

# ME URU KAHIKATEA

Calling FOMA Members to Stand Together to Support Changes to the NZ Emissions Trading Scheme to recognise Ahuwhenua Māori as Taonga Tuku Iho

**AUGUST 2023**



**THE GOVERNMENT IS CONSULTING ON THE  
EMISSIONS TRADING SCHEME - "THE ETS"**

**FOMA IS GATHERING  
PERSPECTIVES FROM  
AHUWHENUA MĀORI**

**WE NEED TO HEAR FROM YOU**



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# WHAT IS THE ETS

The ETS scheme is a government-run market where big polluters buy credits to offset their waste

The idea is to create a value around pollution offset activities - as prices to rise over time, firms are incentivised to innovate more, and pollute less.

New Zealand's scheme (2008) is our primary response to climate change. We are unique in allowing unlimited forestry - planting Pine Trees - as an offset to companies' emissions

40% of all NZ forestry is owned by Māori and most is outside the ETS because it was planted before 1990

GREENHOUSE GASES

ZERO CARBON ACT

CARBON OFFSETTING

GLOBAL WA

OTC

# ETS CHANGES

01

EXCLUDING EXOTIC FORESTS FROM BEING USED TO OFFSET POLLUTION

02

CREATING SEPARATE INCENTIVES FOR GROSS EMISSION REDUCTIONS AND EMISSIONS REMOVALS CREATING TWO SEPARATE MARKETS

03

ADJUSTING HOW CARBON ACCOUNTING APPLIES TO FORESTS ON REMOTE AND MARGINAL HARVEST LAND

04

OPPORTUNITIES TO IMPROVE INCENTIVES FOR INDIGENOUS/NATURAL AFFORESTATION

# KEY MESSAGES

01

Whenua is Taonga Tuku Iho and this means.....

02

We didn't create this problem but we have Leaders who have experienced many generations of climate adaptation

03

Ahuwhenua Māori must stay out of national regulation - Regionality must influence local decisions

04

We seek a % of ETS profits to help resolve intergenerational defaults and colonisation



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# SHARE YOUR VIEWS WITH US THROUGH

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# WHAT TO SHARE

## SHARE YOUR VALUES

What is most important to your whānau collective

## SHARE YOUR EXPERIENCE AS WHĀNAU

Have your Land Uses changed - WHY

## SHARE YOUR WHENUA CONNECTION

Whakapapa  
Whenua  
Whānaungātanga

## WHAT YOU KNOW ABOUT THE ETS (OR DONT)

What do you know?  
What would you like to be shared?  
Who do you want to engage with?

## SHARE YOUR ASPIRATIONS

What are your whānau's future needs?

## SHARE ANYTHING ELSE IMPORTANT

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# HOW TO SHARE



## SHARE PERSPECTIVES

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## JOIN US & WĀNANGA

Online Zoom - DATE.....



## VIDEO SHARE

YOUTUBE CHANEL





# SUMMARY

HAVE YOUR SAY

CONTACTS & STORIES





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