

Ōtorohanga District Council  
Kāwhia Community Board  
Kāwhia Community Subdivision  
Electing 3 Board Members

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**Hinga WHIU**

Independent

My principal place of residence is in the Kāwhia Community Subdivision area.

Tēnā koutou katoa.

Kāwhia is my birthplace and home and with that comes a vested interest in how and what impacts on our small coastal community. In this I hope to

provide leadership about how we can build resilience for its residents and provide support to those that require it.

Current government policies, climate change and the general worldwide economic downturn have affected many who call Kāwhia Moana home.

Open and honest dialogue and having to make the hard decisions when called upon will improve this outlook for us as we face these uncertain times head on and together.

I am married to Lloyd, and we have eight children and 12 mokopuna. I am also currently employed as the Pou Hui (Events Manager) for Waikato-Tainui.