

# Tairua Heritage Group

## Notes for Grant Application

1. We are not yet a legally constituted incorporated society but this is underway.

2. Goals

Our sub-committee was set up by the Committee of the Tairua Information and Community Services Society to focus on activities related to the special historical, cultural and environmental heritage in and around Tairua. Specific projects included the upkeep of the Tairua History Trail. Our long-term goal is to create a heritage centre / museum in Tairua. Our group is now proposing to set up under our own entity and applying to become an Incorporated Society.

3. Specific purpose the funding is required for

- Reprinting of the free brochure for visitors to use when they walk the trail.
- Seven of the 'sites' have been damaged, or the information plates/ photographs have disappeared. We need to repair / renew these.
- Weathering has had an effect on the other information plaques, and we may need to renew all 20 in the next 6 months.
- Three new sites have been identified and added to the trail.

3. Details of costs

At present it could cost \$1500 for the printing; as far as the replacement of the stainless steel etc, we estimate \$500 per site for the 7 that need attention + 3 new sites + whatever it requires for renovating the others. We may look to replace all of the 'sites' with another material over time.

4. Applying for \$4200.

5. Remaining funding coming from sponsorship for brochure and own funds.

6. Grant for \$2700 for the Te Karo Bay event 2016/17

7. Benefit to the Community

Activity for visitors; makes them stay longer in the community, which obviously has economic benefit. Acknowledging our heritage for local residents as well as visitors. Educational use for local schools.

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