

<p><b>Do you support the proposal to grant a new 30-year ground lease over Tangonge Domain Recreation Reserve to the Aupōuri Ngāti Kahu Te Rarawa (ANT) Trust?</b></p>	<p><b>Why do you support the proposed lease?</b></p>	<p><b>Why don't you support the proposed lease?</b></p>	<p><b>Would you like to share any further feedback on the proposed lease?</b></p>	<p><b>Would you like to be heard in support of your submission? Verbal submissions will be heard by the Te Hiku Community Board.</b></p>
<p>Yes, I want it to go ahead.</p>	<p>Good work done, more to come.. good for the whole community</p>			
<p>Yes, I want it to go ahead.</p>	<p>Although I live on Te Wahapu Russell, I whole hearted agree, provided it is open to the whole community.</p>			
<p>Yes, I want it to go ahead.</p>	<p>The concept plan is future-focussed and it's a good thing that the Trust is leading this development on behalf of iwi and their registered members.</p>		<p>Kia kaha rā koutou!</p>	
<p>Yes, I want it to go ahead.</p>	<p>I love the idea of this dedicated outdoor space being available for everyone. Great use of space.</p>		<p>I support the lease to the trust and proposed development.</p>	
<p>Yes, I want it to go ahead.</p>	<p>The current lessees seem to be taking good care of the whenua</p>			
<p>Yes, I want it to go ahead.</p>	<p>Continue the programme starter</p>			
<p>Yes, I want it to go ahead.</p>	<p>We live on Jamieson road, and see the number of children that use this and neighbouring roads to play ball, ride their bikes, scooters and generally create their own games and entertainment. I support the lease proposal by ANT as they will</p>			

	create a safe environment for the children and adults to meet and have fun.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	<p>Its vision is to create a safe and vibrant space for whānau to gather, play and socialise.</p> <p>Since the beginning of its lease, ANT Trust has made significant improvements to the domain, including drainage work, grading, field grassing, and rubbish removal. The trust has also developed a community-influenced concept plan, which includes a children's playground, basketball court, exercise stations, a food forest, pou whenua, and building enhancements. By securing a new 30-year ground lease (two 15-year terms), the trust hopes to attract support and the funding required to bring this vision to life.</p>			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I think what they are proposing is a great idea and will help people in the local community.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	This will enhance one of the most populated areas of northland, yet one of the most areas that is given attention via police, and poverty lines better attention to enhance the ability for all tamariki in this area, on this side of town there has never been a park, yet there have been so many tamariki in the area		This should be supported by our local departments to create a space for whanau to share	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Good idea to let a promising project continue!			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It is community centred and provides for all ages			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	The more disused land that can be given back to iwi/hapu, the better. It was theirs to begin with pre-colonisation, and they		Yes, please see if they would consider adding even a 'small dog' area for people to let little dogs run around - that can also	

	will lead the development of it, to suit locals.		be used for puppy/dog training on weekends. Mums and Dads will bring kids to the park and need somewhere to tie up their dogs, or somewhere they can sit with the dog on a lead, and watch their children - please try to work that out. Dogs are currently banned from children's playgrounds under the bylaw, which seems logical, but doesn't account for families who have furry four legged family members.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	They have done good things with the space during their tenure and have a proven track record of maintaining the space for all.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I like their proposed future plan			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because it needs to be a positive, vibrant space for the community to enjoy, and ANT have some great ideas to bring that about.		Please do not make it a dog friendly park. Everytime we go to the domain or sports grounds in Kerikeri, or the park or A&P grounds in Kaitaia where dogs have been, there's always dog shit left everywhere. People are too bloody lazy to pick up their dog crap. Keep the reserve dog free.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	ANT have already held a lease and undertaken improvements. Further development of sport and recreation facilities will be within walking distance for local Kaitaia children		I'd like the ANT trust to offer positions on the domain management structures to the wider community	Yes

Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I support this initiative that promotes community development that with benefit both Mana Whenua and the rest of the community of all nationalities.		Go for it! I support this initiative.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because ANT have done so much work already and need to carry on to get the grounds up and running for the community in this side of town for a safe place for our tamariki to play			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	This land should be used as a community garden. Local people do the mahi to produce their own food.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because this space has Sat idol for years and they have done so much foot work around getting the word out about the domain - if it was to change hands that whole consultation process has to start again - I fully believe in ANT Trusts vision		Well done ANT Trist!	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	The Aupōuri Ngāti Kahu Te Rarawa has taken going care of the domain so far. I trust them to continue doing so			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Focus development on increased activity and improved health. Ensure this includes activities and facilities of interest to tamariki and rangatahi.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	The Kaupapa behind ANT and it's proposed vision of the next 30 years supports community health and wellbeing by creating a save space where people can engage in activities whether actively or passively. This Kaupapa will help eliminate the many barriers people experience with engaging in healthy activities and I feel the result from there Kaupapa would not only help Maori to connect with non-maori but for other culturals to connect with Maori.		Reading how ANT's has utilised their lease since 2018 by improvements to the land, building additions and the use of the land to benefit the community, I can only see this pattern increasing in its benefits to the Rohe of Kaitaia.	

Yes, I want it to go ahead.	He kaupapa pai mo te hāpori o Kaitāia.		Tautoko Pau te kaha ki a waatea mai te whenua nei ki te tarahiti ANT Trust. Hōhā ana ahau ki te kaunihera e pōhēhē ana nō koutou kē te mana ki ēnei whenua. Ko te mana whenua ko Te Tahawai, ko Ngāti Te Āo, ko Ngai Tohianga, ko Tuterangiatohia, ko Te Paatu. Nō mātou kē te whenua nei.	Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	This is a great community concept, and the ANT Trust has done a great job to date of reinvigorating the domain.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	We need a decent recreation facility and grounds in West Kaitaia. This group has credibility and passion to drive this forward			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because it hasn't been used in years. Why not give it a purpose for the future. ANT have completed many different support programs and will continue to support this community well into the future.			Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	There are no other play facilities in Kaitaia West. When sports activities are organised there is a big turn out by local kids- instead of them playing on the streets..		Tangonge Reserve has been cleaned up and has good grounds thanks to ANT.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Whanau and fun gatherings		Keep it mown regularly so it can be used	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It will benefit the Whanau in the area and provide a green space for them so kids don't have to play on the road.		FNDC should waive the lease fee as they are trying to develop a green space for the community.	Yes

Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because ANT have an awesome vision to create a park that benefits kids and the community.		Rare opportunity to support a community group dedicated to supporting whanau	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It will be good for all people		A lot of land going to waste around the region.	Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	So that the western side of Kaitaia has a recreational facility for their community.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	The proposed use will be of benefit to the entire community.		I'd be interested to know if there are conversations between council and ANT to work towards having the whenua gifted back to māori.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because it allows a safe environment for the kids to play sports			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because we don't have any outdoor areas to support whanau coming together and being active. This way we can encourage fitness which will uplift the health of our community.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I have lived down Bonnetts Road for the last 15 years. Me and my whanau have watched the progress of Tangonge Park, before ANT it was a boggy unusable park. Since ANT has leased the land we have watched all whanau's from Bonnett's make great use of the now usable park. They now have a safe space to run, play ball, ride push bikes, throw Frisbees around instead of on the main road. I am in full support!		Kia ora,  I am writing to express my strong support for ANT Trust in their request for a 30-year lease of the Tangonge Domain in Kaitaia West. ANT has been a pillar of support for our community, providing a safe and nurturing environment for our families.  Over the years, ANT has been instrumental in bringing our community together through various activities and events such as Touch games, after-school gatherings, and the	

			<p>delightful Christmas in the Paddock. These events have not only created lasting memories but have also given our children a much-needed safe space to enjoy their childhood. Tangonge Domain, hosted by ANT, has become a central hub for our community.</p> <p>My whānau and I are immensely grateful for the opportunities that ANT Trust - Tangonge Domain has provided for our children. It's not just a place to play; it's a place where they can run free, learn, and grow. We have witnessed the positive impact it has had on our tamariki, and we believe that granting ANT a 30-year lease will only enhance and expand the opportunities available to our community.</p> <p>Moreover, we are heartened by the commitment of our neighboring families who have pledged to watch over the park and ensure it is well-maintained during weekends and nights. This collective responsibility underscores the dedication and passion our community has for Tangonge Domain.</p> <p>Our primary concern is the</p>	
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			<p>well-being of our tamariki. Currently, they must travel 1-3 kilometers into town, crossing busy roads, to access the Township Park facilities. Kaitaia West is the one side of town that lacks a recreational park, and this is a matter of great concern. Granting ANT this 30-year lease would eliminate the worry and danger associated with our children playing on main roads or traveling through town to access parks and sports fields.</p> <p>In conclusion, we wholeheartedly endorse ANT's request for a long-term lease of Tangonge Domain. This partnership will not only safeguard the well-being of our tamariki but also strengthen the bonds within our multi-cultural community. We firmly believe that this arrangement will foster a brighter and safer future for our children, providing them with a much-needed space to flourish.</p> <p>Sincerely, Diiva</p>	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	There No place for our little one to go and play, close by.		Looking forward to see this happen	



	I see them playing on the road and there are a lot of cars that go up and down			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Yes i would support this kaupapa , why because we have alot of tamariki / whanau around k west who would benefit from this.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	The ANT Trust have put in the time and hard mahi to get Tangonge Park where it is today. I remember the park being a damp overgrown bog before the trust began developing it. Their vision to turn it into something that is going to keep the Rangatahi in that area off the roads means so much to me as I have younger cousins residing in Kaitaia west and their safety especially on these roads is important to our whanau. I support this lease because this land is going to benefit not only my whanau but alot of other whanau in our community.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It's good for the youth			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It's positive for community and ANT are respected and innovative in leading great Kaupapa			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Good to have another area for the tamariki especially that area lots of children with no parks that side of town		Lived in the area for over 20 years nothing in the area for children	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Any initiative run by hapu/iwi is beneficial to the community.  MANAWHENUA		There should be No Lease to Manawhenua / Tangata whenua	Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	They seem to be doing good work, also engaging with and benefitting their community.		I do not know what the Trust constitution looks like, but I would hope that if they are going to be in a position to engage more widely for	

			funding that FNDC would have a representative on the Trust to ensure monies are managed and spent well.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Kaitāia West suffers from a lack of investment into positive outcomes for resident whānau. Limited street lighting creates dark spots that attract troublemakers making trouble. Roaming dogs raid rubbish during the night and present a genuine danger to children, the elderly and families. Discarded rubbish blows up the streets like the lost hopes and dreams of the next generation. As a resident of Kaitāia West, I welcome any investment into in lifting the gaze of our young people towards a horizon of hope that they too deserve a positive future.		I have been to several ANT run events at Tāngonge Park. They clearly have a passion for the park and a passion for the people. If they are willing to step up to preserve and enhance this reserve for the benefit of future generations, they have my support.	Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	To provide opportunities for the tamariki in the community who otherwise would miss out due to socio economic demographic circumstances			Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	We need a space like this in our town.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because no one else looks after this area and they are willing to.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	The amount of people and tamriki that would benefit from it.		I think it would be a great space for whanau that live in the community, not only for them but for other people that visit and holiday here.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because its over the back fence from me.		A fenced off dog park alongside would also be cool too	

Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Place for the community to use, lots of children in that part of Kaitaia and they have no close playgrounds or fields			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I think the improvements will benefit the wider Kaitaia community and will be a good use of land		Full support	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It's great concept and just what's needed especially for that area of Kaitaia		It's inclusive and community focuses.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Improved opportunities and beautification of town			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It is good for our people. The people of New Zealand			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	They have already made improvements to a space that previously has not utilized. It is great that they want to create a space for whanau and community		Financially it makes sense that FNDC collects lease and no longer needs to maintain the space	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Lots of kids and family in the area, would be beneficial if they have access to a park at that end of town			Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	ANT have shown interest for years now in that space & their aim to make it a whanau friendly resource for the community			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It's for our people, if it helps our children I'm all for it.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Give back the mana to the people.		Making mokopuna decisions	Yes
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It's good for the community			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	To see some more positive things happen in the community			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It will have a positive impact on the immediate and local community providing a safe environment for all whanau of Kaitaia to enjoy.		The ANT trust has done a wonderful job so far getting the reserve to its current state and should be given the opportunity to complete their goal and	

			provide this wonderful facility for all to use.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because what the trust want to do is a great thing for the community			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	To give tamariki a safe place to engage in some positive things instead of wandering around the streets.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It's land going to waste that could benefit our community and youth			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because it'll be used for something too benefit whanau from that area		Turn it into a sports park for our tamariki ie skate park, rugby field, basketball court, playground & toilet. Nearest park for a kid from bonnets, lake road & Williams Street is a few kms away. .	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It will be positive for the community		This reserve has been long grass an unused space since I was about 8 when I recall soccer was played there one day a week. Let's utilize this land for doing positive for our community	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	For me, having a safe space for our tamariki to play especially those down that end of town it's closer for them. The enhancements will add more value to the town as a whole adding to the work of the beautification projects.		I'm worried what effect the drug users might have there. The little gas cannisters that kids are using now. So for me cameras hooked up to the police must be part of any development down there. Paid for by whom I don't know.	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Gives more opportunities for our town to grow in a supported social space		Please let it go ahead	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Good utilisation of public assets by the public.  Moreover, the development of this		Seems like a good idea to help make the town more beautiful.	

	<p>resource will be developed in partnership with local iwi. Which helps meet the obligation public entities have to the tiriti o waitangi.</p> <p>Finally, utilising iwi funding means rates can be used on other ventures for the community</p>			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I believe this would benefit the community as a whole, it is a positive endeavour and a great place for youth.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I was part of this project when it first got approval would love to see it go ahead as it's gold for our community n would benefit our people too		The people on this street n our tamariki would love this project to go ahead it's been in the wind for ages n really would love to see this project come to fruition would be amazing for all	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Local community using this green space is a good thing. I support a good eco design using natural materials eg logs, rocks etc rather than coloured plastic, design low maintenance edible gardens without infrastructure (eg food gardens can just be cultivated open ground with a ditch edge and not in constructed beds that get weedy and take a lot of resources to build), keeping some wide open grass space as part of the park, a few shade trees rather than artificial shade structures etc.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	It's a positive initiative for our community			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	This would greatly benefit the community!! The tamariki of Kaitaia need more activities			

Yes, I want it to go ahead.	The tamariki in that area need somewhere to go to play that's safe and built for purpose. The demographics in that area encompass low socio economic homes and this would be a great opportunity to provide support to these whānau in the form of a safe and enjoyable "back yard". The neighbourhood would also greatly benefit from having a dedicated area for tamariki to go as it would take them off the streets where they often walk or ride bikes in an unsafe way that puts both themselves and the neighbourhood in harms way.			
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	I would love to see more facilities that cater to kids ,youth and parents. A place where all feel safe to play and not be afraid to being bullied		Would love it to be monitored by CCTV. Alcohol free and drug free zones	
Yes, I want it to go ahead.	Because it's Māori land			Yes
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No, I do not want it to go ahead.		I need to see what the full lease document is to make a true indication, 30 years is a long time if it does not work well, for instance, does the domain stay open to the general public at all times without any restrictions?		Yes
No, I do not want it to go ahead.		15yr tenure should be longer	Who are the trustees of the ANT and chairperson and do	

			theyt have a voting process ie: change of trustees, nominations every 3 years for example.	
No, I do not want it to go ahead.		I don't think we need to lease the land. Sounds like council has been maintaining as required		
No, I do not want it to go ahead.		30 years is too long. It should not be longer than 5 years. Not clear if the domain will be open to all members of the public regardless of race. Will ratepayers be making any contributions. This is not clear in your communication	Please outline the terms of the lease and has this been put out for tender	
No, I do not want it to go ahead.		Kia Ora, my name is Tuhi-Kura Adams, Kura Adams for short.. I am descendent to Te Aupouri, Ngati Kuri, Te Rarawa. I also descend to Te Whanau Pani O Whangaroa. My Tupuna who was one of the first Certificate Land owners of Muriwhenua that included Teneke Block, as well as Land owner for TeUhiroa, were part of the many maori who petitioned in the late 1800s to ask that the surplus land of Tangonge be returned to Maori. Rewiri Hongi and 11 others petitioned with Reihana Moheketanga and 47 others, Wiremu Te Teeti and 43 others, Honi Peti and four others. And the Govt response was NAC-recommended that these outstanding grievances be inquired		Yes

		<p>into by a royal commission. Also a Tupuna of Bay of Islands descent, who claimed to be a Te Rarawa Cheif, who was also a Maori Assessor and accused by Cheif Judges of being deceiviant, (if truth has it, actually of the Ngati Kahu Iwi and married in to Te Rarawa) - Timoti Puhipi also petitioned with 5 others, that certain lands inh Tangonge swamp be returned. The Govt response was, NAC-recommended that a stipendiary magistrate be appointed to inquire.</p> <p>In 1941 a Land Survey had reported that my Grand Mother Ngapeka Ngauma who is the Grand daughter of Rewiri Hongi, was recorded as living in a tent with only a home made table and 2 beds. She lived there with her husband my Grandfather Kiritipa Te Awa of Matangirau. They lived in that tent for 1 year with my Mother and my Aunties who were 8yrs, 5yrs and 1yr old. Prior to that they were living for 3yrs in a shack Kiritipa built. He also worked on the Kaitaia Board. In the report they were called squatters. I feel disgusted now I know what my tupuna went through because many of these petitions of the 1800s were brushed aside for errors of fact. My grandparents were evicted off these lands. They eventually moved their camp with other whanau closer to the Kaitaia</p>		
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