

Marae Options Subcommittee Update & Project Plan

Marae Options Subcommittee - Background

Key objective

Explore options to relocate Tangoio Marae or develop the Marae at the current location

Also - careful & thorough process to provide the best information possible to whānau. Mindful of costs & time.

<u>Members</u>

Tania Hopmans (Trust representative, elected Chairperson)

- Cathy Spooner & Liz Ratima (Hapū representatives)
- Rangi Tawhai & Kelly May (Co-opted representatives)

Marae Options Subcommittee – Project Plan

Workstream 1- Effective Partnerships

- Develop work plan
- Identify providers
- Identify & secure sources of funding
 - Interest from the Marae fund (subject to approval of the Trust)
 - Deep South Vision Matauranga fund (decision on \$200,000 due December)

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Workstream 2- Factors for decision making

- Mātauranga Māori factors
 - What do our Hapū want in a "Marae"?
 Review past korero, wananga with Hapū & survey Hapū
 - What was / is it like living in Tangoio?
 Whānau interviews, collect archive information
 - What part of our takiwā will be included in the investigations outside Tangoio?

- Waikari River south
- What areas or sites are significant to the Hapū?
 SOS information

Workstream 2- Factors for decision making continued...

Social factors

- What does a community need to occupy an area?
 Research roading, availability of homes, transport options, how close do whānau need to be to schools, work, health & other services etc
- Where do our whānau currently live?
 Use the Trust's database
- How many in our Hapū, now & in the future?
 Review demographics report & latest census

Economic factors

- What is the cost of a Marae, to build and maintain it?
- How can it fund / look after itself in the short, medium & long term?

Workstream 2- Factors for decision making continued...

- Environmental factors
 - What environmental issues has Tangoio Marae faced in the past?
 Collate archival information



Workstream 4 – Identify risks in the focus areas

- Simulate key risks in focus areas
 - Flooding in Tangoio (past and future)
 - Interview whānau who have experienced flooding in Tangoio
 - Research in other focus areas will be dependent on funding

Workstream 5 – Evaluate options, costs & benefits

What are the options to avoid or protect from hazards?

- What risks are we prepared to live with?
- What planning rules will affect our decision?

Workstream 6 – Evaluate information & make decision

- Evaluate information (factors for decision making) for Tangoio and other focus areas
- Draw up concepts for development in each area & a plan for how hazards can be managed
- Final report to the Trust
- Trust provides information to Hapū
- Hapū decides whether the Marae will stay in Tangoio, or be relocated

Timeframe

- Estimated to be 18 22 months
- Affected by research proposal (Deep South) & funding
- Dependent on availability of information & advisors

Why this process?

- Our marae = significant cultural assets
- Huge decision & will impact many generations who follow us
- Important that whānau & key groups are involved throughout the process, through wānanga, interviews, surveys, pānui etc
- We are committed to a careful & thorough process to provide the best information possible to whānau

Marae Options Subcommittee – Next Steps

- Progress Workstream 2 Factors for decision making &
 Workstream 3 Assess hazards (high level), identify focus areas
- Confirm funding
- Wānanga 1st Quarter 2016



