Secretariat.*

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<sup>1</sup> FTE Fixed Term Employee

<sup>2</sup> PCPN Permanent Committee on Place Names

## Risk review

### 6. Dashboard

#### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the information and report provided (LinZone ID A3528104). The NZGB was concerned about the identified risks, particularly around resourcing and technology, and how it is tracking against its budget. The NZGB requested that a mitigation column be added to the 'Current Risks' section and information on how the budget is tracking.

*Mr Wareko Te Angina joined the hui at 10.02am.*

The NZGB thanked the Secretary for the work done on the dashboard.

The NZGB discussed how its focus on place naming has shifted to include governance and projects. The NZGB agreed that it would be helpful to have a clearer understanding about the Minister for Land Information's view of the NZGB's work (governance and projects) and how it fits with the government's priorities. The NZGB noted that ensuring good governance for more effective decision-making was the reason behind the shift. The NZGB noted that the previous Chairperson had discussed this with the Minister for Land Information in April 2018 and the Minister was happy with the NZGB's focus.

The NZGB agreed that the Acting Chairperson should now clarify the Minister's view of the NZGB's strategic priorities in terms of broader leadership outside of its statutory role. The NZGB noted that the Minister for Land Information is also the Minister of Conservation so there could be joint initiatives between the NZGB and the Department of Conservation.

*Mr Adam Greenland joined the hui at 10.10am.*

**NZGB appointments:** The NZGB noted that the three-year terms of its appointed members end in December 2019. The NZGB noted that LINZ Policy has not yet contacted NZGB members to see if they want to be nominated for reappointment. The NZGB noted that LINZ Policy has its own processes for reviewing NZGB membership appointments, and only engages with the Secretary to a limited extent. The NZGB noted that the expectation is that LINZ Policy would contact members to ensure they are informed and to confirm their availability for reappointment. The Secretary agreed to follow up NZGB reappointments with LINZ Policy.

The NZGB noted that succession planning and the need for continuity on the NZGB have been discussed with LINZ Policy. The NZGB agreed that a three year term is generally not long enough as there needs to be continuity across the NZGB's membership.

#### Actions required

- *Secretary to amend the Dashboard with the edits above.*
- *Acting Chairperson to clarify with the Minister for Land Information the NZGB's strategic priorities and place naming role to gain a better understanding about the Minister's expectations.*
- *Secretariat to follow up with LINZ Policy reviewing NZGB membership appointments and advise its members accordingly.*

## Naming rules, delegations, policies

### 7. Updated guideline to 'collect original Māori names'

#### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the information and report provided (LinZone ID A3496431). The NZGB noted that the process helps to lessen the risk of potential collected names being overlooked. Over time there may be a number of potential collected names from pre-European settlement for one particular feature, which will be added.

The NZGB noted that it may sometimes be difficult to define the type or precise location of a feature and agreed that the collection guidelines and criteria be amended to 'May define the feature type, its location and/or extent'.

### **Resolutions**

*That the NZGB **agree** to the new guidelines for collecting original Māori place names, described under 'Collection guidelines 11 April 2019', with the following amendments:*

- *Criteria 4<sup>th</sup> bullet point to 'May define the feature type, its location and/or extent',*
- *That there could be two or more names for one place.*

*and*

**Agree** to the Secretariat applying the new guidelines to:

- *Deferred original Māori place names considered at the NZGB hui 12 April 2018 (Linzone ID: A3017804), and*
- *The approximately 1000 collected original Māori place names in the Gazetteer (largely from the NZMS 346 maps).*

**Moved**

Mr Matanuku Mahuika

**Seconded**

Professor Merata Kawharu

**All in favour**

**Carried**

### **Actions required**

- *Secretariat to amend guidelines as noted above and create a separate document for the guidelines.*
- *Secretariat to assess existing collected names and deferred names in terms of the agreed guidelines.*

## **8. New delegations version 8**

### **NZGB discussion**

The NZGB noted the information and report provided (LinZone ID A3531421).

### **Resolutions**

*That the NZGB **accept** the minor changes to delegations 4, 8 and 9, and removal of the second paragraph in the heading, and **confirm** version 8 of the NZGB's Delegations document, and*

*Once confirmed, the Acting Chairperson and one other NZGB member **sign** version 8 of the Delegations document at the NZGB's hui on 11 April 2019.*

**Moved**

Mr Matanuku Mahuika

**Seconded**

Ms Jenni Vernon

**All in favour**

**Carried**

### **Action required**

- *Acting Chairperson and one NZGB member to sign version 8 of the Delegations document.*

*Ms Fiona Morris joined the hui at 10.28am  
Morning tea: 10.28am to 10.53am.*

## **Treaty advice**

### **Crown Confidential**

## **9. Treaty names report**

## Standard decisions

### 10. Final decisions on proposals that received objections

#### 10.1 Te Ara-o-Tūrongo (from Te Arawhiti)

##### Conflict of interest

The NZGB noted Mr Matanuku Mahuika's disclosure of a conflict of interest as he acts for the Maniapoto Māori Trust Board in a legal capacity. The NZGB agreed that Mr Mahuika would withdraw from the discussion.

##### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the information and report provided (LinZone ID A3505114).

##### Resolutions

*That the NZGB **consider** all submissions on the proposal to alter the name of the 112km section of railway line between Taumarunui and Te Awamutu from North Island Main Trunk to **Te Ara-o-Tūrongo**,*  
**and**

***Reject** the 11 objecting submissions based on the reasons provided not outweighing the original reasons why the NZGB previously accepted the proposal, being:*

- *the Crown's agreement in 1885 to name the section of the railway line through the rohe of Maniapoto 'Turongo',*
- *the significance of the name to Maniapoto iwi,*
- *KiwiRail and local councils supporting the proposal,*
- *recognition of the cultural and heritage values associated with the feature, and*
- *a Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori licenced translator having confirmed the orthography.*

**and**

***Confirm** the NZGB's earlier decision to accept the proposal to alter the official name of the section of railway line between Taumarunui and Te Awamutu from North Island Main Trunk to **Te Ara-o-Tūrongo**,*

**and**

***Report** the NZGB's decision to the Minister for Land Information,*

**and**

***Request** the Minister for Land Information to make the final determination on the proposal.*

**Moved** Ms Jenni Vernon

**Seconded** Mr David Barnes

**All in favour**

**Carried**

##### Action required

- *Secretary to report the NZGB's decision to the Minister for Land Information and request the Minister to make the final decision on the proposal.*

#### 10.2. Manawatū-Whanganui Region (from the Council)

##### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the information and report provided (LinZone ID A3491009).

##### Resolutions

*That the NZGB **consider** all submissions on the proposal to alter Manawatu-Wanganui Region to **Manawatū-Whanganui Region**, and their reasons,*  
**and**

***Reject** the objecting submissions based on the reasons provided not outweighing those previously accepted by the NZGB for the proposal being:*

- *the resolution of MWRC to alter the region's name,*

- *meeting a statutory duty and function to enable certain administrative needs of government to be met,*
- *correcting the spelling based on orthographic advice from a licenced Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori (the Māori Language Commission) translator,*
- *evidence of support from some mana whenua in the region,*
- *evidence of support from territorial authorities within the region,*
- *evidence of public support,*
- *the double name with hyphen continuing to be appropriate to reflect a name for the whole region,*

*and these further reasons following notification:*

- *pronunciation of Whanganui not being the NZGB's concern,*
- *concerns about cost and political correctness not being material to the decision,*
- *the proposal not likely to be 'divisive' or causing a loss of identity,*
- *the alternative name Horizons not resolved and proposed by the Council,*
- *further evidence of support from the supporting submissions*

**and**

**Confirm** the NZGB's earlier decision to alter Manawatu-Wanganui Region to **Manawatū-Whanganui Region**,

**and**

**Report** the NZGB's decision to the Minister for Land Information,

**and**

**Request** the Minister to make the final determination on the proposal.

**Moved** Professor Merata Kawharu

**Seconded** Mr David Barnes

**All in favour**

**Carried**

#### **Action required**

- *Secretary to report the NZGB's decision to the Minister for Land Information and request the Minister to make the final decision on the proposal.*

### **10.3. Ōtorohanga District (from Otorohanga District Council)**

#### **NZGB discussion**

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3488437). The NZGB noted that despite requests it has not yet received a resolution from Otorohanga District Council (ODC) consenting to or requesting the alteration. The NZGB noted that it could make its recommendation to the Minister for Land Information, but without the ODC's resolution the Minister would not be able to make a final decision. The NZGB agreed that it would not report to the Minister until it receives the resolution from the ODC. The NZGB agreed to advise ODC accordingly.

#### **Resolutions**

*That the NZGB **consider** all submissions on the proposal to alter Otorohanga District to **Ōtorohanga District**, and their reasons,*

**and**

**Reject** the objecting submissions based on:

- *one objector not giving a reason for supporting the existing name, and*
- *the addition of a macron being the correct orthography advised by a licenced Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori translator,*

**and**

**Confirm** the NZGB's earlier decision to alter Otorohanga District to **Ōtorohanga District**,

**and**

**Subject** to Otorohanga District Council's resolution consenting to or requesting the alteration,

**report** the NZGB's decision to the Minister for Land Information,

**and**

**Request** the Minister to make the final determination on the proposal.

**Moved** Mr David Barnes  
**Seconded** Ms Adrienne Staples  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### **Actions required**

- *Secretariat to advise ODC of the NZGB's recommendation and request its resolution in terms of section 11(2) of the NZGB Act 2008.*
- *Secretariat to report the NZGB's decision to the Minister for Land Information and request the Minister to make the final decision on the proposal, once the NZGB receives the resolution from ODC.*

#### **10.4. Te Māniaiti / Benneydale (from Te Arawhiti<sup>3</sup>)**

##### **Conflict of interest**

The NZGB noted Mr Matanuku Mahuika's disclosure of a conflict of interest as he acts for the Maniapoto Māori Trust Board in a legal capacity. The NZGB agreed that Mr Mahuika would withdraw from the discussion.

##### **Additional information tabled**

- Two late submissions: Mr Graeme Reinhardt and Margaret Brown.
- Request from Maniapoto Māori Trust Board for the NZGB to defer its decision to allow further consultation.

##### **NZGB discussion**

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3511878). The NZGB noted that the decision to allow time for further consultation rests with it. The NZGB noted that section 18(2) of the NZGB Act 2008 allows it to obtain any further information necessary to enable it to decide on an objection.

The NZGB noted that there is conflict within the community and that the Maniapoto Māori Trust Board's Deed of Settlement will be initialled in October 2019. The NZGB noted that the outcomes from the community hui on Monday 8 April 2019 and the additional consultation proposed to occur in the next 4-6 weeks should be known by the NZGB hui to be held on 20 June 2019. The NZGB agreed it would be prudent to defer its decision to allow for the further consultation. The NZGB noted that the Secretariat may alter its recommendation depending on the outcome of the proposed consultation.

##### **Resolution**

*That the NZGB **agree** to the Maniapoto Māori Trust Board's request to **defer** consideration of the submissions on the proposal to alter the unofficial recorded place name Benneydale to an official dual name Te Māniaiti / Benneydale to allow for further consultation.*

**Moved** Ms Jenni Vernon  
**Seconded** Mr David Barnes  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

##### **Action required**

- *Secretariat to advise Maniapoto Māori Trust Board of the NZGB's decision.*

## **11. Delegated decisions on proposals that did not receive objections**

### **11.1. Wesley (from local MP)**

#### **NZGB discussion**

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<sup>3</sup> Original proposal was just for Te Māniaiti, changed to a dual name by the NZGB



The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3572467).

## 12. New geographic name proposals

### 12.1. Disaster Burn (from Millar)

#### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3567574). The NZGB noted that the name Disaster Burn has been applied to the wrong feature and it should be further north at another tributary of Mica Burn. The NZGB agreed that the extent should only be as indicated on the NZTopo50-CD06 map in the report. The NZGB noted that Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu has not advised a Māori name for the stream. The NZGB agreed to notify the proposal for one month.

The NZGB noted that there are still many cautionary names remaining, for example, Mount Misery.

#### Resolutions

*That the NZGB **accept** the proposal to **alter** the position of **Disaster Burn** from NZTopo50-CD06 486450-496446 to CD06 476470-490462 [a reduced extent to correctly depict where Disaster Burn flows into Mica Burn], making the name official, based on:*

- *historical evidence that Disaster Burn was named for the proposed location and extent in 1888, and that no other name applies to this feature,*
- *evidence of NZMS and geological maps, and recreational publications naming the proposed extent and location as Disaster Burn,*
- *appropriately recognising the history of the name, applied to commemorate the disappearance/death of Professor Mainwaring Brown,*
- *DOC advising they have no concerns,*

**Subject** to Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu advising whether there is a traditional/original Māori name for the feature,

**and**

**Notify** as a proposal to **alter** for one month, and include advice to relevant tramping, hunting, recreational and mountaineering groups from this area.

**Moved** Mr David Barnes  
**Seconded** Ms Adrienne Staples  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### Actions required

- *Secretariat to notify as a proposal to alter for one month.*
- *Secretariat to advise relevant tramping, hunting, recreational and mountaineering groups who may have an interest in the area.*

### 12.2. 15 Fiordland name proposals (from Persson)

#### Additional information tabled

- Email dated 10 April 2019 from the Secretariat to Mr Adam Greenland with details of further consultation with Southland's Harbourmaster and Fiordland Marine Guardians.

#### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3516061). The NZGB proposed that Edwardson Sound, Cunaris Sound, Isthmus Sound and Long Sound, which are also Fiordland 'sounds' names that had not been included with the proposals, be also dual named with original Māori names.

The NZGB noted the definitions of 'Fiord', 'Sound', and 'Inlet' and agreed that the features are more correctly fiords. The NZGB noted that when the features were named 'sounds' and 'inlets'

in the early to mid-1800s, it was unlikely that anyone in New Zealand would have been familiar with the recent glaciation theory hypothesised by Norwegian geologists, so no specific distinction was made between a 'fiord', a 'sound' and an 'inlet'.

The NZGB noted that when it had considered similar proposals in 1992 and 2003, although not for dual names, it had acknowledged that the features were clearly fiords but declined to alter the generic terms from 'Sound' and 'Inlet' to 'Fiord' based on the significance of the features and that the generics were entrenched in New Zealand history.

The NZGB agreed that that the desire for accuracy had motivated the proposer. The NZGB queried the logic of altering all of the 'sounds' and 'inlets' to 'fiords' if the two most visited features, Milford Sound/Piopiotaahi and Doubtful Sound/Patea, are not altered (noting that they cannot be altered because they are protected by the Ngāi Tahu Claims Settlement Act 1998 and they can only be altered by an amendment to that Act). The NZGB noted that there could be an argument for putting the English name first in a dual name, for consistency with Milford Sound/Piopiotaahi and Doubtful Sound/Patea.

The NZGB noted that some of the features aren't sheltered by islands, and that some of the names differ from those Captain Cook originally gave, for example, Dusky Bay and Doubtful Harbour. The NZGB noted that tourist operators market 'the Sounds of Silence'.

### Resolution

*That the NZGB **decline** the two proposals to **alter** the official names:*

- *Doubtful Sound/Patea to **Doubtful Fiord / Pātea***
- *Milford Sound/Piopiotaahi to **Milford Fiord / Piopiotaahi***

*Based on them being included in the [Ngāi Tahu Claims Settlement Act 1998](#), so an amendment to that Act is required to alter them.*

**Moved**                      Mr David Barnes  
**Seconded**                 Mr Adam Greenland  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

### Action required

- *Secretariat to advise the proposer of the NZGB's decision to decline the proposals to alter Doubtful Sound/Patea and Milford Sound/Piopiotaahi.*

### Further NZGB discussion

The NZGB considered the remaining 13 proposals. The NZGB agreed that there would be no maritime safety issues if dual names were to be applied as large vessels are piloted and the English name would be retained.

The NZGB noted that Edwardson Sound, Cunaris Sound, Isthmus Sound and Long Sound, are extensions of other sounds. The NZGB agreed to propose them as dual names with their original Māori names sourced from *Kā Huru Manu*, and request Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu (TRONT) to confirm their original Māori names and their orthography once they have been checked by a licenced translator. The NZGB agreed that the final decision to accept its additional dual name proposals be delegated to the Acting Chairperson who will advise the NZGB prior to public notification.

The NZGB noted that the English names are very well established and agreed that it is important to acknowledge their history by retaining the English part of the name in a dual name.

The NZGB noted that there is likely to be a number of parties interested in the proposals and agreed to ask LINZ Strategic Communications to assist with preparing a media release on the NZGB's reasons for deciding on the dual name proposals.

The NZGB noted that timing for public notification/consultation would depend on the response from TRONT re the appropriate original Māori names for six of the proposals.

### **Resolutions**

That the NZGB **accept** 13 proposals to **alter** the unofficial recorded names to official dual names:

1. Sutherland Sound to **Te Hāpua / Sutherland Sound**
2. Bligh Sound to **Hāwea / Bligh Sound**
3. George Sound to **Te Houhou / George Sound**
4. Caswell Sound to **Taitetimu / Caswell Sound**
5. Charles Sound to **Taiporoporo / Charles Sound**
6. Nancy Sound to **Hinenui / Nancy Sound**
7. Thompson Sound to **Te Moeanu / Thompson Sound**  
**OR to Te Awa-o-Tū / Thompson Sound**
8. Bradshaw Sound to **Kaikiekie / Bradshaw Sound**
9. Dagg Sound to **Te Rā / Dagg Sound**
10. Breaksea Sound to **Paraikite / Breaksea Sound**  
**OR to Te Puaitaha / Breaksea Sound**
11. Dusky Sound to **Tamatea / Dusky Sound**
12. Chalky Inlet to **Taiari / Chalky Inlet**
13. Preservation Inlet to **Rakituma / Preservation Inlet**

#### **Based on:**

- the NZGB's functions to investigate and determine the priority of the discovery of a geographic feature, and to collect and encourage the use of original Māori names on official charts and maps,
- the Māori part of the names being original Māori place names confirmed by TRONT, and a Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori licenced translator having confirmed the orthography of those names,
- triple names being unacceptable,
- retaining the English part making it easier to identify the features for navigation and in an emergency,
- applying the Māori name first meeting the NZGB's dual naming practice, and dual naming recognising the historical significance of both parts of the names (noting that the order is inconsistent with the two Treaty settlement names),
- long term use of the generic terms 'Sound' and 'Inlet', and
- long term use and to acknowledge the history of the English parts of the dual names.

#### **Subject to:**

- TRONT confirming which original Māori name it prefers to dual name with Thompson Sound and Breaksea Sound. Noting that the other original Māori name will be added to the New Zealand Gazetteer as a 'Collected' name to enable its discovery.

**Noting** advice from GNS Science that the features are fiords because they were formed from river valleys deepened by ice from melted glaciers, and that TRONT has no comment on the use of 'Sound' or 'Fiord'.

#### **And**

**Notify** as proposals to alter for three months.

#### **AND**

That the NZGB **accept** four additional proposals to **alter** these unofficial recorded names to official dual names, with the original Māori name being the first part of the dual name:

1. **Edwardson Sound**
2. **Cunaris Sound**
3. **Long Sound**
4. **Isthmus Sound**

**Based on:** the features being geographically associated with the other 13 'sounds' name proposals.

#### **Subject to:**

- original Māori names for the features being sourced from Kā Huru Manu,
- a licenced te reo Māori translator confirming the orthography of those names,
- TRONT confirming the original Māori names and the orthographic advice on them,

#### **AND**

**Agree** that the final decision be delegated to the Acting Chairperson who will make the decision on the basis of the information received and advise the NZGB prior to public notification.

**Moved** Ms Jenni Vernon  
**Seconded** Mr Matanuku Mahuika  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### **Actions required**

- Secretariat to source original Māori names from Kā Huru Manu for Edwardson Sound, Cunaris Sound, Long Sound and Isthmus Sound, and seek confirmation from a Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori licensed translator on the orthography of those names.
- Secretariat to seek confirmation from TRONT on the four plus two original Māori names and the orthographic advice on them.
- Acting Chairperson to make the final decisions on the additional four proposals based on the information received and advise the NZGB prior to public notification.
- Secretariat to notify the dual names as proposals to alter for three months.
- Secretariat to ask LINZ Strategic Communications to assist with preparing a press release on the NZGB's reasons for accepting the dual name proposals.

### **12.3. Saint-Arnaud Range and Saint-Arnaud Stream (from Holmes)**

#### **NZGB discussion**

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3503523). The NZGB noted that it had considered a proposal to alter the name of the township from St. Arnaud to Lake Rotoiti some years ago and that the township had been deeply divided over the proposal.

#### **Resolutions**

That the NZGB **Decline** the proposals to **alter** St. Arnaud Range to **Saint-Arnaud Range**, and St. Arnaud Stream to **Saint-Arnaud Stream**, based on:

- long term use of St. Arnaud Range and St. Arnaud Steam as the official names of the features,
- inconsistency with the name of the associated St. Arnaud township, and
- the correct form of the French surname being 'de Saint-Arnaud'.

#### **AND**

**Agree** to acknowledge the history and origin of St. Arnaud (township), St. Arnaud Range, and St. Arnaud Stream in the [New Zealand Gazetteer](#).

**Moved** Mr Matanuku Mahuika  
**Seconded** Professor Merata Kawharu  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### **Actions required**

- Secretariat to advise proposer of the NZGB's decision to decline.
- Secretariat to record the history and origin of St. Arnaud (township), St. Arnaud Range, and St. Arnaud Stream in the New Zealand Gazetteer.

## **13. Recorded and collected names to be approved as official**

### **13.1. Say-it-Tika**

#### **NZGB discussion**

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3495892).

#### **Appendix A: recorded names to approve:**

The NZGB noted that the list of the top 200 Māori place names searched on Google™ includes a number of significant towns, localities and suburbs. The NZGB noted that the changes may

cause concern to the affected communities. The NZGB noted that the current list identifies many additional names due to duplication and groups of associated names.

The NZGB noted that it has previously agreed that the addition of a macron does not alter a Māori name, but standardises its orthography. The NZGB noted that all pending Treaty settlement names were excluded from the list. However, some iwi had not yet begun their Treaty settlement negotiations, for example, iwi in Northland whose names may be included in future Treaty settlement negotiations.

The NZGB noted that if there is opposition to a place name or an error needs to be corrected, the public has the right to come back to the NZGB with a full proposal.

The NZGB agreed that the recommendation should clearly state that the purpose is to standardise orthography, that names subject to Treaty settlement may be changed, and to acknowledge the right of the public to propose other names to the NZGB.

The NZGB noted that the list of names followed an initiative between Vodafone™ and Google™ to encourage the correct pronunciation of Māori place names using the '[Say it Tika](#)' app. The NZGB noted that a list of the next 5000 most-searched place names extrapolated out to nearly 20000 names in the Gazetteer. This is due to duplication and associated names, and further analysis is required.

The NZGB discussed whether Oakura (No.225), Ngongotaha (Nos.217-220), and Waitakere should have macrons, and noted that Manukau Harbour (No.166) should correctly be 'Manuka'. The NZGB noted the original purpose of Vodafone™'s Say it Tika project was to assist with pronunciation, rather than to determine correct orthography, and standardisation by adding a macron can be helpful for pronunciation. The NZGB noted that the licensed translator has based her advice for each name on orthographic conventions and some supporting information. However, there has been no consultation with iwi. The NZGB noted advice from the Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori observer that the majority of the names will be correct, although there may be other views, ultimately orthography is dependent on local use. The NZGB noted that Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori uses a macron to achieve standardisation, rather than the double vowel convention that Waikato Tainui uses. The NZGB requested that the licensed translator reviews the orthography of Waitakere.

## **Resolutions**

*That the NZGB **approve** as **official** the **629** recorded place names listed in **Table 1** at the end of these minutes, based on:*

- *this action addressing increased expectations from government and the public that the NZGB as the national naming authority will hold standardised orthography for Māori place names,*
- *the NZGB previously agreeing that the addition of a macron does not prevent a recorded place name being approved as official under section 24 of the NZGB Act 2008 because it is not an alternative name,*
- *there being no other recorded names known for the features, and*
- *public objection being unlikely,*

**Noting** that if an error is found, or if the name is opposed, the public can come back to the NZGB with proposals to alter through sections 16-21 of the NZGB Act 2008,

**and**

**Notify** in terms of section 21(2) of the NZGB Act 2008.

**Moved** Professor Merata Kawharu

**Seconded** Mr Matanuku Mahuika

**All in favour**

**Carried**

## **Actions required**

- *Secretariat to review orthography of Waitakere with Te Haumihiata Mason.*

- *Secretariat to notify under section 24(3) of the NZGB Act 2008 the 629 recorded place names listed in **Table 1** at the end of these minutes.*

### **Appendix B: 24 official names to correct**

The NZGB noted that while no public consultation is required for place names approved under the section 24 of the NZGB Act 2008, it should let the public know of its decisions. The NZGB noted that the section 24 fast track process does require the NZGB to publicly notify its final decision in the *NZ Gazette*, in a national newspaper or by electronic media, and if appropriate in a newspaper in the area of the feature. The NZGB agreed that some of the place names could be considered to be significant, but the addition of a macron to a Māori place name to standardise orthography is not an alteration. The NZGB noted that when Kaikōura was approved as official there was no public response.

The NZGB agreed that while the public dislike change, the NZGB needs to show leadership. The NZGB agreed that these are significant decisions that will have a significant impact. The NZGB acknowledged the considerable work done by Secretariat and Te Haumihiata Mason on this project.

### **Resolution**

*That the NZGB **notify corrigenda** to standardise with macrons the **24** official place names listed in **Table 2** at the end of these minutes.*

**Moved** Ms Adrienne Staples  
**Seconded** Mr Tekau Rikirangi Gage  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

### **Action required**

- *Secretariat to notify corrigenda to standardise with macrons the 24 official place names listed in **Table 2** at the end of these minutes.*

*Ms Fiona Morris left the hui at 12.35pm  
 Lunch 12.35pm – 1.18pm*

## **13.2. Kā Huru Manu**

### **NZGB discussion**

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3560351). The NZGB noted that at its September 2018 hui it had agreed to accept TRONT's online atlas *Kā Huru Manu* and its reference sources as an authoritative source of recorded place names. The NZGB noted that the Secretariat has worked with TRONT on a process for recording and collecting names in the *Gazetteer*, some of which may be approved as official. The NZGB noted that the place names in *Kā Huru Manu* generally fall into three categories: exactly the same names as in the *Gazetteer*, new names and different names.

The NZGB noted that Appendices A and B list the names that the Secretariat was able to bring to the NZGB for consideration at this hui and that further names will be brought to the NZGB as they are worked through with TRONT. The NZGB noted that a licensed translator and TRONT have reviewed and confirmed the orthography of all of the names under consideration.

The NZGB noted that in some cases TRONT uses a different generic for the feature type from that used in *Gazetteer* and that TRONT is happy for the NZGB to continue to use the generic as it appears in the *Gazetteer*.

The NZGB noted the TRONT contraction of two-word place names, for example, Māpou Tahī to Māpoutahī and Ō Mihi to Ōmihi, and noted that these names had been collected from the NZGB's 1995 NZMS346/1 map 'Māori names at 1840'. The NZGB agreed that orthography conventions have developed, so the names require amending. The NZGB noted that 'Pā' is included in Rīpapa Pā in Appendix B, whereas for other pā listed in both Appendices it was not

included. The NZGB considered that this may be intended to show that Rīpapa Pā is a separate feature from the island of the same name. The NZGB agreed that these names be removed for further clarification from TRONT:

- Appendix A: No.26 Māpoutahi, No.51 Ōnawe, No.52 Ōnuku
- Appendix B: No.31 Rīpapa Pā

## Resolutions

*That the NZGB **accept** the criteria agreed between the NZGB Secretariat and TRONT for:*

- *approving existing recorded names in the Gazetteer confirmed to be tūturu TRONT names [Category 1]*
- *recording new names from Kā Huru Manu and approving them [Category 2]*
- *collecting new names from Kā Huru Manu where there is a completely different new name [Category 3].*

**Noting** more details below under 'Meeting with TRONT 22 November 2018',

**AND**

**Approve as official** under section 24 of the NZGB Act 2008 **120** recorded place names in

**Table 3** at the end of these minutes [existing recorded names – Category 1] based on:

- *confirmation by TRONT that the existing recorded names are TRONT's tūturu (authentic) original Māori names, and having no concerns about English generic terms (as applicable),*
- *there being no other recorded names known for the features,*
- *public objection being unlikely*
- *confirmation of the orthography from an expert TTWh licenced translator.*

**Noting** that the NZGB has recently decided that adding or removing a macron is not considered an orthographic change, so those names with macron changes are included in this list,

**Deferring** three names, No.26 Māpoutahi, No.51 Ōnawe, No.52 Ōnuku, for further consultation with TRONT on the inclusion or exclusion of the generic term 'Pā',

**AND**

**Approve as official** under section 24 of the NZGB Act 2008 the **58** newly recorded place names in **Table 4** at the end of these minutes [new recorded names – Category 2] based on:

- *there being no other recorded names known for the features,*
- *confirmation of the orthography from an expert TTWh licenced translator,*
- *public objection being unlikely,*

**Deferring** one name, No.31 Rīpapa Pā, for further consultation with TRONT on the inclusion or exclusion of the generic term 'Pā',

**AND**

**Agree to collect** in the Gazetteer all tūturu (authentic) TRONT names where there is a different existing name in the Gazetteer, whether official or unofficial (including orthographic differences beyond just macrons), and publish the names for public discoverability [collected names – Category 3],

**and**

**Note** they would not include an English generic term,

**and**

**Note** the Secretariat will complete analysis of ~800 names identified in this category, and report back to the NZGB on:

- *lists of names collected and published in the Gazetteer,*
- *names that instead meet the criteria of the other two categories to instead consider for approval.*

**Moved**

Professor Merata Kawharu

**Seconded**

Ms Adrienne Staples

**All in favour**

**Carried**

## Actions required

- *Secretariat to clarify with TRONT use of the generic 'Pā' for (Appendix A) No.26 Māpoutahi, No.51 Ōnawe, No.52 Ōnuku; and (Appendix B) Rīpapa Pā.*

- Secretariat to notify 178 names from Tables 3 and 4 at the end of these minutes, under section 24(3) of the NZGB Act 2008.
- Secretariat to complete analysis of ~800 collected names and add as applicable to the Gazetteer.

## 14. Crown Protected Area names

### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3535129).

## Committees

## 15. Undersea Feature Names Committee

### 15.1. Administrative recommendations

#### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3524487).

**Terms of Reference (ToR):** The NZGB noted that the UFNC has revised its ToR and consolidated the headings to 'Structure' and 'Purpose'. The NZGB agreed that the two incidences of 'should' should be replaced with 'shall' in the document.

#### Resolution

*That the NZGB **approve** the changes to the UFNC's Terms of Reference as agreed by the UFNC at its hui on 30 January 2019, with this amendment: replace 'should' with 'shall'*

**Moved** Mr Matanuku Mahuika

**Seconded** Ms Adrienne Staples

**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### Action required

- Secretariat to amend ToR as noted above.

**SCUFN<sup>4</sup>'s draft new edition of its B-6 Guidelines:** The NZGB noted the recommendation in the new edition of the *B-6 Guidelines* that could prevent SCUFN from accepting Māori names for undersea features in Antarctica. The NZGB noted that the LINZ National Hydrographer will present the NZGB's concerns at the IHO Inter-Regional Coordination Committee hui in June 2019. The NZGB noted that the draft guidelines are due to be ratified at the next SCUFN meeting in August 2019. However, any change to the wording may have to be included in the following edition, which could be some years away.

The NZGB agreed to formally endorse the actions of the UFNC in requesting a change to the recommendation, and proposed that it be altered to include reference to indigenous values with this wording: '...specific terms should relate to the Antarctic region, explorers, researchers or vessels, and recognise and encourage the application of indigenous names'. The NZGB agreed that if SCUFN does not accept this wording then the LINZ National Hydrographer should request that the recommendation be deleted from the *B-6 Guidelines*.

#### Resolutions

*That the NZGB **approve** the briefing paper provided for the LINZ National Hydrographer to raise the NZGB's concerns about the 'Antarctic naming principles', which have been added to the new draft edition of the B-6 Guidelines, at the IHO's Inter-Regional Coordination Committee meeting in June 2019, and **request** the IHO to add wording to 'recognise and encourage the application*

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<sup>4</sup> Sub-Committee on Undersea Feature Names



*of indigenous names', or otherwise delete wording that may prevent SCUFN accepting Māori names from the NZGB for undersea features in Antarctica.*

**Moved** Professor Merata Kawharu  
**Seconded** Acting Chairperson  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### **Action required**

- *LINZ National Hydrographer to lobby at the IHO's Inter-Regional Coordination Committee for the latest version of the B-6 Guidelines to be edited for naming Antarctic undersea feature names, or be deleted.*

#### **NZGB's Strategic Plan and Actions**

The NZGB noted that a number of undersea features in the Ross Sea and Southern Ocean are being named by foreign vessels including features that New Zealand has already 'discovered'. The NZGB agreed that it needs to be proactive and assert New Zealand's sovereignty by assigning appropriate names to undersea features, especially Māori names. The NZGB noted that GNS Science has proposed a project to put undersea feature name proposals together for 20 features in the Ross Dependency based on good bathymetry. The NZGB noted that this will take time and effort but it is important for New Zealand internationally and agreed that it is a strategic priority of the NZGB.

The NZGB noted that it is generally reactive, not proactive, to proposals. The NZGB agreed that a proposal for funding the project be developed by LINZ with GNS Science providing the research and the Secretariat processing the proposals. This would separate the NZGB from any conflict of interest. The project work could potentially be done by a summer student or intern.

The NZGB requested a one page organisational chart showing the relationship between the IHO<sup>5</sup>, IOC<sup>6</sup>, GEBCO<sup>7</sup> and SCUFN.

#### **Resolutions**

*That the NZGB **approve** the UFNC's request to prioritise a project to name discovered but unnamed undersea features in the Ross Dependency and add it to the NZGB's Strategic Action Plan,*

**And**

***Noting** that the total cost of \$12,900 is not included in the NZGB's budget,*

**And**

***Recognise** the strategic importance of undersea feature naming in the Ross Dependency and **delegate** to the Secretariat to confirm funding for the project, in discussion with LINZ.*

**Moved** Mr Adam Greenland  
**Seconded** Mr Matanuku Mahuika  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### **Actions required**

- *Secretariat to confirm funding from LINZ for the project to name undersea features in the Ross Sea region of Antarctic.*
- *Secretariat to provide an organisation chart showing the link between IHO, IOC, GEBCO and SCUFN.*

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<sup>5</sup> International Hydrographic Organization

<sup>6</sup> International Oceanographic Commission

<sup>7</sup> General Bathymetric Chart of the Oceans

## 15.2. Delegated decisions on undersea feature names (38)

### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3534108).

## 15.3. SCUFN-31

### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3516266). The NZGB noted that New Zealand will have a new member, Mr Kevin Mackay, on SCUFN. The NZGB agreed to write to Dr Vaughan Stagpoole and thank him for his work at SCUFN on behalf of the NZGB.

### Action required

- *Secretary to write to Dr Vaughan Stagpoole to thank him for his work at SCUFN on behalf of the NZGB.*

## 16. Māori Names Committee (MNC)

### NZGB discussion

The NZGB did not receive a written report, however the MNC Chair reported verbally on the hui held yesterday, 10 April 2019, with notes provided by the Secretary (LinZone ID A3539875).

### Outstanding actions:

- Crean Deep: Tā Tipene O'Regan will be asked for a suitable Māori name or the action will be removed and the UFNC advised that the MNC has no suggestion.
- Kawhitihu: derivation will be followed up with a licensed translator.
- Poverty Bay Canyon: will be followed up with Tūranganui people and the UFNC advised of their view.
- *Oral History Atlas* stories: The Secretariat will follow up Tā Tipene O'Regan's three stories. The MNC will continue work on the Tairāwhiti ocean stories for Moki and Kahawai, and Mr Mark Te One was asked to source another story through his contacts.

**Terms of Reference:** These have been amended substantially and will be tabled for the NZGB's approval at a future hui.

**Zealandia: name for continent:** The earlier suggestion that came to the MNC was for Te Riu-a-Māui however Māui is not relevant to the sea floor and is not a tipuna of all iwi. The MNC agreed that the continent that New Zealand sits should have a Māori name. The MNC does not support a dual name, and suggested Te Riu-o-Tangaroa instead. GNS Science will be asked to make a choice, to consult, and to make a proposal to the NZGB. The observer from Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori will check the orthography of Tangaroa.

### Action required

- *Observer from Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori will check the orthography of Tangaroa.*

**Westpac names:** The Secretariat will request suitable Māori names from TRONT.

### Action required

- *Secretariat will request suitable Māori names from TRONT.*

**Letter from Tā Tipene O'Regan:** The NZGB noted the thanks expressed in the letter.

**MNC membership:** The NZGB noted the MNC membership confirmed as: Mr Matanuku Manuika, Mr Tekau Rikirangi Gage, Professor Merata Kawharu, Ms Paulette Tamati-Elliffe, Ms Kylie Brown and Mr Mark Te One.

## 17. Antarctic Names Committee

### 17.1. Administrative recommendations

#### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3569253).

**ANC membership and Terms of Reference:** The NZGB noted that at least one person on the ANC should have the skills necessary to bring a Māori perspective to matters discussed and that the current membership includes Professor Merata Kawharu. The NZGB agreed to this amendment to the ToR:

- Structure: 1<sup>st</sup> bullet point: *three NZGB members (one member nominated by the Māori Names Committee and two other NZGB members).*

The NZGB noted that the ANC had discussed political concerns relating to naming in the Antarctic and that a pamphlet to encourage proposals for new place names has been prepared for distribution to researchers travelling through Antarctica New Zealand in Christchurch to Antarctica.

#### Resolutions

*That the NZGB **reconfirm** Mr Graeme Blick (LINZ, Antarctic expert, representative of the NZ Royal Society) as the ANC Chair,*

#### And

***Approve** the changes to the ANC's Terms of Reference as agreed by the ANC at its 6 March 2019 hui, **noting** the increased quorum to 'two NZGB members and at least one Antarctic expert', and that ANC composition has been changed to 'three NZGB members (one member nominated by the Māori Names Committee and two other NZGB members)'.*

**Moved** Ms Jenni Vernon

**Seconded** Ms Adrienne Staples

**All in favour**

**Carried**

#### Action required

- *Secretariat to amend ToR as noted above.*

### 17.2. Strategic recommendations

#### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3569115). The NZGB noted frustration in working within the international conventions and diplomatic channels to address concerns about naming in Antarctica and protecting New Zealand's sovereignty. The NZGB noted that the ANC had discussed this at length at its hui on 6 March 2019. The NZGB noted that work was being done through other channels to help avoid conflict, and that New Zealand has a relationship protocol with the United States. However, MFAT<sup>8</sup> is not keen on agreements with other nations. The NZGB noted that work on new international Antarctic naming guidelines through SCAGI<sup>9</sup> and recent liaison with the Republic of Korea showed some progress, however MFAT needs to be fully briefed and engaged. The NZGB noted there had been a change in the MFAT's personnel responsible for Antarctica. The NZGB noted that there is no one overarching authority for naming in Antarctica. However, the Secretary is involved in preparing the Toponymic Guidelines for naming in Antarctica, which could be incorporated into the Antarctic Treaty system.

The NZGB agreed that the Acting Chairperson with Mr Adam Greenland and Mr Graeme Blick should meet with MFAT to explain the NZGB's concerns. Mr David Barnes also offered to participate.

<sup>8</sup> Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade

<sup>9</sup> Standing Committee on Antarctic Geographic information

## Resolutions

That the NZGB **approve** the ANC's request to add to the NZGB's Strategy/Te Rautaki 2018-2023 under 'What our success looks like':

- We have formalised international relationships in Antarctica through new naming protocols or MOUs.

### And

**Include** reference to the NZGB's international relationships in Good Relationships under Goals and Objectives,

- We represent New Zealand's international interests

### and

**Approve** the ANC's request to prioritise this action in the NZGB's Strategic Action Plan to a '1', up from a '2'.

**Noting** that support from MFAT would be required to achieve new international naming agreements and MFAT does not favour new bilateral naming agreements.

### And

**Consider** what steps the NZGB can take with MFAT to prioritise preserving NZ place names in Antarctica.

**Moved** Ms Jenni Vernon

**Seconded** Mr David Barnes

**All in favour**

**Carried**

## Actions required

- Secretariat to update the NZGB's Strategy/Te Rautaki 2018-2023 and Action Plan as discussed.
- Secretariat to arrange a meeting with MFAT for NZGB members to discuss the NZGB's concerns about naming in Antarctica.

## 17.3. Naming recommendations and project updates

### NZGB discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3571097). The NZGB noted that the whole Secretariat team has been involved in the improvement project, and the names would not be gazetted until they had been fully checked in terms of the Secretariat's peer review process. The NZGB acknowledged the work and efficiency of the ANC, and thanked Mr Christopher Stephens for his work.

## 18. Secretary's report

### NZGB Discussion

The NZGB noted the report and information provided (LinZone ID A3569500). Further to the report the Secretary verbally reported on these items:

#### 18.1. List of policies and reference documents

Noted.

#### 18.2. TRONT Otago Region recorded names (~3000)

The Secretariat has begun processing recorded place names for approval in the Wellington Region. Councils have been asked if any of their recorded names are controversial or if there are other known names for a feature. Any names identified as such will be taken off the list for approval. The Secretariat contacts councils by phone and email, and provides them with spreadsheets and data files. To date all engagement with councils has been positive.

#### 18.3. Engagement guidelines from Te Arawhiti

There are a number of areas where Treaty claimants would like a direct relationship with the NZGB and Secretariat. The Secretariat is looking to ask Te Arawhiti (Māori Crown Relations Unit) for advice on where and how improvements might be made in relationships. The NZGB noted

that claimants lack of confidence in engaging with Te Arawhiti (Māori Crown Relations Unit) and there is a general disconnect and lack of understanding about name proposals and how the stories provided connect to the proposed name. A large turnover in analysts has resulted in a lack of understanding, and the quality of advice provided can depend on the level of experience of the analyst being dealt with. The challenge is to ensure that the people compiling the names and providing information to claimants are properly informed. The NZGB noted that education and liaison between Te Arawhiti and claimants is an important focus for the NZGB. The NZGB agreed that effort has been put into the protocols, and that education about the work of the NZGB needs to continue.

Afternoon tea: 3.07pm to 3.25pm

#### **18.4. Proposed new standards for New Zealand and Antarctic naming**

Noted.

#### **18.5. Proposals not meeting minimum requirements**

Ōpōtiki District: The NZGB noted that the NZGB Act 2008 is very prescriptive about altering the name of a district, and that documented evidence of consultation is a minimum requirement of the NZGB. To process the proposal at this stage would require the Acting Chairperson to waive the minimum requirements.

The Acting Chairperson agreed to waive outstanding minimum requirements, noting that standardising the name with macrons was a minor change, and in terms of consistency, the NZGB had earlier resolved (Agenda item 13) to standardise the names of Ōpōtiki (town) and Ōpōtiki (hill), which are within the district, with macrons.

#### **Action required**

- *NZGB to consider the proposal to alter Opotiki District to Ōpōtiki District at its 20 June 2019 hui.*

#### **18.6. Proposals in the pipeline**

Noted.

#### **18.7. Compliance**

The NZGB noted that the Federated Mountain Club's NZGB member has contacted the new editor of its bulletin about the use of incorrect place names and advised that the Gazetteer is the official source of place names. The NZGB noted that there is also an issue with DOC, which routinely refers to Westland National Park/Tai Poutini National Park as 'Westland / Tai Poutini National Park' which is not precisely accurate.

*Professor Michael Roche left the hui at 3.30pm.*

#### **18.8. Audits**

The NZGB noted that the new edition of the NZTopo50-BG43 map is showing the official dual name, Tūranginui-a-Kiwa / Poverty Bay. The NZGB noted that LINZ Hydrographic team is not able to provide feature names' data to enable the Secretariat to audit its charts.

#### **18.9. Gazetteer enhancements**

The NZGB noted that LINZ has agreed to produce a new Antarctic base map for the Gazetteer. This is exciting news and means that the Gazetteer will have context for the NZGB's jurisdiction in Antarctica.

#### **18.10. Projects**

Noted.

### 18.11. Tūranganui-a-Kiwa / Poverty Bay

#### Resolution

That the NZGB confirm the new process for NZGB media releases set out in 'Changes to Process for Media Releases when the Minister is Making a Final Decision on Place Names' with this amendment:

- 1<sup>st</sup> bullet point: The NZGB considered the [name of proposal] at its hui [on]. In line with the [Act] the proposal will now be referred to the Minister for Land Information for her/his consideration and decision.

**Moved** Acting Chairperson  
**Seconded** Ms Jenni Vernon  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

#### Action required

- Secretariat to amend media process as noted above.

### 18.12. Gazetted decisions

Noted.

### 18.13. Enquiries

Noted. The NZGB requested that the Secretariat provide it with a list of OIA<sup>10</sup>s and PQ<sup>11</sup>s it receives, including when they were received and what for.

#### Action required

- Secretariat to provide NZGB hui with a list of OIAs and PQs it receives, including when they were received and what for.

### 18.14. Media

The State Services Commission has requested that government agencies discontinue use of Facebook™ for advertising.

### 18.15. International

UNGEEN<sup>12</sup> 29 April 2019 to 3 May 2019, New York: The Secretary will represent New Zealand at this session and has prepared five papers which have been posted on the UNGEEN website, and are also available from the Secretariat. The NZGB noted that New Zealand has an influential role at UNGEEN.

### 18.16. NZGB membership

The NZGB noted that this item had been discussed under Agenda item 6.

*Ms Adrienne Staples left the hui at 3.45pm.*

## Other business

### 19. Other business

#### Budget planning

The NZGB noted these projects scheduled to be considered in the LINZ budget planning process:

- Gazetteer data improvements, enhancements and cleansing,
- Standards for place naming in Antarctica and New Zealand,
- Naming of suburbs and localities, involvement with councils on road names and addressing; a business case would be needed with a sub-committee involving the NZGB,
- Fire and emergency database: the Localities Committee doesn't work well and there are anomalies (separate localities for water bodies) and overlap with the role of the NZGB, and

<sup>10</sup> Official Information Act request

<sup>11</sup> Parliamentary Question

<sup>12</sup> United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

- Changes and additions to the NZGB's NZMS 346 maps (Māori place names at 1840).

The NZGB agreed that students and/or interns could be used if the projects are approved, and noted that the NZGB has ~\$70,000 set aside in its budget for these strategic initiatives. The NZGB agreed that the Acting Chairperson should take the above suggestions through LINZ's budget planning process, and update the NZGB on the outcome at its hui in October 2019.

### **Resolution**

*That the NZGB support the Secretariat in seeking additional funding and resources to achieve the NZGB's strategic initiatives.*

**Moved** Ms Jenni Vernon  
**Seconded** Mr Tekau Rikirangi Gage  
**All in favour**  
**Carried**

### **Action**

- *Acting Chairperson to discuss specific funding from LINZ for the NZGB's strategic initiatives.*

*Ms Ginny Leggett left the hui at 3.55pm*

The Acting Chairperson acknowledged the Secretariat's extensive work in preparing the papers for this NZGB's hui.

Mr Mark Te One closed the hui at 4.00pm with a karakia.

Certified as a true and correct record of the hui:

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Mr Anselm Haanen, Acting Chairperson

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Table 1**  
**Say-it-Tika, 629 recorded names to approve as official**

Ahipara	Locality
Ahipara	Hill
Ahipara Bay	Bay
Ahuriri Bay	Bay
Ahuriri Bay	Bay
Ahuriri Point	Point
Ahuriri Point	Point
Ahuriri Stream	Stream
Akaroa	Locality
Aokautere	Locality
Aokautere Forest	Forest
Aranui Cave	Cave
Āwhitu	Locality
Āwhitu Central	Locality
Black Waiau Stream	Stream
Haumoana	Town
Hāwera	Hill
Hāwera	Hill
Hāwera	Hill
Hāwera	Town
Hāwera Stream	Stream
Hāwera Stream	Stream
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
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Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Locality
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi	Hill
Hikurangi Falls	Waterfall
Hikurangi Point	Point
Hikurangi Range	Range
Hikurangi River	Stream
Hikurangi Stream	Stream
Hikurangi Stream	Stream
Hikurangi Stream	Stream
Hikurangi Stream	Stream
Hūkerenui	Locality

Kaikohe	Town
Kaikōura	Hill
Kaikōura Creek	Stream
Kaikōura Stream	Stream
Kaiwaka	Locality
Kaiwaka Bay	Bay
Kaiwaka No. 1 Island	Island
Kaiwaka No. 2 Island	Island
Kaiwaka Point	Point
Kaiwaka Point	Point
Kaiwaka River	Stream
Kaiwaka Stream	Stream
Kaiwaka Stream	Stream
Karaka	Hill
Karaka	Locality
Karaka Bay	Bay
Karaka Bay	Bay
Karaka Bay	Bay
Karaka Bay	Bay
Karaka Creek	Stream
Karaka Island	Island
Karaka Point	Point
Karaka Point	Point
Karaka Point	Point
Karaka Point	Point
Karaka Point	Point
Karaka Point	Point
Karaka Point	Point
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karaka Stream	Stream
Karekare	Locality
Karekare Stream	Stream
Karekare Stream	Stream
Karori	Suburb
Karori Rock	Island
Karori Stream	Stream
Karori West	Suburb
Katikati	Locality
Katikati Entrance	Channel
Kaukapakapa	Locality



Kaukapakapa River	Stream
Kawakawa	Hill
Kawakawa	Hill
Kawakawa	Locality
Kawakawa	Locality
Kawakawa Bay	Bay
Kawakawa Bay	Bay
Kawakawa Bay	Locality
Kawakawa Point	Point
Kawakawa River	Stream
Kawakawa Stream	Stream
Kawakawa Stream	Stream
Kawakawa Stream	Stream
Kawau	Hill
Kawau Bay	Bay
Kawau Creek	Stream
Kawau Island	Island
Kawau Point	Point
Kawau Stream	Stream
Kerikeri	Locality
Kerikeri Inlet	Bay
Kerikeri Inlet	Locality
Kerikeri River	Stream
Kerikeri River	Stream
Kihikihi	Locality
Kihikihi Stream	Stream
Kūaotunu	Locality
Kūaotunu Beach	Beach
Kūaotunu River	Stream
Kumeū	Locality
Kumeū River	Stream
Lake Karaka	Lake
Lake Karaka	Lake
Lake Maraetai	Lake
Lake Ōkaihau	Lake
Lake Piopio	Lake
Lake Rerewhakaaitu	Lake
Lake Rotorua	Lake
Lake Te Hāpua	Lake
Lake Waiau	Lake
Lake Waikato	Lake
Little Karaka Bay	Bay
Mākara	Locality
Mākara	Hill
Mākara Beach	Locality
Mākara Hill	Hill
Mākara River	Stream

Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mākara Stream	Stream
Mangamuka	Locality
Mangamuka Bridge	Locality
Mangamuka Gorge	Valley
Mangamuka River	Stream
Mangaotaki	Locality
Mangaotaki River	Stream
Mangawhai Bay	Bay
Mangawhai Forest	Forest
Mangawhai Heads	Town
Māngere	Suburb
Māngere Bridge	Suburb
Māngere East	Suburb
Māngere Falls	Waterfall
Māngere River	Stream
Māngere Stream	Stream
Manukau	Hill
Manukau	Locality
Manukau Creek	Stream
Manukau Entrance	Channel
Manukau Harbour	Bay
Manukau Heads	Hill
Manukau Stream	Stream
Manurewa	Town
Manurewa East	Suburb
Manurewa Point	Point
Maraetai	Locality
Maraetai	Locality
Maraetai Bay	Bay
Maraetai Bay	Bay
Maraetai Bay	Bay
Maraetai Beach	Beach
Maraetai Point	Point
Maraetai Point	Point
Maraetai Stream	Stream
Maraetai Stream	Stream
Maramarua	Locality

Maramarua Forest	Forest
Maramarua River	Stream
Matamata	Locality
Matatā	Locality
Maungakaramea	Locality
Moerewa	Locality
Moerewa Point	Point
Mōkau	Locality
Mōkau Bay	Bay
Mōkau Falls	Waterfall
Mōkau Inlet	Bay
Mōkau Stream	Stream
Mōkau Stream	Stream
Mōkau Stream	Stream
Mōrere	Locality
Mōrere Hill	Hill
Mōrere Stream	Stream
Motueka Bay	Bay
Motueka Forest	Forest
Motueka River Left Branch	Stream
Motueka River Right Branch	Stream
Motutere	Hill
Motutere	Locality
Motutere Bay	Bay
Motutere Falls	Waterfall
Motutere Island	Island
Motutere Island	Island
Motutere Point	Point
Motutere Stream	Stream
Mount Maunganui	Hill
Mount Maunganui	Town
Ngāhinapōuri Island	Island
Ngāruawāhia	Locality
Ngātīmoti	Locality
Ngongotahā	Town
Ngongotahā	Hill
Ngongotahā Stream	Stream
Ngongotahā Valley	Locality
North Mākara Stream	Stream
North Ōhau River	Stream
North Taranaki Bight	Bay
Ōakura	Locality
Ōakura	Locality
Ōakura Bay	Bay
Ōakura Stream	Stream
Ōamaru Bay	Bay
Ōamaru Bay	Bay

Ōamaru River	Stream
Ōamaru Stream	Stream
Ōhaeawai	Locality
Ōhakune	Town
Ōhau	Locality
Ōhau Bay	Bay
Ōhau Channel	Stream
Ōhau Gorge	Valley
Ōhau Hill	Hill
Ōhau Point	Point
Ōhau Point	Point
Ōhau River	Stream
Ōhau Stream	Stream
Ōhau Stream	Stream
Ōhau Stream	Stream
Ōhau Stream	Stream
Ōhau Stream	Stream
Ōhau Stream	Stream
Ōhope Beach	Beach
Ōkaihau	Locality
Ōkaihau	Hill
Ōkaihau Stream	Stream
Ōmarama	Hill
Onehunga	Point
Onehunga	Town
Onehunga Bay	Bay
Onehunga Bay	Bay
Onehunga Stream	Stream
Onewhero	Locality
Onewhero Bay	Bay
Onewhero Bay	Bay
Onewhero Stream	Stream
Ōpaheke	Hill
Ōpaheke	Locality
Ōpārau	Locality
Ōpārau River	Stream
Ōpōtiki	Hill
Ōpōtiki	Locality
Ōpōtiki Stream	Stream
Ōpunake	Town
Ōpunake Stream	Stream
Ōrere	Locality
Ōrere Point	Locality
Ōrere River	Stream
Ōrere Stream	Stream
Ōrereti Stream	Stream
Ōrewa Beach	Beach
Ōrewa Hill	Hill

Ōrewa River	Stream
Ōtāhuhu	Town
Ōtāhuhu Creek	Stream
Ōtāhuhu Point	Point
Ōtaki	Hill
Ōtaki	Locality
Ōtaki Beach	Locality
Ōtaki Creek	Stream
Ōtaki Forks	Locality
Ōtaki River	Stream
Ōtara	Hill
Ōtara	Locality
Ōtara	Town
Ōtara Bay	Bay
Ōtara Bay	Bay
Ōtara Creek	Stream
Ōtara Head	Point
Ōtara Point	Point
Ōtara Point	Point
Ōtara Point	Point
Ōtara Point	Point
Ōtara River	Stream
Ōtara Stream	Stream
Ōtara Stream	Stream
Ōtara Stream	Stream
Ōtara Stream	Stream
Ōtara Stream	Stream
Ōtaua	Locality
Ōtaua River	Stream
Ōtaua Stream	Stream
Ōwhata	Locality
Ōwhata	Suburb
Ōwhata Stream	Stream
Ōwhiro	Locality
Ōwhiro Bay	Suburb
Ōwhiro Stream	Stream
Ōwhiro Stream	Stream
Paekākāriki	Town
Paeroa	Hill
Paeroa	Hill
Paeroa	Hill
Paeroa	Hill
Paeroa	Locality
Paeroa Point	Point
Paeroa Range	Range
Paeroa Stream	Stream
Paihia	Locality

Panguru	Hill
Panguru	Locality
Papakura	Hill
Papakura	Town
Papakura Bay	Bay
Papakura Channel	Channel
Papakura Military Camp	Place
Papakura Point	Point
Papakura Stream	Stream
Papakura Stream	Stream
Papamoa Beach	Suburb
Papatoetoe	Town
Parakai	Locality
Paraparaumu	Town
Paraparaumu Beach	Town
Paraparaumu Stream	Stream
Piopio	Hill
Piopio	Locality
Piopio Stream	Stream
Piopio Stream	Stream
Pōkeno	Locality
Pōrangahau	Locality
Pōrangahau River	Stream
Pōrangahau Stream	Stream
Porirua	Town
Porirua Stream	Stream
Port Taranaki	Bay
Port Waikato	Locality
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Locality
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua	Hill
Pukeatua Stream	Stream
Pukekawa	Hill
Pukekawa	Hill
Pukekawa	Locality
Pukekawa	Hill
Pukekohe	Hill
Pukekohe	Hill
Pukekohe	Locality

Pukekohe East	Locality
Pukekohe Hill	Hill
Pukekohe Stream	Stream
Pukekohe Stream	Stream
Pukekohe Stream	Stream
Pukekohe Stream	Stream
Pukekohe Stream	Stream
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu	Locality
Puketapu	Hill
Puketapu Hill	Hill
Puketapu Point	Point
Putāruru	Locality
Raetihi	Hill
Raetihi	Town
Rangiora	Hill
Rangiora	Locality
Rangiora Point	Point
Rangiora River	Stream
Rangiora Stream	Stream
Rangitoto	Hill
Rangitoto	Hill
Rangitoto	Hill
Rangitoto	Hill
Rangitoto	Locality
Rangitoto	Locality
Rangitoto Channel	Channel
Rangitoto Flat	Flat
Rangitoto Island	Island
Rangitoto Peninsula	Peninsula
Rangitoto Point	Point
Rangitoto Range	Range
Raumati Beach	Suburb
Reporoa	Locality
Reporoa Bog	Wetland
Rerewhakaaitu	Hill
Rerewhakaaitu	Locality
Rīwaka	Locality

Rotorua	Town
Ruakākā	Locality
Ruakākā Bay	Bay
Ruakākā River	Stream
Ruakākā Stream	Stream
Ruakākā Stream	Stream
Ruatoki North	Locality
South Ōhau River	Stream
South Taranaki Bight	Bay
Takapuna Beach	Beach
Takapuna Head	Point
Tāneatua	Locality
Tāneatua Stream	Stream
Tangoio Bluff	Cliff
Tangoio Falls	Waterfall
Tangoio Forest	Forest
Taranaki	Hill
Taranaki Bay	Bay
Taranaki Creek	Stream
Taranaki Falls	Waterfall
Taranaki Island	Island
Taranaki Point	Point
Taumarunui	Town
Taupō	Town
Taupō Bay	Locality
Taupō Stream	Stream
Taupō Stream	Stream
Taupō Swamp	Wetland
Tauranga	Hill
Tauranga	Town
Tauranga Bay	Bay
Tauranga Bay	Bay
Tauranga Bay	Locality
Tauranga Central	Suburb
Tauranga Entrance	Channel
Tauranga Harbour	Bay
Tauranga River	Stream
Tauranga South	Suburb
Tauranga Stream	Stream
Tauranga Stream	Stream
Tauranga Stream	Stream
Tauranga Stream	Stream
Tauranga Stream	Stream
Tauranga Valley	Locality
Te Ākau	Locality
Te Ākau Point	Point
Te Ākau Point	Point

Te Ākau Point	Point
Te Ākau South	Locality
Te Ākau Stream	Stream
Te Ākau Stream	Stream
Te Aro	Suburb
Te Aroha	Locality
Te Aroha Bay	Bay
Te Aroha Stream	Stream
Te Aroha West	Locality
Te Atatū South	Suburb
Te Awamutu	Locality
Te Awanga	Locality
Te Hāpua	Locality
Te Hāpua Bay	Bay
Te Hoe	Hill
Te Hoe	Locality
Te Hoe River	Stream
Te Hoe Stream	Stream
Te Hoe Stream	Stream
Te Kaha	Hill
Te Kaha	Locality
Te Kaha Point	Point
Te Kaha Stream	Stream
Te Kao	Locality
Te Kao Bay	Bay
Te Kao Channel	Stream
Te Kao Stream	Stream
Te Karaka Point	Point
Te Kōpuru	Locality
Te Kōpuru Point	Point
Te Ngaere	Hill
Te Puke	Hill
Te Puke	Locality
Te Puke	Hill
Te Puna	Locality
Te Puna	Place
Te Puna Beach	Beach
Te Puna Estuary	Estuary
Te Puna Stream	Stream
Te Teko	Hill
Te Teko	Locality
Te Teko Island	Island
Te Teko Rocks	Island
Te Waewae	Hill
Tikokino	Locality
Timaru Redoubt	Site
Timaru Stream	Stream

Timaru Stream	Stream
Tirau	Hill
Tirau	Locality
Tirau Bay	Bay
Titirangi Point	Point
Tokoroa	Town
Tokoroa Central	Suburb
Tokoroa Island	Island
Tokoroa Point	Point
Tōrere	Locality
Tōrere River	Stream
Tuakau	Locality
Urenui	Hill
Urenui	Locality
Urenui River	Stream
Urenui Stream	Stream
Waiau	Locality
Waiau Bay	Bay
Waiau Beach	Locality
Waiau Falls	Waterfall
Waiau River	Stream
Waiau River	Stream
Waiau River	Stream
Waiau River	Stream
Waiau Stream	Stream
Waiau Stream	Stream
Waiau Stream	Stream
Waiau Stream	Stream
Waiau Stream	Stream
Waiau Stream	Stream
Waikato Falls	Waterfall
Waikato River	Stream
Waikato Stream	Stream
Waikawau	Locality
Waikawau Bay	Bay
Waikawau Beach	Beach
Waikawau River	Stream
Waikawau River	Stream
Waikawau River	Stream
Waikawau Stream	Stream
Waikawau Stream	Stream
Waimakariri Stream	Stream
Waimakariri Stream	Stream
Waimārama	Locality
Waimate	Site
Waimate Channel	Channel
Waimate Island	Island
Waimate North	Locality
Waimate Stream	Stream

Waimate Stream	Stream
Waimate Stream	Stream
Waimate Waterfall	Waterfall
Waimauku	Locality
Waimauku Stream	Stream
Waimauku Stream	Stream
Wainuiomata	Town
Wainuiomata River	Stream
Wainuiomata River East Branch	Stream
Wainuiomata River West Branch	Stream
Wainuiomata Stream	Stream
Waiouru	Locality
Waiouru Military Camp	Locality
Waiouru Stream	Stream
Waipukurau	Town
Wairau Valley	Locality
Waitakaruru	Locality
Waitakaruru Canal	Stream
Waitakaruru Stream	Stream
Waitakaruru Stream	Stream
Waitakere Ranges	Range
Waitakere Reservoir	Lake
Waitakere Stream	Stream
Waitara	Locality
Waitara River	Stream
Waitara Stream	Stream
Waitara Stream	Stream
Waitara Stream	Stream
Waitomo Cave	Cave
Waitomo Caves	Locality
Waitomo Stream	Stream
Waitomo Stream	Stream
Waitomo Valley	Locality
Whakamārama	Locality
Whakarewarewa	Suburb
Whakatāne	Town

Whakatāne River	Stream
Whakatāne Stream	Stream
Whakatiwai	Locality
Whakatiwai Stream	Stream
Whangamatā	Locality
Whangamatā Harbour	Bay
Whanganui	Locality
Whanganui Bay	Bay
Whanganui Falls	Waterfall
Whanganui Inlet	Bay
Whanganui Island	Island
Whanganui Stream	Stream
Whanganui Stream	Stream
Whanganui Stream	Stream
Whanganui Stream	Stream
Whangaparāoa	Town
Whangaparāoa	Locality
Whangaparāoa Bay	Bay
Whangaparāoa Head	Point
Whangaparāoa Passage	Channel
Whangaparāoa River	Stream
Whangārei	Town
Whangārei Falls	Waterfall
Whangārei Harbour	Bay
Whangārei Heads	Locality
Wharepūhunga	Locality
Wharepūhunga	Hill
Whatawhata	Locality
Whitianga	Hill
Whitianga	Locality
Whitianga Bay	Bay
Whitianga Harbour	Bay
Whitianga Stream	Stream
Whitianga Stream	Stream
Wiri	Suburb

**Table 2**  
**Say-it-Tika, 24 official names to correct**

Ātaahua Gorge	Valley
Kahurānaki	Trig Station
Kaikōura Bay	Bay
Kūaotunu West	Village
Mākara River	Stream
Māngere Inlet	Bay
Mōkau Bay	Bay
Mōrere Gully	Valley
Ngāhinapōuri	Locality
Ōakura Bay	Bay
Ōhope	Locality
Ōpaheke Point	Point
Ōwhata	Locality
Ōwhiro Bay	Bay
Pāuatahanui Stream	Stream
Port Ōhope	Locality
Port Whangārei	Locality
Tāneatua Branch	Railway Line
Taumatawahakatangi hangakōauauotamateapōkaiwhenuakitānatahu	Hill
Taupō Creek	Stream
Te Atatū Peninsula	Locality
Tūrangi	Town
Whangaparāoa Bay	Bay
Whangārei Port Branch	Railway Line

**Table 3****Kā Huru Manu, 120 existing recorded names to approve as official**

Ahuriri River	Stream
Akaroa Harbour	Bay
Aparima River	Stream
Awakari River	Stream
Awatere River	Stream
Lake Hakapoua	Lake
Hakataramea River	Stream
Hāpuatuna Bay	Bay
Hāpuka Rock	Rock
Hāpuku River	Stream
Heretaniwha Point	Point
Hikuika Stream	Stream
Hokitika River	Stream
Hōkurī Creek	Stream
Hurunui River	Stream
Inangahua River	Stream
Kahutara River	Stream
Kairuru	Hill
Kaitorete Spit	Spit
Kaituna River	Stream
Karangarua River	Stream
Kawarau River	Stream
Kawau Point	Point
Kini Creek	Stream
Mangatini Stream	Stream
Mataura River	Stream
Maungahura Point	Point
Mikonui River	Stream
Mimihau Stream	Stream
Moana Pūtakitaki Lagoon	Lake
Mōkihinui River	Stream
Mokomoko Inlet	Bay
Motuariki Island	Island
Motukiekie Rocks	Rock
Motunau Island	Island
Ngākawau River	Stream
Lake Ōhau	Lake
Ōhau Point	Point
Ōhau River	Stream
Ōhikaiti River	Stream
Ōhikanui River	Stream
Ōkapua Creek	Stream
Ōkari Lagoon	Estuary
Ōkari River	Stream

Ōkiwi Bay	Bay
Ōkūkū River	Stream
Ōmanu Creek	Stream
Ōmoeroa River	Stream
Ōmotumotu Creek	Stream
Ōnuku	Historic Site
Ōpihi River	Stream
Ōpoho Creek	Stream
Ōpuku Cliff	Cliff
Ōrakipaoa Creek	Stream
Ōtautau Stream	Stream
Ōtira River	Stream
Ōtoko River	Stream
Ōwaka River	Stream
Ōwhiro Stream	Stream
Paparoa Point	Point
Papatea Stream	Stream
Paringa River	Stream
Pātītī Point	Point
Pōpōtai Island	Island
Lake Pūkaki	Lake
Pūkaki River	Stream
Pūkaroro Rock	Island
Pūrākaunui Bay	Bay
Lake Rāhui	Lake
Rākaunui Stream	Stream
Lake Rotokino	Lake
Ruapuke Island	Island
Takamatua Bay	Bay
Tāmihau Island	Island
Tarahaka	Hill
Taumaka Island	Island
Taunoa Stream	Stream
Tauranga Bay	Bay
Te Kahika Stream	Stream
Te Oka	Hill
Tīmaru River	Stream
Timutimu Head	Point
Tōrea Rocks	Island
Tōtara River	Stream
Tōtara River	Stream
Tūhua	Hill
Tūtaekurī River	Stream
Tūtaepāwhati Bay	Bay



Mount Tūtoko	Hill
Waiake Stream	Stream
Waiakeake Stream	Stream
Waiiau River	Stream
Waihao River	Stream
Waihī River	Stream
Waihuakina Bay	Bay
Waikawa River	Stream
Waikōau River	Stream
Waikūkūpa River	Stream
Waimakariri River	Stream
Waimangaroa River	Stream
Waimatuku Stream	Stream
Waimea Creek	Stream
Waimea Creek	Stream
Waimotu Creek	Stream

Waipahī River	Stream
Waipōhatu Stream	Stream
Waipuna Saddle	Pass
Wairarapa Stream	Stream
Wairere Stream	Stream
Waitaha River	Stream
Waitāhuna River	Stream
Waitaki River	Stream
Waitangiroto River	Stream
Waitokariro Lagoon	Lake
Waituna Creek	Stream
Waitutu River	Stream
Lake Wānaka	Lake
Weka Reef	Reef
Whakamoā Bay	Bay
Wharekākahu	Island

**Table 4**  
**Kā Huru Manu, 58 new recorded names to approve as official**

Hikurangi	Hill
Huikaau	Channel
Kā Mauka-tokoweka	Range
Kā Poupou-a-Rakihouia	Coastal Feature
Kaitara	Historic Site
Kapao	Estuary
Kaukaha	Stream
Kawa	Beach
Māhoenui	Ridge
Manuhaea	Historic Site
Matuku-takotako	Beach
Moepuku	Peninsula
Nohomutu	Ridge
Ōhinetahi	Historic Site
Ōketeupoko	Hill
Ōmihi	Historic Site
Onekakara	Beach
Ōpōkihi	Historic Site
Ōpukutahi	Historic Site
Ōtokotoko	Point
Ōtūherekio	Ridge
Ōtūtohukai	Ridge
Peketā	Historic Site
Poho Tārewa	Place
Pukekura	Historic Site
Puketeraki	Hill
Punatahu	Historic Site
Rakawahakura	Peninsula
Rapuwai	Bay
Rerewahine	Cliff

Tāhunatōrea	Beach
Takapūneke	Historic Site
Takatakaiti	Island
Takekārara	Historic Site
Tamahika	Estuary
Te Awa-ahi-turua	Channel
Te Iringa-o-Kahukura	Place
Te Iringa-patu-pāraoa-o-Te-Rangitaurewa	Point
Te Kai-a-Te-Karoro	Historic Site
Te Kōwhai	Historic Site
Te Kurī	Historic Site
Te Mata Hāpuka	Historic Site
Te Paruparu	Coastal Feature
Te Poho-o-Tamatea	Hill
Te Puna-a-Taipuhi	Estuary
Te Rapu	Stream
Te Tai-o-Marokura	Coastal Feature
Te Wai-o-puka	Point
Te Waipuke-o-te-horo	Bay
Te Whakataka	Historic Site
Te Whakatakanga-o-te-ngārehu-o-te-ahi-a-Tamatea	Ridge
Te Whanga-a-Te-Kōkō	Bay
Te Whata-Kai-a-Rakihouia	Cliff
Toitū	Stream
Tūtakahikura	Beach
Waipapa	Historic Site
Waipātiki	Stream
Whitiaka-te-rā	Area