

From: Stephanie Weller
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To: Mark Patterson
Subject: Urgent Action by COP 31/01: Information on the Manea Footprints [IN-CONFIDENCE]

Afternoon Mark, I note in the briefing Makere updated we have asked for a response by 8 February – have you spoken to Daniel re process?

As you will be aware we are working with the Ministers office on potential announcements for the 23 February to link in with the launch of the Provincial Growth Fund (PGF).

We have a long list of projects/announcements and need to quickly assess their viability to link to the wider story of the PGF and readiness for announcement. Once we have a shorter list we will discuss further with the MO and confirm the ones to take forward and get either approved and announcement worked up prior to the 23 February.

What I need from you by COP Wednesday 31 January:

I have you as a key contact for the Manea – Footprints of Kupe Project, below is the summary information I currently have – can you please complete the further questions (short blurbs) by COP Wednesday 31 January.

Announcement	Region	Portfolio(s)	Detail
Manea - Footprints of Kupe	Northland	Maori Economic Development Arts, Culture and Heritage Tourism Regional Economic Development	The development of the Manea Footprints of Kupe Cultural and Heritage Centre in Opononi, Northland. Provides employment opportunity in the area, along with an bespoke tourist attraction, linking in with the Twin Coast Tourist Trail.

1. Project details

- a. What is it?
- b. When, timeframes.
- c. Who is involved and leading the project – central government, private industry or local government.
- d. Where - region and location of project?
- e. Investment amounts from central govt. (name source e.g PGF), local government, and private investors.
- f. What are the key project milestones i.e. how will it be implemented.

2. What can be announced?

3. Why this project/what is the project trying to achieve.

4. How does this project link to other key projects/portfolios/govt. initiatives? e.g. NEETS, Employment, Tourism, One Billion Trees Programme etc

5. Where is the project in the funding process? Approved/Not approved?

6. What risks are there?

Next steps – next Wednesday (7 February) I will confirm if the above project is to be worked up for Ministerial consideration/approval or confirmation that relevant Minister(s) would like to announce as part of the wider PGF launch.

Any questions please call me or John Doorbar, 04 8965565.

Thanks in advance

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