

# Rangitaane O Manawatu Treaty of Waitangi Claims Current Negotiation Team



**Whaea Kararaina Taite**

*Te Mauri O Rangitaane O Manawatu Representative*

With the passing of our beloved Whaea Kura Te Rangi-Baker in 2006, Whaea Kararaina Taite was appointed in her place. Whaea Kararaina is our Kai Karanga in Papaeioa and was a founding member of Tanenuiarangi Manawatu Incorporated. Whaea Kararaina who inter alia is Ngati Mairehau brings a wealth of knowledge, experience and wisdom to the Negotiation Team. She has been involved with the claim since its lodgement back in 1990.



**Matua Moana Te Rangi**

*Te Mauri O Rangitaane O Manawatu Representative*

Matua Moana Te Rangi was appointed as a Te Mauri O Rangitaane O Manawatu representative following the passing of our beloved Matua Tanenuiarangi Te Awe Awe in 2001. Matua Moana inter alia is Ngati Rangiaranaki and is our most Senior Elder of Te Mauri O Rangitaane O Manawatu. Like his cousin Kararaina Taite he brings a wealth of experience, knowledge and wisdom to the team.



**Danielle Harris LLB, Post Grad Dip, Bus Admin**

*Principal Negotiator*

Danielle who was appointed as a Negotiator in 1997, took over as Principal Negotiator in 2007, following the passing of Whaea Ruth. Danielle has been involved with the Treaty Claim since its lodgement in 1990. She has a wealth of experience in Treaty and Maori Land Law issues, the Resource Management Act, Commercial, Financial and Restructuring issues. Danielle also has a myriad of governance experience in terms of strategic and annual business planning and in financial and audit management.



**Maurice Takarangi LLB**

*Deputy Principal Negotiator*

Maurice was appointed as a Negotiator in 1997 and has been involved with the Treaty Claim since its lodgement in 1990. He is a Specialist in Treaty of Waitangi Claims with over 22 years experience with Land and Fishery Claims. Maurice is a qualified Lawyer, Commercial Company Director and a Sustainable Resource Management Advisor. Maurice is currently the President of Tanenuiarangi Manawatu Incorporated.