

## **Measures of success; Cultural Monitoring and Taiao management Training Course**

### **Principles of Cultural Taiao Management.**

Te Arahanga has developed its own set of principals when working with the Taiao (the natural world) and believes by retaining our core values we will be successful.

Ka tu Te Whare o Rangi rāua ko Papa

- That sustainability of all Rangi and Papa's tamariki are considered in all our decisions.
- Ensure our Kaitiakitanga obligation to our mokopuna and their mokopuna are met.
- Ensure that our pūrākau and tawhito korero are understood and respected in all aspects of environmental management.
- We uphold the manaaki tikanga of our Tūpuna by ensuring that our Treaty partners have an insight into our tikanga and kawa.

**Goal: To have taura from whanau, hapū and Iwi members who have a comprehensive over - view of taiao management and are recognised by their whanau, hapū and Iwi as the tohunga for these areas.**

#### **Objectives:**

- That all taura are familiar with the whakapapa connection of their whanau, hapū and iwi with their whenua, awa and moana.
- That taura are aware of their tikanga and kawa for their whenua, awa and moana.
- That taura are fully aware of both Lore and Law that pertain to modern taiao management.
- That taura are fully aware of their whanau, hapū and iwi lore, the law, tikanga and kawa for acting as kaitiaki for any taonga and kōiwi that may be exposed.

#### **Development Strategy:**

- To develop online modules in each area of Taiao management by December 2019
- To partner with NZQA institutions in 4 fields (water quality testing, electric fishing, translocation of stock and stock assessments)
- To work with partners and develop modules for working with the Archaeologist.
- To work with partners and develop the GPS (Global Satellite Positioning) mapping module.

#### **Technical Support:**

- Te Arahanga has Identified the need for a specialist online lesson planner to make the online portion as interactive as possible.

**Expertise available:****In house:**

- RMA Specialist
- Cultural expertise
- Training Expertise
- Cultural monitoring expertise
- Cultural Impact and Cultural Health assessment expertise

**Supportive Partners:**

- Archaeological Expertise
- QGIS specialist
- Two taiao based Research Institutes and 4 Clients (supportive of training monitors on site)
- Local Councils
- Kaumatua and Kuia from different Iwi of Te Taiuhu.

**Measures of Success:**

Te Arahanga believes the true success of this course can only be measured by whānau, hapū and iwi themselves. On application taura will be required to work with their whanau, hapū and iwi to identify a project that is important to them. This will prove the basis for all upcoming their assignment.

Te Arahanga will guide them along the path and ensure that their work is clear, coherent and includes all aspects that are required by whanau, hapū and iwi to make their project a success. Te Arahanga believes strongly that this course should empower haukāinga.

Success would be taura providing a taiao based plan for their whānau, hapū and Iwi to complete a taiao project; with the appropriate whakapapa, pūrākau and connection to the haukāinga and their taiao.

As mentioned in our application Te Arahanga is open to partnering with other organisations however the value base would have to be similar.

**Measurements of success**

- Success will be measured on the taura being able to identify each aspect of the information they have received and apply to their nominated project.
- Success will also be measure on quarterly presentations to their whānau, hapū and iwi on their nominated project.
- Final Assessment will be presentation of their nominated project to their whānau, hapū and Iwi.