NGĀTI MĀKINO IWI AUTHORITY

Matawhaura te Maunga, Rotoehu te moana, Whakahau te tangata, Mākino te Iwi,
He taniwha ngā tangata, He paruparu ngā kai

2026 Trustee Election Voting Pack

Tēnā koe, the following papers are enclosed for your attention:

- Your Ballot Paper to vote in the 2026 election of two Trustees.
- Annual General Meeting Notice.
- Nominated election candidates' profile statements.
- FreePost Return envelope to mail your Ballot Paper.

Voting Instructions and Information (please read carefully before voting)

ELECTION OF TWO (2) TRUSTEES
2 CANDIDATES: You may vote for no more than 2 Candidates from the list of names on the Ballot Paper. Place a tick (✔) in the box alongside the candidate(s) for whom you wish to vote.

VOTING PROCEDURES
SIGNATURE: All Ballot Papers must be completed and signed by the registered member of Ngāti Mākino named on the Ballot Paper.

VOTING: You may vote by a Postal Vote, Ballot Box at the Wahi Pooti (voting booth), via email, or by Electronic Online voting.

VOTING METHODS
POSTAL VOTE: Return the Ballot Paper in the enclosed FreePost envelope to the Returning Officer, (Lily Munn at GHA, PO Box 1712, Rotorua), who is authorised to receive and count the votes. Postal voting papers must be received no later than 5pm on Friday, 27 November 2026. *OR*

BALLOT BOX AT THE WAHI POOTI: A Ballot Box is at the GHA office, 1108 Fenton Street, ROTORUA, to cast your vote. Voting at the Wahi Pooti will close at 5pm on Friday, 27 November 2026. *OR*

EMAIL VOTE: Email a copy of your Ballot Paper to the Returning Officer email address, returningofficer@gha.co.nz. Email voting papers must be received no later than 5pm on Friday, 27 November 2026. *OR*

ONLINE VOTE: Follow the steps on the following pages to submit your online vote. Online votes must be submitted no later than 5pm on Friday, 27 November 2026.

If you choose to vote at the Wahi Pooti, you must bring your own Ballot Paper with you. Only Adult (i.e. persons aged 18 years and over) registered members of Ngāti Mākino Iwi Authority may vote in this election.

FURTHER INFORMATION:
Candidate profiles for the nominated candidates are enclosed. For further Ballot Papers and any other inquiries please contact Lily Munn at GHA, 1108 Fenton St, Rotorua, phone (07) 348 3599, or email returningofficer@gha.co.nz.

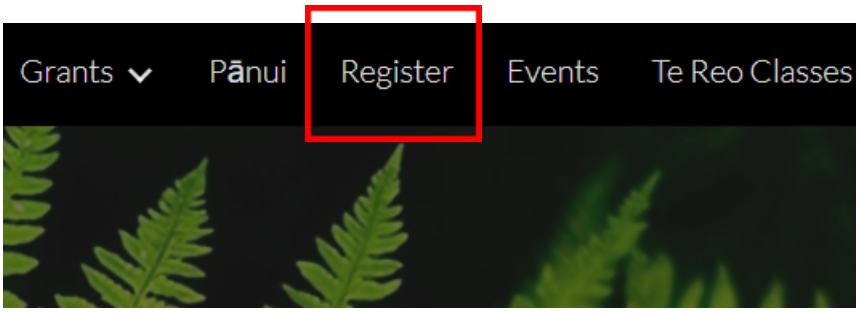
Election results will be notified at the AGM on Saturday, 5 December 2026, at Ōtamarākau Marae and posted on the Ngāti Mākino Iwi Authority website and Facebook page on Monday, 7 December 2026.

Online Voting Form Instructions

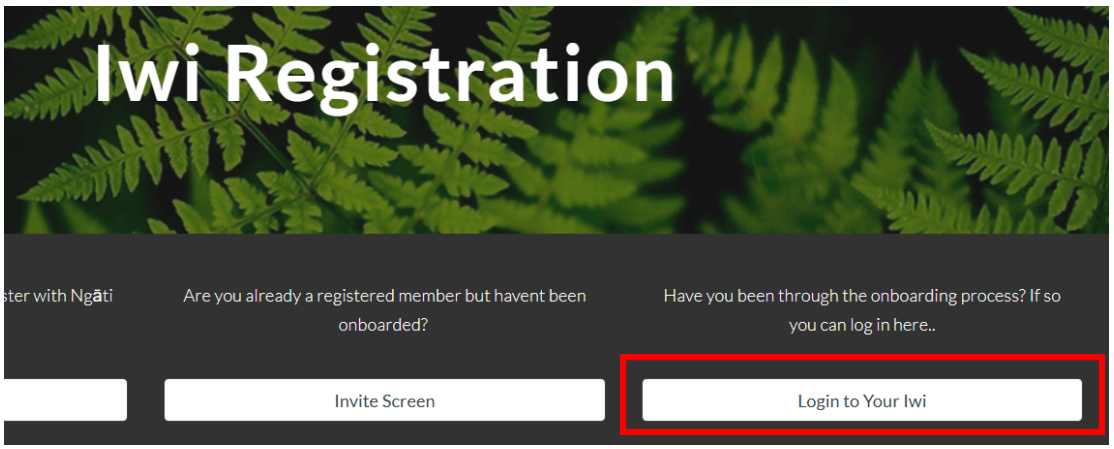
Online Voting is available for the 2026 Trustee Election, and every eligible adult (18+) registered with Ngāti Mākino Iwi Authority is able to access online voting. However, there are a few things that need to happen before you access the online voting form.

You may vote ONCE only, using one of the available voting methods. If you submit more than one vote, your vote will be declared invalid.

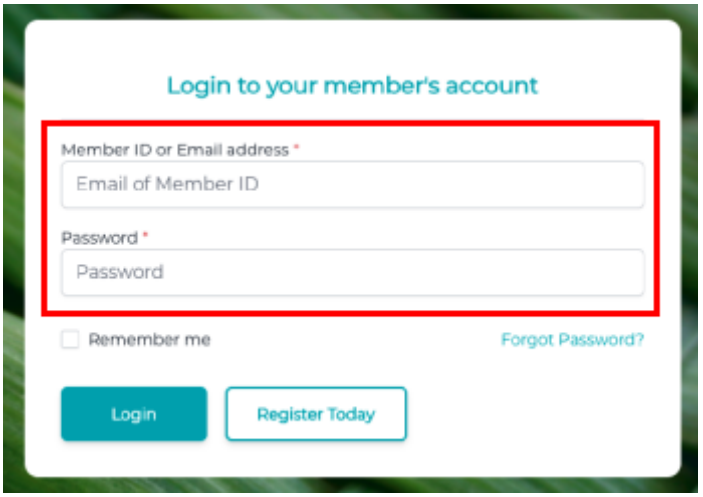
1. To access the online voting form, navigate to our website www.ngatimakino.co.nz and click on Register.



2. Click on **'Login to Your Iwi'**.

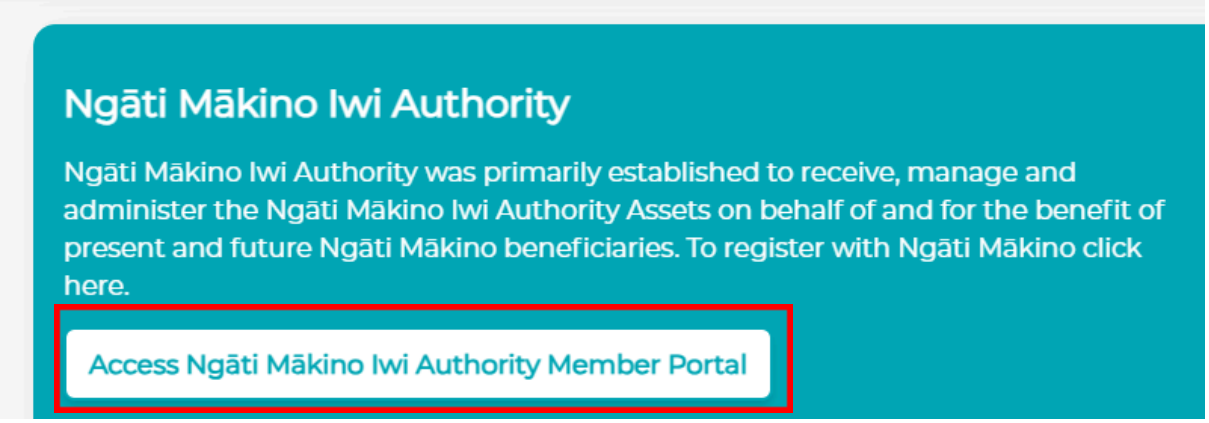


3. You should then see the login page (see below).

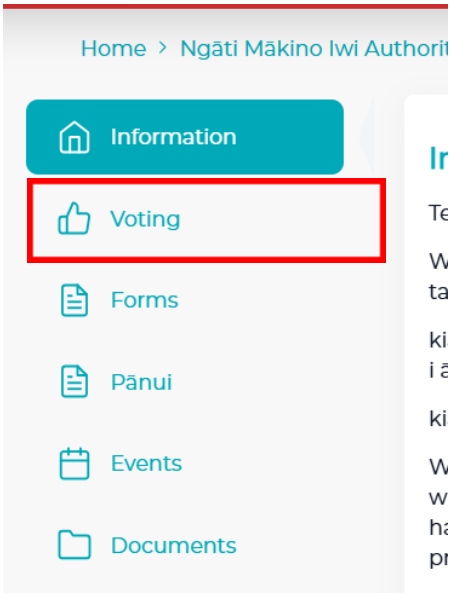


4. Enter your email address or member ID and your password and then click on login.

5. Click on **‘Access Ngāti Mākino Iwi Authority Member Portal’.**



6. Click on **‘Voting’.**



7. Click on **‘Vote’**.

8. You should be able to view the important information, nominee profiles, and complete the online voting form now.

9. If you need support through any part of the above online voting process, please call Kirimātao on 07 343 6588.