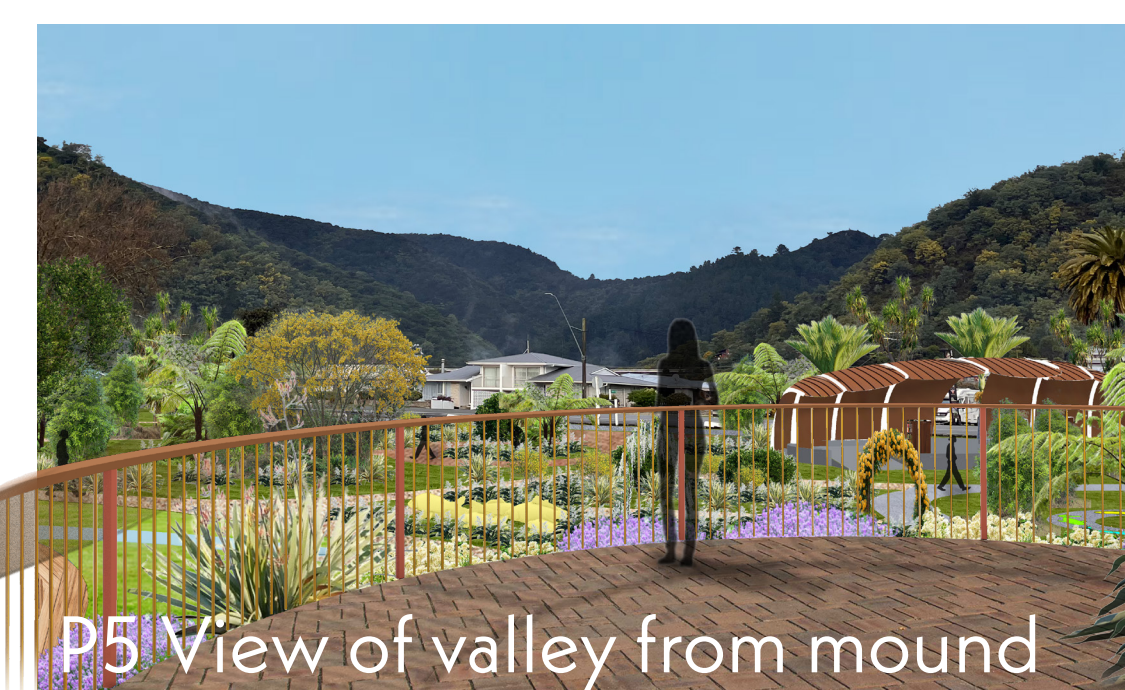


NGĀ PAKIAKI TAHI - Shared roots

Recovering connections that matter.

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Ngā Pakiaki Tahī ('multiple roots into one' or 'shared roots') is about bringing people and cultures together. Deeply rooted Māori values of kaitiaki are reflected through the native forest and stream, while the legend of Te Wheke-o-Muturangi (Kupe and the octopus) is reimagined in a sculpture playground. English and Asian cultures come together through the fragrance garden and light shows which show off New Zealand and the world's most fragrant plants selected for year round interest. Native and exotic plantings weave between these spaces, symbolising roots that intertwine, strengthen, and grow together. The park guides all the water on site through trenches into a rain garden where native plants thrive.

Ngā Pakiaki Tahī is a place to connect - with nature, with culture, and with one another. It invites people to slow down, to smell the flowers, to listen, to walk, to play, and interact with people from the neighbourhood and from around the world. It is a place to enjoy each other's company, to celebrate differences, and to recognise the roots that bind us all.



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