

## SDG ALLIANCE PARTICIPANT BRIEFING

This briefing provides an overview of the mahi involved in forming the SDG Alliance for Aotearoa - to support your participation in our session on 2 September at 11.15am. The zoom link to join this session is <https://canterbury.zoom.us/j/91398218417>

### Karanga Ki Te Hohenga/Call to Action

Tangata whenua, community and voluntary sector, business, academia and some participating government agencies have looked to civil society to coordinate and collate a national response in achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and required system-level actions. The formation of the SDG Alliance is our response to this need.

The proposed format and structure of an SDG Alliance presented here is the result of kōrero, papamahi (workshops), and rangahau (research) undertaken by Hui E! and partner organisations over the past 12 months.

### Tauākī Whāinga/Statement of Intent

[The Statement of Intent](#) sets out the Alliance's commitment to working under a Te Tiriti o Waitangi Relationship Framework and identifies key objectives and outcomes.

### Tūāpapa/Foundation

The SDG Alliance model is founded on a Te Tiriti o Waitangi Relationship Framework, which recognises the special place of Indigenous Tangata Whenua in Aotearoa and the rights and responsibilities associated with that. This sets the tikanga for the Alliance and ensures a two-world view of its strategies, tikanga, policies, procedures, kawa and practices is woven into all levels of the Alliance.

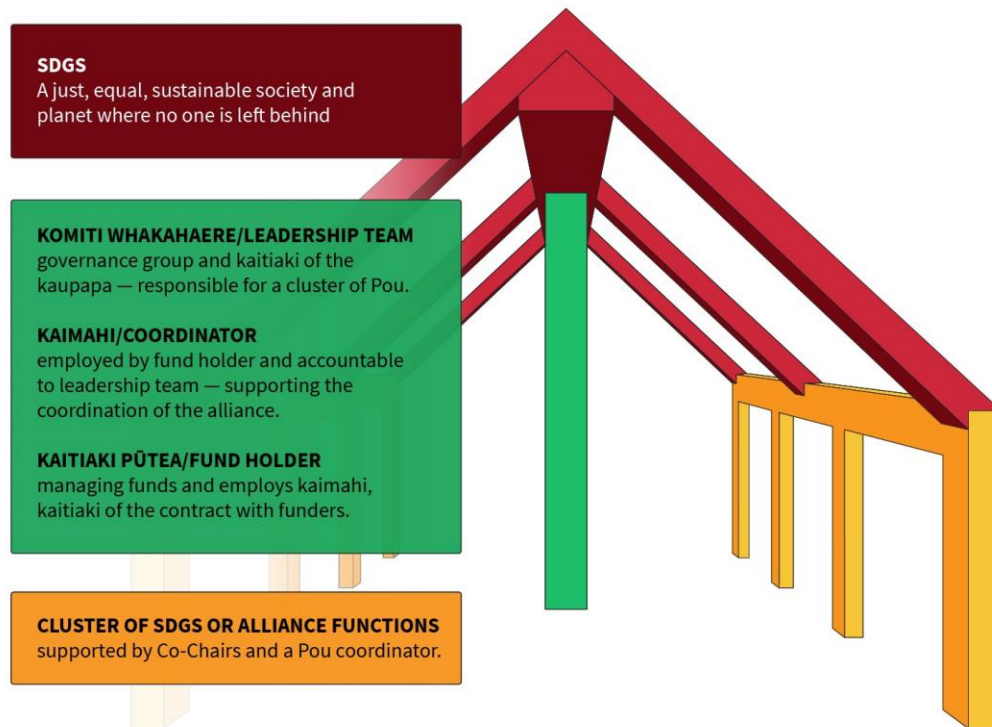
### Whakatakoto/Structure

A whare represents the structure of a human anatomy. The Pou within the whare are designed to hold the Tahuhu, the backbone of the whare. This provides the strength and foundations. If the Pou collapses the whole whare collapses.

Applying this concept, a Pou will be dedicated to one or a cluster of each SDGs or particular functions of the alliance. Organisations / individuals will support their Pou in understanding, advancing and advocating for a fair and just society by providing information, data, case studies and tautoko for collective cohesion.

Through rangatiratanga each Pou will operate uniquely but through kotahitanga we will be moving in the same direction, together.

## Whakaaturanga/Image



## Additional Resources

- Office of the Auditor General Report: [The Government's preparedness to achieve the SDGs \(August 2021\)](#)
- New Zealand's first [People's Report on the 2030 Agenda and SDGs](#) (November 2019)
- [SDG Alliance Statement of Intent](#) (June 2021)
- More about the mahi involved around forming an SDG Alliance: <https://www.huie.org.nz/sdg-alliance/>, and <https://www.huie.org.nz/our-projects/2030-agenda/> including:
- [Update following workshop 1: Accelerating the SDG progress through an SDG Alliance - Hui E! Community Aotearoa](#) (June 2021)
- [Update following workshop 2: Accelerating the SDG progress through an SDG Alliance - Hui E! Community Aotearoa](#) (June 2021)
- <https://sdgs.un.org/goals>