

## **TARANAKI MOUNGA** He Kawa Ora – Back to Life



### **Reflecting on our partnership**

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## **Project Values**

- Mana Motuhake / Authority
- Te Tirohangaroa / Forward Looking
- Manaakitanga / Reciprocity
- Kotahitanga / Collaboration
- Kia Tika, Kia Pono / Transparency
- Transformational
- Business like and Effective





#### **Project Objectives**:

- 1. Secure the Mounga against animal and weed pests
- 2. Restore species
- 3. Build community support and commitment

#### Supporting objectives, led by others, supported by TMP

- 4. The creation of a Halo (TRC, Wild for Taranaki)
- 5. Oranga Mounga Oranga Tangata (WfT, Tui Ora, YMCA)



#### **Eradicate / control pests from Mount Taranaki**

- Eradicate goats from the National Park
- Control predators and browsers
- Eradicate weeds

**OBJECTIVE 1** 

#### Outcomes – forest regeneration, native species and ecosystem services are secure



#### **OBJECTIVE 2** Species recovery



Outcomes – Lost or depleted species will be restored, with regional and national benefits

- Strengthen remaining threatened species
  - Kiwi
  - Whio



#### **OBJECTIVE 2** Species recovery



- Translocate lost species back to the Mounga
  - Translocation Strategy
  - Toutouwai
  - Kaka, kakariki, kokako & seabirds
  - Short-tailed bats
  - Flora & reptiles





# **OBJECTIVE 3**

**Building community support** 









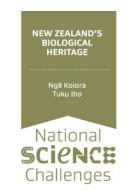






**Delivery Partnerships** 

M.A.I.N. Trust NZ







#### **OBJECTIVE 3** Building community support



- Communications and Engagement Strategy
- Schools
- Kaitake Conservation Trust
- Okato Community Trust
- Te Whenua Tomuri Trust



#### **OBJECTIVE 3** Building community support

Mentoring, Support and other Groups

- New Horizons Aotearoa
- START Taranaki
- Corrections
- Taranaki Rural Support Trust





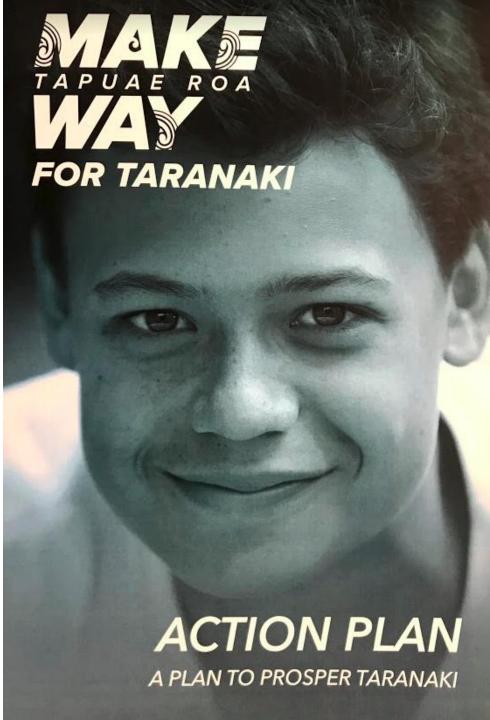
## Storytelling

- Regional facilities
- Technology
- Partnering with groups to introduce project to broader audiences
- School Teachers to children, children to parents. Schools to communities
- Peer to Peer
- Corporate storytelling, Culture shifts, Collegial examples



#### **Regional Investment**

- Taranaki Crossing
- Investigation into other tracks and trails
- Marketing of the region social media
- Regional investment in people



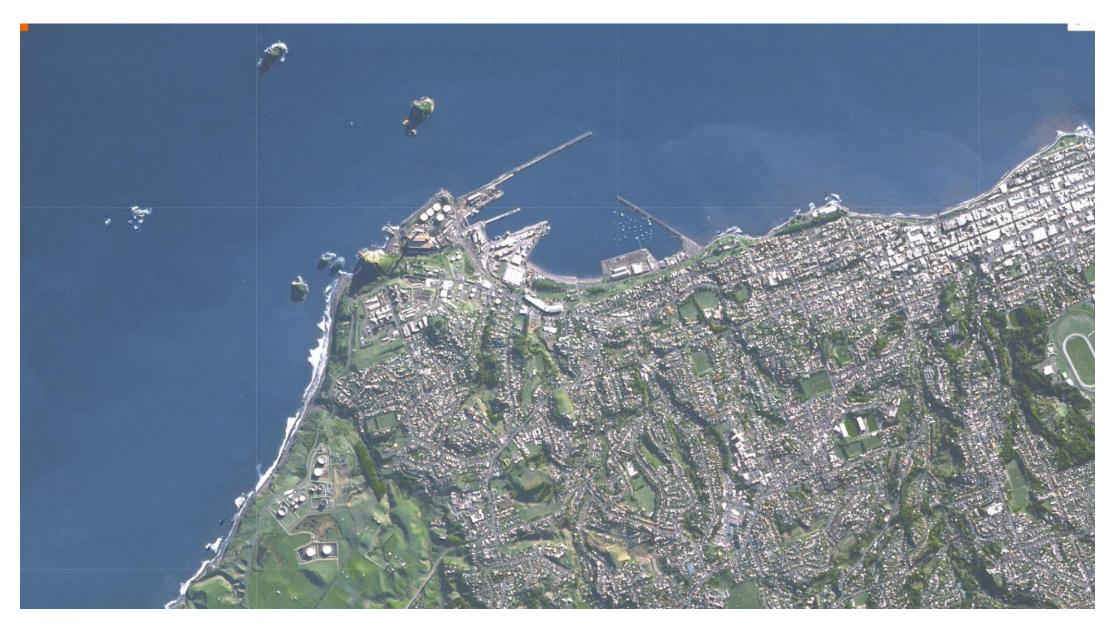
## **Research Opportunities**

- Manaaki Whenua Landcare Research:
  - Stocktake of historical data collation
  - Animals use of the bush/pasture margin
  - Acoustic detection tools for goats
- Incorporate Matauranga Maori
- Biological Heritage National Science Challenge
- Waikato University
  - 9 Masters students
- Trial location to test new technologies for
  - Pest control and monitoring (eg cameras)
  - Species monitoring techniques
- Social Science
  - Expanding social boundaries
- Tomorrow Accord metrics





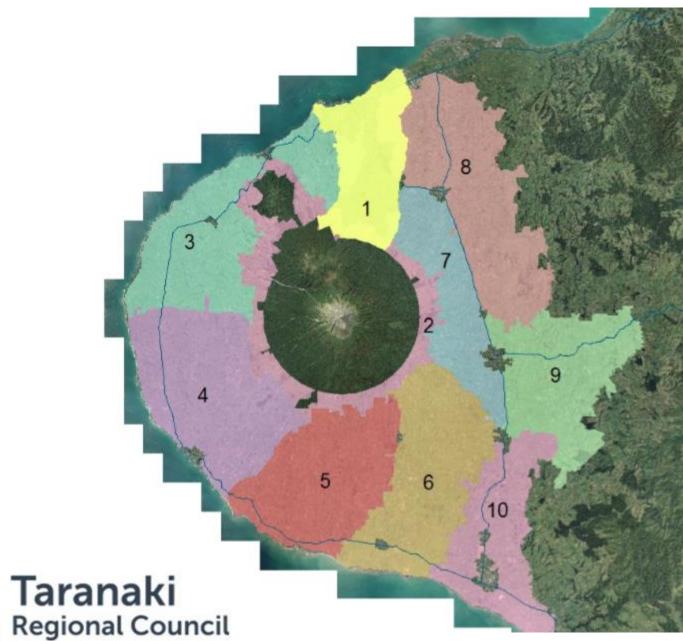
#### Ngā Motu/Sugar Loaf Islands



#### OBJECTIVE 4 Halo

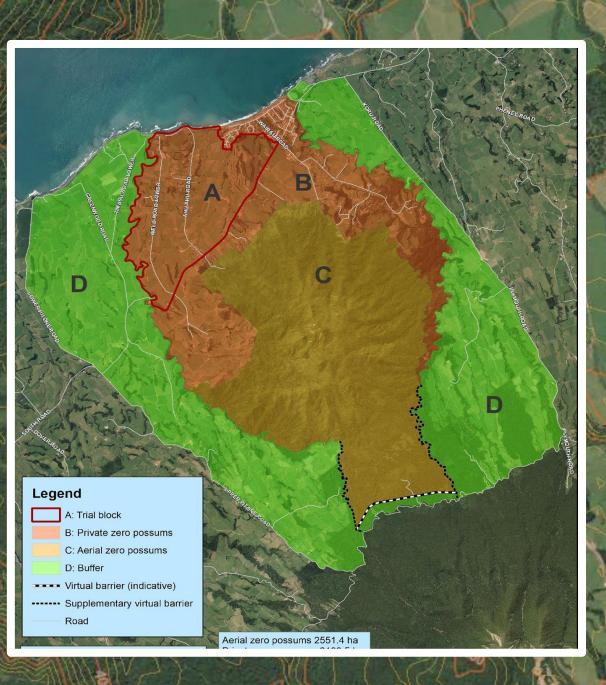
#### Taranaki Taku Turanga

- Planning stage
- Securing funding incl. local authority processes.





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