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Tēnā koe Mr Webber

Your request under the Official Information Act 1982

I refer to your request to the Kapiti Coast District Council for information related to Treaty settlements around the land at Maclean Park and the Kapiti Boating Club. The Kapiti District Council transferred the request to the Office of Treaty Settlements (OTS). The transfer was made under section 12(b)(ii) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987.

The Maclean Park Beach Reserve is not currently part of any Treaty settlement or negotiation, and therefore OTS does not hold any information as per your request. As noted in the Maclean Park Te Uruhi Reserve Management Plan 2017, which was provided to you by the Kapiti District Council, Maclean Park is a culturally significant site for Te Āti Awa ki Whakarongotai and Ngāti Toarangatira.

The Crown and Ngāti Toarangatira signed a deed of settlement on 7 December 2012. The redress included in the deed of settlement, did not include the transfer of either Maclean Park or the Kapiti Boating Club. If you would like to read any more about the Ngāti Toarangatira deed of settlement, you can do so at <https://www.govt.nz/treaty-settlement-documents/ngati-toa-rangatira/>.

An entity to represent Te Āti Awa ki Whakarongotai in Treaty settlement negotiations has not yet received a Crown recognised mandate. The Crown is not currently engaged with any Te Āti Awa ki Whakarongotai entities in regards to seeking a mandate. Treaty settlement negotiations only commence once an iwi entity undertakes a mandate process (seeking the mandate to negotiate from their claimant community) and the mandate is approved by Ministers of the Crown.

Nāku noa, nā

Katy Te Amo

Negotiation and Settlement Manager