

Manaaki Urupā Grant 2026 Application Form

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Summary

1. **The aim** of the grant is to partially cover costs for activities directly related to the care of urupā including but not limited to the following:
2. Repair and maintain gateways, fences, footpaths, etc.;
3. Maintain, clean, repair and restore headstones, install berms, etc.;
4. Maintain, repair or replace existing ground maintenance equipment;
5. Maintain, repair or improve pedestrian and vehicular access and parking; and
6. Maintain urupā lawns, hedges, tress, etc., and remove green waste.

The Grant cannot be used for:

1. Multiple-year projects;
2. Payment of salaries, wages, commission, fees, etc.; and
3. Protection - and capital-related (one-off) activities, etc.

If you need further information, please refer to the **Manaaki Urupā Grant Policy**.

Instructions

1. Only **1** (one) application per urupā will be accepted this year/round.
2. Please ensure all relevant sections of the **Application Form** are completed.
3. A * (red asterisk) indicates the field must be completed.
4. Please ensure you have attached any documents referred to in your application.
5. **Note that if your application is successful, you will need to provide evidence that all activities have been completed.**
6. And the information in your application may be made publicly available as part of Council's decision-making processes.

Assessment and Decisions

Please note that if the urupā requires new fencing, ground-penetrating radar (GPR), or large-scale clearance work, we encourage you to apply to the Cultural Heritage Protection Fund. This enables the Manaaki Urupā Grant to be focused on ongoing maintenance.

The Council's Iwi Relationships Team will lead the assessment of applications. You will be notified of the final decision as soon as possible via the email address you provide in this application form.

- For grants **under** \$10,000 the decision is made via officer delegation
- For grants **over** \$10,000 the decision making will go through Te Huinga Taumatua

Applicant's Details

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Applicant *

Title	First Name	Last Name
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

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Applicant's Address

Address

Must be a valid New Zealand address.

Preferred contact phone number *

Must be a valid New Zealand phone number.

Alternative contact number

Must be a valid New Zealand phone number.

Email Address *

Must be a valid email address.

Urupā details

Name of urupā *

Organisation Name

Address of urupā *

Address

Must be a valid New Zealand address.

Eligibility criteria

Please provide evidence by attaching either a:

- Copy of the *Certificate of Title* and/or;
- Screen shot from the Māori Land Court's *Māori Land Online* website; or
- Copy of the notice in the *New Zealand Gazette* establishing a Māori reservation for the purpose of an urupā.

Once confirmed, no further evidence will be needed for future applications.

Please upload your evidence here:

Attach a file:

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Intent

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The Grant may be used for activities including, but not restricted to:

- 1.Repair and maintain gateways, fences, footpaths, etc.;
- 2.Maintain, clean, repair and restore headstones, install berms, etc.;
- 3.Maintain, repair or replace existing ground maintenance equipment;
- 4.Maintain, repair or improve pedestrian and vehicular access and parking; and
- 5.Maintain urupā lawns, hedges, trees, etc., and remove green waste.

Applications seeking partial cover of costs for urgent protection works, or health and safety-related activities will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

Please note that if the urupā requires new fencing, ground-penetrating radar (GPR), or large-scale clearance work, we encourage you to apply to the Cultural Heritage Protection Fund. This enables the Manaaki Urupā Grant to be focused on ongoing maintenance.

The Grant cannot be used for one-off capital costs and operations, including, but not restricted to:

- 1.Multiple-year projects;
- 2.Payment of salaries, wages, commission, fees, etc.; and
- 3.Protection-and capital-related (one-off) activities, etc.

Is the urupā being maintained at present? *

- Yes No

Please summarise the extent to which the urupā is currently being cared for, and estimated costs:

Purpose of grant

Please summarise below what the grant will be used for: *

What is the total amount you are applying for? *

\$

Quotes

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Please attach supplier/contractor quotes here. These must be third party quotes *

Attach a file:

Verification

Verification is required in the form of before and after photos and a copy of the paid invoice/s by November 2027.

Please email these to iwirelationships@npdc.govt.nz

Financial Details

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Is the urupā administered by a trust or other legal entity? *

Yes

No

If Yes, what is the name of the entity?

Are you GST registered? *

Yes

No

If Yes, what is your GST number?

Do you have NPDC preferred supplier status?

Yes No

Bank Account *

Account Name

Account Number

Must be a valid New Zealand bank account format.

Please upload a bank deposit slip or bank statement for verification

Attach a file:

Additional Information

* indicates a required field

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Letter of support (FOR NEW APPLICANTS ONLY)

Applications must be accompanied by a **Letter of Support** from a “sponsor” able to verify the applicant represents the interests of urupā owners and/or trustees. A sponsor may include, but is not limited to:

1. One or more urupā owners
2. Chair of a relevant urupā trust;
3. Chair of a relevant hapū entity;
4. Chair or CEO of an appropriate Iwi Rūnanga;

Please up-Load your letter of support here

Attach a file:

Checklist

Have you supplied:

1. Evidence that the urupā meets the grant’s Eligibility Criteria?
2. Attached all your quotes?
3. Up-loaded a bank deposit slip?
4. Filled in all relevant sections of the Application Form?
5. Attached your Letter of Support?

Declaration

I DECLARE that to the best of my knowledge and understanding the information provided in this **Application Form** and any supporting documentation is true and correct.

Applicant *

Date *

Must be a date.