

INFORMATION & CONTACTS

These groups can offer practical advice and help with your wetland rehabilitation project

WAIKATO REGIONAL COUNCIL

Check with the council to see if a resource consent is required for your planned activities, or ask for practical advice on wetland rehabilitation and pest control. Staff can also help establish a Landcare group in your area for community involvement in conservation projects. Your project may qualify for funding through the Environmental Initiatives Fund.

See www.waikatoregion.govt.nz or phone for more information 0800 800 401.

LOCAL AUTHORITIES

District councils support voluntary protection measures and may offer some form of rates relief or other incentive for fencing costs and protection initiatives. Contact your local council for information.

ORGANISATION	ASSISTANCE	CONTACT
Lottery Grants Board	The board offers funds to a wide range of non-profit groups.	www.cdgo.govt.nz/apply-for-funding Phone: 0800 824 824
Department of Conservation	Staff can provide information on wetland plants and animals, and rehabilitation advice.	www.doc.govt.nz Phone: 07 858 1000
Auckland/Waikato Fish & Game Council	The council provides strong support and experience in constructing and enhancing wetlands and farm ponds for game bird habitat. They also enter into protection covenants.	www.fishandgame.org.nz/auckland Phone: 07 849 1666
Ducks Unlimited	A non-profit, voluntary organisation dedicated to the protection, rehabilitation and development of wetlands. They have expertise in conserving endangered waterfowl and nest box construction. They produce a regular newsletter.	www.ducks.org.nz Phone: 021 925 512
QEII National Trust	The Trust is an independent organisation set up to help landowners protect important landscape features on their land while retaining ownership. Find your area representative on the QEII website.	www.qeiiinternationaltrust.org.nz/find-your-rep
Forest & Bird	The aim of this conservation group is the preservation and protection of our native plants, animals and natural features. Forest & Bird works closely with landowners on a range of projects, and is a valuable contact.	Email waikato.branch@forestandbird.org.nz
Waikato Biodiversity Forum	The forum coordinator helps with funding advice and runs workshops. www.waikatobiodiversity.org.nz	Phone: 0800 BIO DIV (246 348)
Volunteering Waikato	Connects community groups with volunteers in the Waikato.	www.volunteeringwaikato.org.nz Phone: 07 839 3191
NZ Landcare Trust	Develops resource materials and helps set up environmental community groups.	www.landcaretrust.org.nz
Conservation Volunteers NZ	Provides volunteers and supervisors, particularly for one-off working bees.	Phone: 0800 567 686 www.conservationvolunteers.co.nz

NATIVE PLANT NURSERIES

Some nurseries will need prior notice to ensure the native plants you receive are eco-sourced (collected from your local district for propagation).

ANNTON NURSERY LTD

1/249 Peake Road, Hautapu, Tamahere
Ph 07 827 4144

FULL BOOM NURSERY

524 Morrinsville Road, Newstead, Hamilton
Ph 07 856 4515

HAUORA NATIVE PLANT NURSERY

163 Bulltown Road, Waihi
Ph 027 272 7158

MAMAKU NATIVE NURSERY

Dansey Rd, Mamaku
Ph 07 332 5728

NATIVE TREE COMPANY

7 Church Road, Mangatarata, Hauraki Plains
Ph 07 867 3250

NATURALLY NATIVE NEW ZEALAND PLANTS

30 Gamman Mill Road, Oropi, RD 3, Tauranga
Ph 07 543 1494

ORATIA NATIVE PLANT NURSERY

625 West Coast Rd, Oratia,
Auckland
Ph 09 818 6467

TAUPO NATIVE PLANT NURSERY

155 Centennial Dr, Tauhara Forest
Ph 07 378 5450



RECOMMENDED READING

Wetland Restoration: a handbook for New Zealand freshwater systems

<https://www.landcareresearch.co.nz/publications/books/wetlands-handbook>

New Zealand guidelines for constructed wetland treatment of tile drainage

www.niwa.co.nz/freshwater-and-estuaries/management-tools/restoration-tools/tile-drain-wetland-guidelines

Te Reo O Te Repo: the voice of the wetland

<https://www.landcareresearch.co.nz/publications/books/te-reo-o-te-repo>



HE TAIAO MAUIORA HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT
HE ŌHANGA PAKARI STRONG ECONOMY
HE HAPORI HIHIRI VIBRANT COMMUNITIES

For more information call 0800 800 401 or
visit waikatoregion.govt.nz.

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