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#### Te Uri O Hau Taumata Kaunihera

## Nau mai haere mai e nga Iwi ki tenei hui

- Waa karanga: 7<sup>th</sup> March 2011, 7.30pm
- Kei hea: Dargaville Town Hall
- Kaihautu: Ben de Thierry and Neil Tiller
- Kai korero: Des Subritzky and Peter Crabb

# Responding to Crest energy marine turbines

This is the **final** opportunity for the community and Iwi to publically protest the recent Environment Court Decision to allow Crest Energy resource consent to place 200 wave turbines in the mouth of the Kaipara Harbour.

#### Purpose:

- 1. To consider whether representatives from this public meeting should meet personally with the Minister of Conservation in an attempt to convince the Minister that she should not accept the recommendation of the Environment Court and that the Minister should decline the consent application.
- 2. Provides an opportunity for the Public to actively lobby for the Government to reject the Environment Court decision by sending the Prime Minister and MP for Helensville a personal postcard outlining their opposition.
- 3. Gauge the public support for an ongoing group to actively monitor and engage the Northland Regional Council in ensuring that Crest Energy meets their obligations under the resource consent conditions if the public is not successful in having the Minister of Conservation decline the application. This group to participate in the NRC public notification process required under the consent provisions and if necessary takes legal action to ensure that the resource consent conditions are meeting to the fullest extent of the law.