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COMMUNITY OF HIGHBURY N FURTHER
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Arae Wapahi

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Submission: Support for the Highbury Cultural Hub Proposal
Location: Te Pātikitiki

I, the undersigned, support the proposal to establish a Cultural Hub at Te Pātikitiki. I believe this space will serve as a vital and inclusive place for our community, celebrating our history, supporting cultural practices, and meeting the diverse needs of Highbury residents.

I acknowledge the importance of the historical hāngī pit as a central feature of the Hub and support the inclusion of facilities such as break-out rooms and a commercial kitchen to enhance community use.

Full Name: Grace Wepake

Signature: _____

Date: 16/1/25

Connection to Highbury: Kainaki in Highbury.
Serving Highbury community.

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At present, there are limited venues available that can meet the diverse needs of our community. Those that do exist often come with barriers such as high costs, faith-based restrictions, or limited availability. A dedicated Cultural Hub would provide a welcoming, inclusive, and accessible space for all, a place to host wānanga, hui, cultural celebrations, and everyday community connection.

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Signature Hayley

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Signature	J. Barlow		

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Name Jasmine Tui Alexander

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Full Name: Jasmine Tui Alexandre

Signature: 

Date: 16/04/25

Connection to Highbury: work & lived in Highbury
(Te Wakahuia) (1 year) Monday St.

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