

## Become a member of Biosecurity Taranaki

Becoming a Biosecurity Taranaki member is a powerful way for organisations and individuals to support building a biosecurity network that is proactive in safeguarding Taranaki's unique environment, economy and way of life from the threat of pests and disease.

Members recognise that pests and diseases can devastate the region and that it takes a community to tackle biosecurity threats successfully. By completing and signing this form, members undertake to:

- 1. Grow awareness of biosecurity threats and take action to minimise risk.**
  - o Understand the potential impacts of biosecurity threats and how to be better prepared.
  - o Take opportunities to support community, customers, staff, suppliers, volunteers and other stakeholders to understand the importance of biosecurity and what good biosecurity practice looks like.
- 2. Build biosecurity capability.**
  - o Be champions within own organisations by integrating proactive biosecurity practices into our governance, operations and supply chains.
  - o Look for opportunities to share learning and promote resources.
- 3. Protect Taranaki's future for generations to come.**
  - o Provide strong, future-focused leadership.
  - o Always be ready to take action.
- 4. Be accountable to targets developed.**
- 5. Embrace mātauranga Māori of Taranaki's eight iwi to assist with protecting the Taranaki environment against biosecurity threats.**

Organisation name:

Statement on how your organisation will be an effective advocate for Biosecurity Taranaki:

Main contact at organisation for the Biosecurity Taranaki (who also has authority to sign this agreement):

Name:

Job title:

Email:

Mobile:

Signature:

Date:

Return your form to [biosecurity@trc.govt.nz](mailto:biosecurity@trc.govt.nz)

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