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FORREST Evelyn

Ko Paeroa te Maunga
Ko Waikato te awa
Ko Te Toke te marae
Ko Te Rama te Wharetupuna
Ko Ngati Tahu-Ngati Whaoa te iwi
Ko Orson Skudder raua ko Waina Reweti oku matua
Ko Evelyn Forrest ahau

Tena koe, my name is Evelyn Forrest, I am married to Winston Forrest (son of Tom and Miriama Forrest). Both Winston and I were born and raised in Reporoa and returned home to raise our own whanau here. I have always been passionate about the wellbeing of our people, the mana of our marae and the restoration of our lands. Raised around all our marae and attending iwi hui from a young age has afforded me the privilege of experiencing some of the issues and controversies our people face - past, present and into the future.

I have served on the Te Toke Marae Committee I Trust for many years, currently as the Treasurer. A great milestone for Te Toke Marae was the successful application to Marae Heritage fund which was an integral part of the rebuild of our wharekai in 2016 - an awesome day of celebration which saw fruition from the hard work that our rangatira before us had begun.

I have in my capacity as the Runanga Environmental Manager successfully implemented a number of restoration and cultural projects and represented our iwi in a number of different forums. Instrumentally forging a number of robust relationships with crown agencies and stakeholders to insure Tahu-Whaoa have a voice at the decision making tables. I believe I can offer strength to the Tauhara North No2 Trust Board through the many years of service to my people at grassroots level to governance.

E tu nei ahau, he tu turu Ngati Tahu-Ngati Whaoa iwi ahau, Tena koutou, tena koutou, tena tatou katoa.

Nga mihi, na
Evelyn Forrest



HODGE Kataraina

I am the 7th of 13 children of Barney and Rahera (Sarah) Rangi My mum is interred at the urupā at Te Toke and my dad is interred at Whakamārama Marae urupā in Wharepungu, Te Awamutu.

I was born in Rotorua and bought up in Reporoa. I attended Wharepaina School until 1960, when my family moved to Ford Block Rotorua.

I have been married to Grahame Peter Hodge from Porirua since 1971 and together we have 2 daughters and 8 mokopuna.

Grahame and I moved from Porirua to Te Awamutu in 2006, which allowed me to be closer to my ancestral lands. Reporoa for my mother and Te Awamutu for my Father.

I have had the pleasure of being either a trustee or board member on a very diverse range of different boards and entities. I have retired from some but continue to be involved with the company or entity.

I have an wide professional development experience ranging from a Bachelor in Iwi Environmental Management, and multiple Institute of Directors courses to add to my resume.

I acknowledge and support the good work that Tauhara North No 2 Trust have done, and continue to do so. I will give Tauhara North No.2 Trust my full support, should I be elected, as long as any support I give will not jeopardise my mana with owners and their wider whānau of Tauhara North No. 2 Trust.



MOREHU Warwick Ngapuhi Te Manuao

Tēnā koutou katoa Ngāti Tahu, Ngāti Whāoa, kai aku raNgātira, nei rā te mihi mahana atu kia koutou katoa. Tuatahi ake, me mihi atu me tangi atu ki ō tātou tini aituā kua whetūrangitia Nō reira, koutou mā haere, haere, whakangaro atu okioki ai.

Ko wai au? He uri whakaheke ahau, na Te Reweti Rakaherea rāua ko Te Whata, ka puta ko Makereti, ka noho ia i a Pita, ka puta, ko Pirihira, ka noho ia i a Titakarau Rogers, ka puta ko Rihititihua (nanny Lizzy) ka noho ia i a Whakarongatai Morehu, no Ngāti Pikiao, ka puta ko Kipa, ka noho ia i a Bonita Haira nō Tūhourangi me Ngāti Wahiao, ka puta tēnei ihu hūpe, e mihi atu ki a koutou!

I am 51 years of age, born and raised in Rotorua. I am married to Leanne (Kingi) of Te Whānau ā Apanui, Ngaitai, Te Whakatōhea. We have 2 surviving children, Te Whanarere 27 and Erina 20. We lost our eldest daughter, Awi, tragically in 2008 in a car crash. We are also blessed to have our first mokopuna.

Anei te kūmara e kōrero ana mō tōna reka mo tēnei kaupapa anake. I have a real passion for 'kaitiakitanga o te taiao', hunting and gathering in the Ngahere or out at Maketu. We have taught our children about the importance of providing to others in need especially our old people. We have a long time love affair with Kapahaka and especially the promotion and learning of Te Reo Māori.

My dad, who has passed on, always asked me how I could help or support our people of Ngāti Tahu, Ngāti Whāoa. I always gave the standard answer of being "too busy" until his passing in 2012 – I reflect on his words and ask myself now, "what can I do?" I have attended Trust AGM's keeping myself abreast of current trust activities as well as 'hui a iwi' regarding land issues. I have also assisted with rangatahi Leadership programmes for the Trust to promote and encourage our young people into careers. Standing as a trustee certainly goes towards helping and supporting our people reach their aspirations to progress and develop a stronger, more resilient and capable people.

What do I bring?

I have past and present experience in governance roles:

- Te Pūmāutanga o Te Arawa Trustee for Tuhourangi Ngāti Wāhiao — Former Trustee for 3 years to crown settlement.
- Whakarewarewa Joint Trust (WIT) made up of Ngāti Whakāue and Tuhourangi Ngāti Wāhiao - Former Trustee for 3 years, charged with negotiating with the Crown for the return of Te Puia and NZMACI back to the owners. The business vesting has been signed between Iwi and the Crown and sits in the legislative process.
- Hāparangi A4 Incorporation Committee of Management — Current Chairperson managing a forestry block at Horohoro of approximately 291 ha. We've recently harvested the forest and replanted the maunga in its fourth rotation. Nearly half of the profits from the forestry harvest have been returned to the charitable trust arm for distribution back to the beneficiaries. We have a substantial share portfolio which has consistently produced very good returns between 13-19% annually.
- Blackburn Orchards, Te Puke — Director. Kiwifruit investment for Hāparangi A4

In my 30 years as a serving police officer I have carried out more duties than most. Since 2002 I have held strategic leadership roles, and I'm currently Area Commander for the Taupō area covering Taupō, Tūrangi, Mangakino, Tokoroa, Putāruru out to Tirau. I have three priorities at work – to ensure my staff (140) return home safe to their families, to ensure they look after and care for their communities and finally to ensure they have a duty of care for each other. In this role I manage risk ongoingly both strategically and operationally. I have an operational and administrative budget of \$14 m that is monitored on a monthly basis with regional and national oversight.

I'm fortunate to be in a role of influence with a significant focus on better outcomes for Māori. Greater empathy and understanding of Māori throughout our organisation will serve our people and communities better.

Conflict resolution, risk management and driving positive change. Conflict comes in all forms and levels of seriousness. I often reflect on situations and ask myself 'could I have done things better?' In

March 2016 I dealt with a serious incident in Onepu (Kaweraul) involving 4 police officers being shot and the alleged young offender, Reese Warren, held up in his home. I was called in to specifically assist in resolving the matter with no further harm. This only happened by earning the trust of the whanau, their son (eventually) and, moreover, the trust of all the teams operating inside the cordon.

As Māori we are able to draw on knowledge passed down from our tupuna, lived whanau experience and life experience - I drew on this knowledge and experience that morning in Onepu. Basic Māori values of Manaaki, Tiaki, Humārie, Whanaungatanga and Aroha guided my decision making and subsequent actions. For this I am grateful and proud to be a Police officer and, more importantly, proud to be a Māori Police officer representing our people.

I believe my life and work experience has prepared me for this role. I have the strategic vision and strong governance experience required to serve our owners and beneficiaries. From my years in the Police service I understand the corporate disciplines needed to govern the large organisation that is Tauhara North No. 2 Trust. Of late the trust has been experiencing challenges and undergoing change. I'm hoping that you the people have trust and confidence in me to provide more leadership towards stability and achieving our people's aspirations.

Finally I think of my mokopuna and children, I think of all of our young ones and those coming. I ask the question "**how can I make this world more deserving of them.**" As Māori we all have this responsibility. I take this step forward in the hope of being chosen to represent you on Tauhara North No.2 Trust. I am realistic about the commitment and the responsibility this important role requires, but I know I have a valuable contribution to make for the now and for the future.

'He urupa tatoumo ratou - We are the resting place of those who have passed - they live on in us.'

Ngā mihi atu ki a koutou

Warwick



O'CONNOR Dan

Kia Ora, to all the owners of Tauhara North. I put my nomination forward to you as I believe my skills will greatly serve you. I firmly believe that through my experience with education boards and businesses I will prove beneficial to you, the Trust but more importantly our next generation. I have a personal interest in ensuring that this occurs as it will be my son that will have more opportunities to achieve his dreams. I live the belief that you have to set the bar high, that we must achieve greater than our parents and our children must surpass us. By nominating me to serve you I will ensure that my actions are held to account so that your children and mokopuna will be better off and have more opportunities to achieve greatness. Something which we can all get behind.

Nga mihi, na

Dan O'Connor



RAKENA Erueti Matthew

Ngati Tahu Whaoa, Tainui, Ngati Whātua

Trust Chair - Waimahana Marae

Trust Chair - Dan Roberts Whanau Trust

Trust Chair - Barlow Whānau Trust

Kaiako Reo - Te Wānanga o Aotearoa

Kaiako Reo - Ngati Tahu Whaoa Runanga

Married to Ngaire nee Taipeti of TUhoe, Ngāpuhi for over 30 yrs & father to Tiakiwai aged 16 years I have lived a life fuller than most.

For 20 years I walked the corporate life of the Pakeha while teaching Te Reo at nights for what is now known as Toi Oho Mai. I entered into a business partnership with a major company which eventually failed in the recession of 2009, teaching me many things about both life and business.

- **mā te hē ka whakatika. Ka matārā**

I then regained myself with the support of my whanau and continued supplying and installing steel reinforcing employing up to 8 people taking me all over the country

- **kaua e mate wheke me mate Ururoa.**

I would like to acknowledge all those trustees passed and present that have contributed and are the reason as to why we are in our current position as a trust and as an Iwi.

- **Ko au ko koe ko koe ko au.**



WIJOHN Leon

Tēnā koutou e te whanau. Ki te taha o toku Whaea, Ko Ngai Tuhoe, Ko NgaNgāti Tahu-Ngāti Whaoa Nga Iwi Ko Whiu Ihaia, ko Heeni Tarawa oku tupuna, Ko Te Maari Ihaia toku kuia, Ko Hariata Huriwaka toku Whaea, Ko **Leon Wijohn** ahau.

People Focused Commercial Experience

I am passionate about helping businesses clarify their strategy and proud of contributing to the success of fast growing businesses and Maori organisations. I have pioneered strategy and decision making frameworks that help organisations give appropriate priority to commercial outcomes along with social, environmental and cultural aspirations. My iwi development work covers commercial projects as well as initiatives that improve the wellbeing of people in the areas of health, education, culture and creating career paths for rangatahi. I have over 25 years practical experience working in senior financial and management roles in businesses. I have a base of accounting and taxation engagements to a wide range of clients and industries and provide advisory assistance in the areas of governance, strategy, strategic risk, new ventures and joint venture facilitation. I have extensive business networks that can add value.

Leadership Responsibilities

I am an advisory partner in the world's largest accounting and consulting firm. I have held a number of internal leadership roles which have included; National Maori Services Leader, Auckland Accounting and Advisory Services Line Leader. The Maori services role entailed setting up our Maori Services practice and overseeing our Maori strategy. We now have over 15 partners and directors leading jobs and initiatives in the Maori sector with five key Maori leaders making up our Taumata. Other leadership roles have included senior financial roles, acting GM and acting CEO roles with SME's (small-to-medium sized enterprises) and Maori organisations (noting five years in a senior finance/acting CEO role with Ngati Whatua Orakei).

Governance Experience

My governance experience means I understand what it takes to get action and positive results in Māori and non-Maori settings. I support boards wishing to improve their governance and their organisations. Mahi in this area includes conducting governance reviews, developing governance plans, road maps, facilitating ninety-day sessions to agree priorities and helping boards make decisions that move their organisation forward. I have facilitated and presented at a number of governance trainings tailored to Māori needs. I have sat on panels selecting directors for joint venture entities and Māori organisations. I have been an advisory board member to many SME's and on Auckland City's Business Advisory Board. Trustee and committee roles have included board roles with a Kohanga reo, sports clubs and marae. I was a director for six years with Te Waka Pupuri Pūtea Limited, the commercial arm and asset holding company of Te Rarawa.

Qualifications, Training, Memberships & Awards

- Te Rarawa He Tohu Hiringa (Te Rarawa Award for contribution to Te Rarawa Iwi, hapu, whanau and the community)
- Dame Mira Szaszy Maori Alumni Award (University of Auckland Business School Award for excellence in tribal and national business)
- Most Outstanding New Accountant (NZ Institute of Chartered Accountants Leadership Awards - 2009)
- Chartered Accountant, Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (CAANZ)
- Bachelor of Commerce, University of Auckland. Majoring in Accounting & Commercial Law
- Diploma in Commerce, University of Auckland. Majoring in Marketing
- Te Ara Reo Certificate, Te Wānanga o Aotearoa.