

Te Arawa Lakes Trust

Notice of Election of Trustees & Annual General Meeting



Under the Te Arawa Lakes Trust Deed of Trust, notice is given that on Saturday 30 November 2024 an election will be held for nine (9) Trustees - **three (3) Trustees to be elected from each of the following Tūpuna Rohe:**

- Te Kawatapuārangī Rohe.
- Te Ure o Uenukukōpako Rohe
- Tūhourangi

The election will be held under the first past the post electoral system by postal and online voting.

Tuku tonu mai | Nominations

Nominations for the nine (9) positions open on **Wednesday 4 September 2024** and close at **5pm on Wednesday 25 September 2024**. Nominations must be made on an official nomination paper available:

- by contacting the Te Arawa Lakes Trust electoral office (1180 Lake Road, Rotorua) or phoning 07 282 2383;
- online at www.tearawa.io;
- by emailing the Returning Office on info@electionservices.co.nz;
- by phoning the Returning Office on 0800 922 822.

To be eligible for nomination and election as a Trustee, a candidate must:

- as at the closing date for nominations, be recorded in the Te Arawa Register as a member of a Hapū that is within the Rohe that he or she is seeking to be elected to represent; and
- not be physically or mentally incapacitated to the extent that he or she is unable to perform the duties of a Trustee; and
- not be bankrupt or make any composition or arrangement with his or her creditors; and
- not be convicted of an indictable offence; and
- not hold the position of a permanent employee of the Trust.

A candidate representing a particular Rohe must be nominated by five (5) eligible Adult Members of Te Arawa shown on the Te Arawa Register as being entitled to vote for that particular Rohe. Nominations must be in writing and received by the Independent Returning Officer no later than 5pm, Wednesday 25 September 2024.

Retiring Trustees are eligible for re-election.

If there are more candidates than there are vacancies, an election will be held, with voting opening on Friday 1 November 2024 and closing at 12 noon on Saturday 30 November 2024.

Rēhītia mai | Invitation to Register

Applications are invited from qualified persons not recorded in the Te Arawa Lakes Trust Register for inclusion of their names in the Register of members. Applications for inclusion on the Register for this election closes at 5pm, Wednesday 25 September 2024. Registration forms are obtainable by phoning the Trust on 0508 TEARAWA (832 729), by email to registration@tearawa.iwi.nz or online at www.tearawa.io/contact

Hui-ā-tau | Annual General Meeting

Members are advised that an Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Trust will be held at 10.00am on Sunday 8 December 2024 at the Millennium Hotel, 1270 Hinemaru Street, Rotorua. The result of the election will be announced at the AGM.

Dated at Rotorua, 4 September 2024

Dale Ofoske
Independent Returning Officer
Independent Election Services Ltd
for Te Arawa Lakes Trust