

NGATI HINEMANU ME NGATI PAKI HERITAGE TRUST Of Mokai Patea Taihape

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THE CROWN CONTINUES TO DESTROY MAORI. NOTHING HAS CHANGED!

THE TRIBE OF NGATI HINEMANU ME NGATI PAKI OF TAIHAPE/MOKAI PATEA ARE FACING THE RISK OF LOSING THEIR CUSTOMARY AND OCCUPATIONAL SELF-INDEPENDENCE/MANA MOTUHAKE AND TINO RANGATIRATANGA ON THEIR LANDS.

THIS IS AT THE HANDS OF THE CROWN, NEWLY ESTABLISHED TRIBAL CONFEDERATIONS AND GROUPINGS

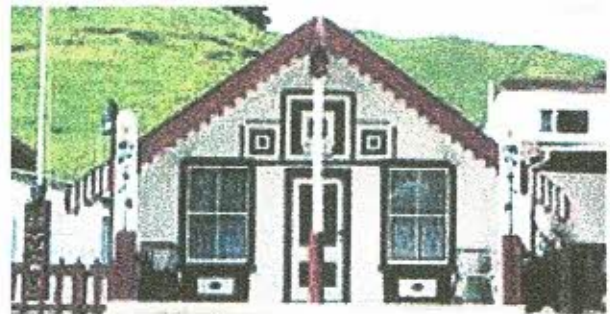
Ngati Hinemanu and Ngati Paki have occupied and maintained their responsibility as Mana Whenua, Tangata Whenua and Ahika on the land maintaining a tribal relationship with their kin and the Crown including its Agencies.

Nga`ti Hinemanu me Nga`ti Paki (NHNP) are caught up in the continuous rail roading of the settlement process.

Actions of the new Crown agency which was once the Office of Treaty Settlement but is now known as the Crown Maori relationship office Te Arawhiti has created, supported and orchestrated a pre settlement process that resulted in nil communication and invisibilization - despite NHNP maintaining their mana motuhake and ahi ka` roa since the arrival of the European.

NHNP has maintained a Treaty relationship with the Crown and its agencies locally, regionally and nationally and to now be treated as invisible is not acceptable to NHNP tribe, hapu and whanau. Having also maintained a relationship with the Crown and its agencies in the divisive Waitangi process as an approved Cluster in this present time of treaty settlements.

The Crown encouraging and supporting



the continuous fragmentation of our people by siding with clusters of hapu` in rohe who don't truly represent the real people of the land today is concerning.

Despite letters of comfort from the Minister to NHNP and a letter from Hon Andrew Little assuring NHNP that Te Arawhiti would contact us, we are not been spoken to. Meanwhile they are working with a cluster who wish to mandate us out of our rohe!

NHNP are at risk of losing their identity and future mana motuhake for their mokopuna. The Crown is at the front of these matters, they are changing the rules and policies as they want to, when they want to, and the heads like the Ministers are being silent and won't face the music.

Ngati Hinemanu tribe and sub tribes have mana whenua and mana tangata in their own right.

Ngati Hinemanu, Ngati Paki and their hapu are not represented by the Mokai Patea Confederation or Settlement Claims entity equal to this they are not any part of then newly formed Iwi and Runanga known as Ngai Te Ohuake.

Descendants have a right to form hapu or iwi groupings under Maori customs but do not take the tribe or sub tribes with them in doing so.

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