



## Te Rūnanga o Ngāti Awa

### Media Release

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Te Rūnanga o Ngāti Awa and Ngāti Awa Group Holdings Ltd are joining together to launch a Ngāti Awa relief fund for Ngāti Awa households affected by the recent flooding in te rohe o Ngāti Awa.

Te Rūnanga o Ngāti Awa Chair, Joe Mason said “We recognise that many Ngāti Awa whānau are affected by the floods. Our marae and whānau are expert at coming together in times of need, and the Ngāti Awa relief fund is one way the Rūnanga and our company can support the recovery of our Ngāti Awa whānau. We are also being supported by iwi throughout Aotearoa which we are very appreciative of”.

Due to the Easter break, applications will open on Wednesday 19 April. Criteria and application forms will be available on [www.ngatiawa.iwi.nz](http://www.ngatiawa.iwi.nz)

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