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30 April 2025



Tēnā koe s9(2)(a)

Thank you for your email, transferred to Oranga Tamariki—Ministry for Children (Oranga Tamariki) on 1 April 2025, requesting information on spend in your region and matters relating to the Relationship Agreement signed with Ngāti Rangi. Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

I have responded to each part of your request below:

- The total spend within your portfolio, specific to our region;
- The spend referred to in (a) broken down by services, programmes and providers including iwi and Māori organisations;

We have interpreted your region as Ruapehu, which in our system aligns to services delivered across, Taumarunui, Whanganui and Ruapehu. Please note that these contracted services may include multiple delivery areas across the wider region, and also some outside the identified region. Please also note that this information only relates to contracted service spend and does not cover any expenditure across the region outside of contract (e.g. payments made directly from Site).

The total spend specific to your region since the 2017/18 financial year is \$44,730,787.

Please find attached as Appendix One a spreadsheet that provides a breakdown by financial year, categorised by the programme / service type and including the name of each provider.

 Any other expenditure or activities associated with Ngāti Rangi since 10 March 2018; broken down by date and personnel;

Please find attached as Appendix Two a spreadsheet outlining all financial transactions for Ngā Waihua o Paerangi Trust. These payments range from 13 October 2021 to 17 February 2023, with no other payments existing outside of this timeframe

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- The commitments outlined in the Relationship Agreement signed with Ngāti Rangi that have been achieved
- The commitments outlined in the Relationship Agreement signed with Ngāti Rangi that have not been achieved to date

Due to operational changes to key relationship holders named in the Relationship Agreement, several restructures, and a shift in information storage platforms over the timeframe requested, we are unable to locate all the information that may relate to these questions.

However, over the past 12 months, Oranga Tamariki has:

- formally responded to an invitation from Ngāti Rangi to enter a Strategic Partnership
- provided data and information about Ngāti Rangi tamariki and rangatahi to Pou Tangata as agreed
- reached out to Ngati Rangi to introduce the recently appointed Regional Commissioner
- met online to discuss opportunities under the Relationship Agreement and a potential work programme including Whānau Care, an area of interest expressed by Ngāti Rangi
- indicated support at a regional level to support exploring Whānau Care and develop a closer relationship with the Whanganui site.

Oranga Tamariki remains committed to the relationship and is available to meet.

Oranga Tamariki may make the information contained in this letter available to the public by publishing this on our website with your personal details removed.

I trust you find this information useful. Should you have any concerns with this response, I would encourage you to raise them with Oranga Tamariki. Alternatively, you are advised of your right to also raise any concerns with the Office of the Ombudsman. Information about this is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by contacting them on 0800 802 602.

Nāku noa, nā

Uarnie-Jane More

General Manager, Māori Partnerships and Communities

Programme/Service spend across Ruapehu region

Note - contracted service may include multiple delivery areas across the wider region, and also some outside the identified region.

Note - does not include any expenditure outside of contract.

Programme/Service	Provider Name	Provider Admin		F2018	F2019	F2020		F2021	F2022	F2023	F2024
· ·		Ethnicity						12021	. 2022	12020	72027
	, .	All	-		;	\$ 135,283.1		101 100 71			
	Community Connections	All		70 (77 00			\$	621,133.76			
I -		NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	73,677.20							
		lwi	\$	140,865.02 \$	20,844.90			01007010 4			
I -	·	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	108,550.66 \$	221,171.39	\$ 243,969.5	9 \$	210,278.62 \$	182,798.82 \$	140,030.59 \$	119,976.00
	7	lwi	-						\$	490,463.35 \$	615,509.60
1 1 1 1	. 3	lwi	-							\$	135,274.00
1		NZ European (Pakeha)								\$	269,502.00
	9	NZ European (Pakeha)								\$	124,135.00
		lwi	-							\$	227,300.00
''' ' '		lwi								\$	45,707.54
1 11 11 1		Maori								\$	89,519.00
		lwi								\$	116,272.00
	Tupoho - Iwi and Community Social Services Trust	lwi								\$	178,406.00
	Wai Ora Christian Community Trust	Maori								\$	35,810.00
	Whanganui Safe and Free Incorporated	NZ European (Pakeha)								\$	9,096.00
] 3		lwi					\$	450,255.00 \$	185,000.00 \$	120,000.00 \$	120,000.00
	Tupoho - Iwi and Community Social Services Trust	lwi					\$	100,000.00 \$	439,427.50 \$	120,000.00 \$	120,000.00
Community Based Services for Vulnerable Young People	Central King Country Rural Education Activities Programme (REAP)	All	\$	15,456.00 \$	6,081.60	\$ 6,184.3	2 \$	6,537.72 \$	6,969.24 \$	6,969.24 \$	6,969.24
	Dream Makers Trust	Maori	\$	22,787.00 \$	32,681.50	\$ 33,233.8)				
Community Based Services for Vulnerable Young People	Hinengakau Maatua Whangai	lwi					\$	33,785.50			
Community Based Services for Vulnerable Young People	Life To The Max Trust T/A Life to the Max Wanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	137,135.90 \$	139,001.02	\$ 149,426.1) \$	160,633.04 \$	167,572.98 \$	167,572.98 \$	167,572.98
	Presbyterian Support Central T/A Family Works Wellington	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	97,182.90 \$	98,505.00			113,834.70 \$	121,347.90 \$	121,347.90 \$	-
Community Based Services for Vulnerable Young People	Te Ora Hou Whanganui Incorporated	Maori	\$	66,675.95 \$	67,582.90	\$ 72,651.7) \$	207,420.95 \$	209,806.20 \$	209,806.20 \$	209,806.20
Community Based Services for Vulnerable Young People	Wai Ora Christian Community Trust	Maori	\$	39,080.20 \$	39,611.72	\$ 42,582.4	5 \$	45,776.10 \$	46,302.52 \$	46,302.52 \$	46,302.52
Community Based Services for Vulnerable Young People	YMCA Central Incorporated	All					\$	4,651.50			
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Barnardos New Zealand Incorporated	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	59,931.20							
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Birthright Wanganui Incorporated	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	22,835.80 \$	23,146.40	\$ 24,882.2) \$	26,748.60 \$	28,514.20 \$	28,514.20 \$	28,514.20
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Central King Country Rural Education Activities Programme (REAP)	All	\$	32,400.00 \$	2,432.60	\$ 2,473.8	\$ 0	2,615.00 \$	2,645.00 \$	2,645.00 \$	2,645.00
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Counselling Centre (Marton) Incorporated	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	85,017.60 \$	86,173.92	\$ 92,636.6	4 \$	124,480.80 \$	125,912.70 \$	125,912.70 \$	125,912.70
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Hinengakau Maatua Whangai	lwi	\$	40,000.00 \$	53,077.68	\$ 54,702.8	1 \$	41,913.60 \$	44,679.95 \$	44,679.95 \$	44,679.95
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Jigsaw Whanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	233,806.17 \$	236,986.07	\$ 246,339.2	3 \$	440,691.83 \$	485,947.48 \$	485,947.48 \$	471,932.99
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Life To The Max Trust T/A Life to the Max Wanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	78,870.00 \$	79,942.64	\$ 85,938.3	2 \$	92,383.68 \$	93,446.08 \$	93,446.08 \$	93,446.08
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Presbyterian Support Central T/A Family Works Wellington	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	18,505.50 \$	18,757.20	\$ 20,164.9) \$	21,676.20 \$	21,925.50 \$	21,925.50 \$	143,449.56
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Taumarunui Counselling Service Incorporated	Other	\$	51,060.90 \$	51,755.22	\$ 52,629.7	2 \$	56,577.18 \$	60,311.46 \$	30,155.73	
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Te Maru O Ruahine Trust	lwi					\$	48,193.25			
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Taumarunui Community Kokiri Trust	lwi	\$	581,510.80 \$	578,328.19	\$ 621,702.8) \$	431,326.86	\$	6,103.05 \$	541,045.08
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Te Kotuku Hauora Limited	lwi						\$	211,091.10 \$	211,091.10 \$	211,091.10
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Te Ora Hou Whanganui Incorporated	Maori	\$	39,900.00 \$	40,442.64	\$ 43,475.8	3 \$	46,736.62 \$	47,274.08 \$	47,274.08 \$	47,274.08
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Te Oranganui Trust	lwi						\$	1,319,125.41 \$	1,331,037.86 \$	1,319,123.41
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	Tupoho - Iwi and Community Social Services Trust	lwi	\$	111,359.82 \$	112,874.52	\$ 121,340.3	4 \$	130,441.08 \$	139,050.12 \$	139,050.12 \$	139,050.12
Family Support and Wellbeing Services	WellStop	NZ European (Pakeha)		\$	30,408.00						
	Whanganui Safe and Free Incorporated	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	21,502.14 \$	21,794.52	\$ 23,429.0	1 \$	25,186.26 \$	26,848.47 \$	26,848.47 \$	26,848.47
Gateway	Te Whatu Ora Waikato	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	110,565.00 \$	112,068.36	\$ 113,963.7	5				
Gateway	Te Whatu Ora Whanganui	All	\$	99,450.00 \$	100,802.42	\$ 102,506.4	4 \$	105,406.94 \$	106,619.18 \$	106,619.18 \$	106,619.18
Holiday and Respite Programmes	Life To The Max Trust T/A Life to the Max Wanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)				\$ 30,000.0)				
1	-	Maori	ŝ	10,000.00 \$	10,136.00	\$ 10.307.0) Ś	10,478.00 \$	10,598.00 \$	10,598.00 \$	10,598.00
1 ' ' '		NZ European (Pakeha)	\$	98,600.00 \$	99,940.96)	.,	.,	.,,	.,
,	YMCA Central Incorporated	All	T .		,	\$ 28,471.5		107,821.72 \$	110,757.10 \$	123,328.30 \$	123,328.30
Innovative Support for Vulnerable Children and Young People		All				\$ 7,000.0			-, -	-	-,
Innovative Support for Vulnerable Children and Young People		Maori				\$ 50.000.0					
Innovative Support for Vulnerable Children and Young People		NZ European (Pakeha)				,-50.0	-	\$	5,000.00		
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Youth Justice Support Services	YMCA Central Incorporated	AII								
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	YMCA Central	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 65,000.	00 \$	65,884.00 \$,	,	
	The Whanganui Learning Centre Trust	All	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		-,		\$ 10,000.00	, , , , ,	67,062.45 \$	67,062.45
	Te Ora Hou Whanganui Incorporated	Maori	\$ 3,000		3,040.80				27,822.13 \$	27,822.13
	Te Kotuku Hauora Limited	lwi	\$ 14,750		14,951.29			\$ 17,477.79 \$	17,477.79 \$	17,477.79
	Rise Stopping Violence Service Trust	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 8,400		8,514.25	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		,	-,	.,. 23.00
	Mokai Patea Services	lwi	\$ 6,000	00 \$	6,081.60				6,360.34 \$	4,769.50
Youth Justice Support Services	Jigsaw Whanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)	3 .,002		55,5554 Ç		\$ 5,491.65	\$ 5,554.80 \$	5,554.80 \$	5,554.80
	Dream Makers Trust	Maori	\$ 64,802		65.684.34		- 101,000.77	00,.07.07 V	700,107.07	,
	Youth Horizons Trust Kia Puawai	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 128,700		130,450.32		,	, .,, ,	136,407.87 \$	136,407.87
·	WellStop	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 62.000.		62,843.20	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			65,713.20 \$	65,713.20
·	Te Taiwhenua o Heretaunga Trust	Maori	\$ 47,667.		57,977.92	58,957.76	\$ 59,936.44	\$ 60,625.72 \$	60,625.72 \$	60,625.72
	Central Health Limited	lwi	\$ 9,533.		.0.,005.50 Ç	,,,,,,,,	,	,, v	, ,	- 00,000.04
	Jigsaw Whanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 99,999.	90 \$	101.359.95	108.961.95		,	118.481.10 \$	88.860.84
Support for Children & Young People affected by Sexual Harm		NZ European (Pakeha)			-,			\$ 236,393.67 \$	146.393.67 \$	146.393.67
Support for Children & Young People affected by Sexual Harm		NZ European (Pakeha)	,,,,,,,	\$	8,290.44		- 3,5500			
	Rise Stopping Violence Service Trust	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 13.754		13,941.20			,	,	,
	Presbyterian Support Central T/A Family Works Wellington	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 55,570.	35 S	56,326.05		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	69,387.45 \$	69,919.74
0 0	Jigsaw Whanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)			, 🔾	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	\$ 9,240.80		9.850.70 \$	7.388.08
, ,	Taumarunui Community Kokiri Trust	lwi	\$ 11,550		11,707.08				12,241.79 \$	12,241.79
, ,	Hinengakau Maatua Whangai	lwi	\$ 9,450		9,578.52	, , , , , ,			10,016.01 \$	10.016.01
	Central King Country Rural Education Activities Programme (REAP)		\$ 47,596.	04 \$	48.243.35	49,058.73			50,446.66 \$	50,446.66
	Jigsaw Whanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)			200,1.10.04 (200,020.07	274,071.70		670,243.00 \$	670,244.00
	Hinengakau Maatua Whangai	lwi		Ś	265,140.54	,			335,122.00 \$	335,121.00
Services for C&YP with Harmful Sexual Behaviour - Statutory		NZ European (Pakeha)				129,894.40			133,569.28 \$	890.852.21
Services for C&YP with Harmful Sexual Behaviour - Communit		NZ European (Pakeha)	,,,,,,	, ,				\$ 116,869.80 \$	116.869.80	
	Hinengakau Maatua Whangai	lwi	\$ 7,777		174,707.27 Ç	134,009.40	J 137,170.00	Ç 100,903.32 Ç	130,903.32 Ş	130,903.32
<u> </u>	Youth Services Trust Whanganui	Other	\$ 150,000		174,767.27	,	,	, ,, , , , ,	158,983.52 \$	158,983.52
9	Wai Ora Christian Community Trust	Maori	\$ 62.519.		63.369.30			, , , , , , ,	74.073.30 \$	74.073.30
	The Open Home Foundation Of New Zealand	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 155.375.		173.306.08	, , , , , , ,			174.933.28 \$	139.796.20
_ ::	Te Oranganui Trust	lwi		Ś	10.976.00	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	\$ 152,351.39	\$ 223.040.00 \$	121,380.00 \$	121.380.00
	Te Ora Hou Whanganui Incorporated	Maori	\$ 23,304.	\$	6,549.15					
9	Dream Makers Trust	Maori	\$ 23,564		18,093.50 \$	18,399.29				
	Central King Country Rural Education Activities Programme (REAP)		\$ 9,996	nn			ψ 33,032.70	•	10,555.50 \$	13,719.70
	The Open Home Foundation Of New Zealand	NZ European (Pakeha)		ş	21,344.94 \$		\$ 35,032.70	\$ 482,031.78 \$	10,393.90 \$	15.719.70
,	Dream Makers Trust Te Ora Hou Whanganui Incorporated	Maori Maori		\$	15,246.39 \$ 21,344.94 \$				131,046.75 \$ 486,381.78 \$	132,921.75 463,388.10
	Whanganui Central Baptist Kindergarten and Creche Trust			Ś	4504600 Å	05.007.00	100 171 00	,	41,682.00 \$	10,000.00
	Te Heti Te Kohanga Reo	Maori						\$	62,400.00 \$	62,400.00
	Kimiora	Maori			<u> </u>	54,000.00			60.400.00	60.400.00
Parenting Support Services	Jigsaw Whanganui	NZ European (Pakeha)	\$ 27,306.	62 \$	27,677.98 \$,	\$ 28,612.98	\$ 28,942.10 \$	28,942.10 \$	28,942.10
J	He Oranga Wairua He Tikanga Aroha Limited	Maori	T		4,351.00	0014570	00.610.00		0004040	
	Birthright Wanganui Incorporated		\$ 6,468. \$ 60,000.		6,556.00 \$	6,666.80	\$ 6,777.60	\$ 6,855.60 \$	6,855.60 \$	6,855.60
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Innovative Support for Vulnerable Children and Young People		Maori						-,		
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Innovative Support for Vulnerable Children and Young People	Te Kotuku Hauora Limited	lwi						\$ 5,000.00		

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