

Tena Kourua Te Hiku Community board and Friends of Rangikapiti,

Please accept this letter of support for you to proceed with the building of the stairs on the western side of Rangikapiti.

We have carried out our diligence in checking with Tangata whenua and have had an archaeologist access the site.

Both are happy and supportive for you to proceed.

Apologies for the delay, and we thank you for allowing us to carry out what was needed on our behalf.

As always, we are very appreciative of your efforts in the restoration and preservation of Rangikapiti Pa.

Nga mihi

Jamie Werner

Community relationships ranger

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