

Tuhua Hikurangi  
Regional  
Management Committee

Te Taiawhio  
Environmental Management  
Plan



# Tuhua Hikurangi Regional Management Committee

Who we are...

- A Regional Committee of the Maniapoto Maori Trust Board
- Represent Maniapoto Marae in the Southernmost areas of the rohe of Te Rohe Potae



# Tuhua Hikurangi Regional Management Committee

- 2007 we received TPK support for our Kaitiakitanga Project, to
  1. Develop a Taonga Register
  2. Undertake GPS/GIS Training
  3. Develop an Environmental Management Plan



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## Management Committee

- 2008 GPS/GIS training carried out with Opus International
- Developed basic outline for the Taonga Register
- Developed Te Taiawhio the policy outline for the Tuhua Hikurangi Environmental Plan



# Te Taiawhio

- Is based on how we view water - its importance to our culture, the environment, and the people
- *“..water is valued not as a commodity but as a basic essential component of life which must be cared for...”*
- It represents the start to an ongoing and dynamic planning process



# Te Taiawhio

- Territorial Authorities and Central Government agencies will receive a document that targets our issues
- It will provide the framework for working alongside the Hapu of Tuhua Hikurangi to achieve enhanced environmental outcomes within the rohe



# Te Taiawhio

## Environmental Management Plan

Te Taiawhio recognises the environmental challenges that face nga hapu o Tuhua Hikurangi and their collective desire to preserve, protect and enhance the environment, not as observers but as participants. For nga hapu o Tuhua Hikurangi, Te Taiawhio represents a big step forward in meeting these desires.



2008

# *KURAIMONOA*

*Tuhua Hikurangi Taonga Register*



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# NGA PUNA TIPIUA

Waterways Management

