

TAIRAWHITI COMMUNITY COMMISSIONING

SOCIAL WELLBEING

SEEKING
BOARD OF
DIRECTOR
CANDIDATES

CALLING FOR TAIRAWHITI COMMUNITY COMMISSIONING BOARD OF DIRECTORS CANDIDATES

We are seeking expressions of interest from experienced governance people, who are committed to improving the wellbeing and prosperity of Tairāwhiti, its people and communities and who believe in local decision-making.

Tairāwhiti iwi, communities, service providers, local and central government, and community organisations share a common aspiration: that all our people should enjoy a high quality of life at every stage of their lives.

We have long championed community-led solutions including community commissioning, implemented local commissioning and led the nation in community collaboration. To that end, we have created a charitable company to establish and implement a community commissioning platform for Tairāwhiti – beginning with Crown funding and expanding our investment scope over time.

We are now seeking experienced, senior governance people to lead the Tairāwhiti Commissioning Board. The successful candidates will be elected to the board, by the community shareholders of the charitable company.

This is a significant opportunity for Tairāwhiti to take a more active decision-making role in determining the social services commissioned for Tairāwhiti whānau and communities and shaping service design and delivery. The establishment Board will be critical to guiding the initial development of the company and its interactions with community, government, and other investors.

The establishment Board will comprise a Chair and two Directors and will be appointed for up to a twelve-month term, the first year of operations. The Board will expand to a five-person Board during the twelve months, with all positions eligible for re-election.

This is an opportunity to:

- Keep decision-making closer to the community
- Shape how social services are funded and delivered
- Support long-term wellbeing outcomes for Tairāwhiti
- Be part of a new system for Tairāwhiti

The positions will be remunerated at a rate commensurate with the size of the organisation, budget, and responsibilities. If you are interested and require more information or wish to submit your CV please contact:

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