# **NORTH-EASTERN RURAL SETTLEMENTS**

Community Engagement Summary

This summary contains an overview of the key themes raised by the community. It does not capture all comments. All comments will be considered when developing the spatial plan.



Pukeokahu: 2 survey responses Mokai&Taoroa: 1 survey response Kawhatau Valley: 1 survey response

Ohotu: No responses were received from residents from Ohotu.

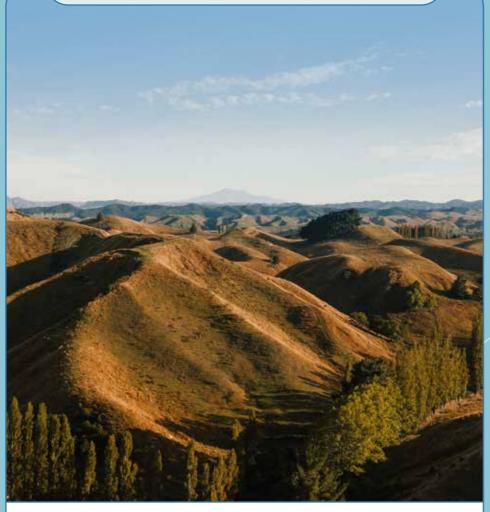
Moawhango: No responses were received from residents from Moawhango.

### Purpose of Pae Tawhiti Rangitīkei Beyond

Pae Tawhiti Rangitīkei Beyond is a district-wide spatial strategy and plan. We aim to capture our community's aspirations for the future.

The plan will provide a blueprint of how we want our communities to develop. It will provide high level outcomes and actions that will guide Council projects that plan for and respond to growth and development including our infrastructure planning and District Plan Changes (the rules that guide development).

## What 2050 might look like



- Thriving rural communities
- Schools with lots of students
- *Increased number of trees right tree in the* right place
- **Diversified farming operations**
- Sustainable tourism





#### **Nature Networks**

- Ruahine Ranges
- Rangitīkei River
- Indigenous biodiversity







## What's import to protect

- Protect access to the Ruahine Ranges and rivers.
- Road maintenance/sealing important.

### Community and **Recreation Facilities**



The most important community facilities:







## **Opportunities and Challenges**

- Limited housing demand for more lifestyle blocks or small farms.
- Agricultural diversity.
- Climate change.
- Transport network.
- Cellphone and internet connectivity.





