



16 April 2024

File Ref: OIA 48406

Tēnā koe [REDACTED]

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your information request dated 15 March 2024. Your request has been considered in accordance with the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

On 8 April you clarified the scope of your request as follows:

“We are hoping to gather 3 years of information if possible, however, the current financial year would be fine if that is what is available”.

I am now in a position to respond. You asked for the following information:

1. *“Please provide a list of social services that Te Puni Kokiri have provided contracts and/or funding in Raahui Pookeka/Huntly?”*

Please see Attachment 1 for a list of social services that Te Puni Kokiri have provided contracts and/or funding in Raahui Pookeka/Huntly, for the last three financial years. We note that this information is also publicly available on our website at: www.tpk.govt.nz/en/mo-te-puni-kokiri/corporate-documents/corporate-publications/investment-recipients

2. *“How is it determined what services or programmes are funded within Raahui Pookeka/Huntly?”*

This is dependent on the type of funding that has been approved. Different funding kaupapa require different criteria. For the project RG/HM.35043.49943 – The Huntly Coalition this decision is made at the discretion of the Regional Director.

For RSPF/HM.34912.49570 – Te Wharekura o Rakaumangamanga, there is certain outcomes we are seeking and all relevant information, including financial statements.

3. *“What information can Te Puni Kokiri share regarding any KPI reporting provided by organisations who have received contracts and/or funding within Raahui Pookeka/Huntly?”*

Te Puni Kōkiri's expected outcomes for these two contacts are noted in Attachment 1. The reporting criteria also differs for both contracts. A final report is not required for project RG/HM.35043.49943 – The Huntly Coalition.
Project RSPF/HM.34912.49570 – Te Wharekura o Rakaumangamanga required recipients to provide final reports upon completion of the contract to ensure outcomes had been achieved.

I trust my response satisfies your request.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that Te Puni Kōkiri publishes some of its OIA responses on its website, after the response is sent to the requester. The responses published are those that are considered to have a high level of public interest. We will not publish your name, address or contact details.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact us at uia@tpk.govt.nz.

Ngā mihi



Grace Smit
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Funding/Grant	Kaitono	Funding Purpose	Status	Project Region	Assessor	Investment Manager	Date	Amount Approved	
RG/HM.35043.49943	The Huntly Coalition	The Rangatahi Pae Tawhiti initiative seeks to develop a series of interactive workshops with a focus on Rangatahi Anxiety and Depression. The initiative aims to assist rangatahi with tools to navigate these health risks while connecting rangatahi to services. The initiative aims to capture rangatahi from Ngaruawahia through to Meremere.	Contract Complete	Waikato Waiariki	Amiria McGarvey	Rachel Jones	13 June 2022	\$2,000.00	<p>Focus Area: Provide financial assistance to promote and enhance initiatives for the social, economic and cultural advancement of Māori</p> <p>Category: What Oranga – assist with community care, improvement and development</p> <p>Expected Outcomes: Supporting cultural or event resources. Improved wellbeing</p>
RSPF/HM.34912.49570	Te Wharekura o Rakaumangamanga	This proposal is a collective of seven kura from across the Waikato. The kura in the community provide a hub of wellbeing for the hapori, creating safe spaces, certainty, and solutions forward. The three focus areas will deliver activities that will: 1. Rebuild the capability of Rangatahi Leadership 2. Reinforce the capability and capacity in our Kaiako/kaimahi who were impacted as essential workers during the pandemic 3. Strengthen the capacity of our hapori and kura resilience through reintegrating: a. Whānau, Mātae and hapuu back into kura settings b. Kura leading haapori using core manaakitanga principles	Contract Complete	Waikato Waiariki	Amiria McGarvey	Rachel Jones	18 April 2022	\$100,000.00	<p>Focus Area: Building Rangatahi leadership and youth development. Expected Outcomes: Enriched cultural identity. Improved family and community support or connectedness. Improved ability to deal with life's difficulties. Increased confidence. Improved leadership skills. Access to rangatahi leadership and youth development opportunities. Increased awareness of risk factors.</p>

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