

# Māori Data Futures Workshop

Ki Te Aurere

# Data ILG

- Established by ICF in February 2016 at Waitangi
  - In response to the increasing need for iwi to better harness the potential of data to enable our development and to advance the data kaupapa with the Crown
- Membership: Te Arawa, Ngāti Porou, Whānau Apanui, Ngā Wairiki-Ngāti Apa, Waikato-Tainui, Ngāpuhi,

# Indigenous Data Sovereignty

- **Data Sovereignty** is the right of a Nation to collect and manage its own data (data is subject to the laws of the nation **within which it is stored**)
- **Indigenous Data Sovereignty** is the right of the nation to govern the collection, ownership and application of its own data (data is subject to the laws of the nation **from which it is collected**, including Tribal nations)

# **Māori Data Sovereignty**

**...Is the right of Māori to access, to use,  
to have governance and control over  
Māori Data**

# What is Māori Data?

## **Data from Māori**

- From Māori organisations and businesses

## **Data about Māori**

- Used to describe or compare Māori collectives & individuals

## **Data about Māori resources**

- Emerges from research on Māori resources

# Why is Indigenous Data Sovereignty Important?

**Access and Use** to transform the lives of our people.

**Governance and Control** to ensure the data is relevant and responsive.

*“Sovereignty as tribal nations was given to us by the Creator. It is sacred.*

*Data to exercise our sovereignty is also sacred”*

Tribal Leader, USA

# How do we get there?

**Information:** access and governance

**Translators:** capability to use

**Infrastructure:** control and design the future



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# Ahakoā he ITI he Pounamu

<b>Kaupapa Matua</b> (Purpose)	<b>Ngā Whāinga</b> (Goals)
<p><b>Our Shared Kaupapa</b> Focus and drive our strategy</p> <p><b>WHAT:</b> Full, free access and control over data about and for Iwi</p> <p><b>WHY:</b> For data to empower our development as Iwi</p>	<p><b>INFORMATION</b></p> <p>Access and governance over iwi data</p>
<p><b>Our Shared Values</b> Guide our execution</p> <p><b>RANGATIRATANGA:</b> Our right to self-determine what happens with our data.</p>	<p><b>TRANSLATORS</b></p> <p>Enhance and build our capability to engage, use &amp; design data</p>
<p><b>PUKENGATANGA:</b> Utilise expertise to help make smart, informed decisions.</p> <p><b>KOTAHITANGA:</b> He painga mo te katoa. Collaboration &amp; working together for the greater good of all Iwi.</p> <p><b>KAITIAKITANGA:</b> Our guardianship, protection &amp; the ability to improve outcomes for our people &amp; place, informed by data.</p>	<p><b>INFRASTRUCTURE</b></p> <p>Future-proof the information infrastructure for iwi data</p>