

**Tabled as part of the Mayor's Report –  
January 2022**

**Letter from Mokai Patea Services and draft  
response from His Worship the Mayor**



# Mokai Patea Services

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18 January 2022

To whom it may concern,

RE: Taihape Grandstand

*He tino mihi ki a koutou mo tenei wa*

I am writing on behalf of Nga Iwi O Mokai Patea Services Trust (trading name Mokai Patea Services), to confirm our support for any fundraising efforts that are being undertaken on behalf of the Rangitikei District Council for the Taihape Grandstand.

Mokai Patea Services are an Iwi mandated Health & Social Services Organisation that uses the facilities down at the Taihape Recreational Ground when we run projects and initiatives. We look forward to being able to utilise a newly refurbished Grandstand when renovated and look forward to this iconic building providing for people that not only take part in our projects but for the community and the many visitors that come into Taihape.

*"Kia Tu Mokai Patea"*

Naku iti nei,

  
Tracey Hiroa  
General Manager

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FROM THE  
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR



Date: 27 January 2022

Mokai Patea Services  
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TAIHAPE

## DRAFT

Dear Tracey

I acknowledge your letter of support from Mokai Patea Services in respect to supporting the fundraising being undertaken on behalf of the Rangitikei District Council for the renovation of the Taihape Grandstand.

Your organisation is one of the principal community organisations in Taihape and for the Grandstand refurbishment project to go ahead we will desperately need community support.

Again thank you for showing your leadership in regard to this – it is much appreciated.

Yours faithfully

Andy Watson  
Mayor – Rangitikei District Council

Supported by Council on 27 January 2022



*Making this place home.*