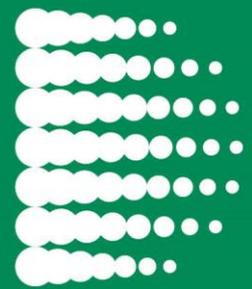


# Decarbonising Transport

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## Transport and Te Tiriti: A long overdue conversation

Actions to decarbonise transport in Aotearoa New Zealand must be aligned with te Tiriti o Waitangi, the founding constitutional document for our country. Longstanding inequities require policy approaches that recognise and align with the Articles of te Tiriti o Waitangi, which set out the Government's responsibility, as the representative of the British Crown, to uphold Māori rights to *kāwanatanga* (good governance), *tino rangatiratanga* (self-determination) and *ōritetanga* (equity) in Aotearoa New Zealand.

The purpose of this workshop is to talk about how the professional transport sector can improve its efforts to recognise and align with the Articles of te Tiriti. We aim to identify tangible ways that we can support each other to promote Māori governance and self-determination, and to improve equity through transport policy, planning, and practice.

The workshop will include a brief presentation about te Tiriti and its articles. It will include insights into transport challenges facing Māori in Tāmaki Makaurau with examples from the Inclusive Streetscapes project and its Te Puea Marae case study. The project included in-depth 'go along' interviews with 12 Kaumātua living in and around the papakāinga associated with Te Puea Marae in Māngere, about the journeys they make (or do not make), and the effects of transport on their ability (or lack of ability) to live with ease and dignity.

We will facilitate interactive conversations amongst workshop participants to then look in more depth at examples of everyday transport tools and processes, discussing challenges and opportunities to better align those processes with the Articles of te Tiriti.

The workshop will be led by Dr Esther Willing and facilitated and supported by members of the Inclusive Streetscapes project team, including Māori researchers and community representatives. Inclusive Streetscapes was funded by the Health Research Council of New Zealand.

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Strive always for the well-being of the people  
*Princess Te Puea Herangi*



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