



NGA TANGATA TIAKI

- Act for Whanganui
- Executive Capacity
- Implement Runanga Decisions
- Utilise Collective Skill Base
- Identify Development Opportunities
- Gain Legal Status
- Commit to a Strategic Approach – i.e. link all *Ringa Whatoro* to Whanganui Iwi Strategic Plan

IWI CHAIRS' FORUM

- Uphold Iwitanga
- Common Purpose
- Ensure *Ringa Whatoro* Link back to Iwi
- Combine Capacity/Capability to improve delivery to Iwi
- Support one another as *Ringa Whatoro*

PROPOSED FUNCTIONS

- Collective Leadership Forum at Ringa Whatoro Level
 - Single 'Front Door' for Iwi entities
 - Ensure Ringa Whatoro remain linked to, and are directed by, the Iwi
 - Common logo
- Improve the Quality of Whanganui Iwi Decision Making
 - Maximise communication
 - Share costs for co-ordination of information production and dissemination

PROPOSED FUNCTIONS

- Administer Runanga Process
 - Identify, evaluate, vet and distribute papers to a wide Iwi audience well in advance of Runanga
 - Collectively organise and chair Hui-a-Iwi and Runanga
- Foster Collective Strategic Planning for Whanganui
 - Merge respective strategies
 - Implement overall Collective Strategy
 - Formulate and implement combined Investment Strategy
 - Condition ourselves to Long Term Strategic Goals

RECOMMENDATIONS

- It is recommended that the Iwi:
 1. Agree that the Iwi Chairs' Forum form an Interim Nga Tangata Tiaki Executive to implement the proposed functions;
 2. Direct that forum to invest further time and resources to define the specific actions necessary for implementation of the functions and assess the financial implications; and
 3. Report back to the next Runanga

