

E te iwi whanui o Rotorua Nga mihi nui ki a koutou katoa.

He Kaupapa Here tenei e tautoko nuitia ana i nga tirohanga me nga tumanko kua whakamaheretia e te hapori mo nga tekau tau kei mua i a tatau.

I te mutunga mai o te whakawhitiwhitinga korero ngatahi me te hapori o Rotorua katahi ka whakatauiratia ake me pehea e taea ai e te Kaunihera te manaaki me te kokiri i nga painga me nga hua o te Kaupapa here mo nga tekau tau kei mua i te aroaro.

Hufia te rito o te Harakeke  
Kei hea te komako e Ko  
Ki mai ki ahau he aha te mea nui o te ao  
Maku e ki atu he tangata he tangata he tangata.

To the people of Rotorua. Warm greetings to you all.

This Long-term Plan supports the community's vision and aspirations.

The Long-term Plan document follows a programme of extensive consultation with the community of Rotorua, and shows how the council proposes to contribute to a range of agreed community outcomes over the next ten years.

When the heart is torn from the flax bush  
Where will the Bellbird sing?  
You ask me 'what is the greatest thing on Earth?'  
My reply is, 'it is people, people, people.'

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