

30 July 2025

Expert Panel
Sunfield Fast-track Application
FTAA – 2503 -1039

Sunfield Fast-track Application: Response to Minute 5 of the Expert Panel

I, Tiumalu Peter Fa'afiu, of Navigator Limited confirm that the report I prepared, for the Sunfield Fast-track Application, being the Sunfield Mana Whenua Engagement Report, was prepared in accordance with the Environment Court Practice Note 2023 (Code of Conduct for Expert Witnesses).

As requested by the Expert Panel, details of my qualifications and relevant experience accompany this letter as an annex.

Yours sincerely,



Tiumalu Peter Fa'afiu
Partner
Navigator Limited

Annex:

Expert Qualifications – Tiumalu Peter Fa’afiu

Current Expert Consenting Panel Member

- 28 January 2025 to current - Expert Consenting Panel Member for Glorit Solar Farm and Substation under Natural and Built Environment Act 2023 (now repealed).
- In 2024, Expert Consenting Panel Member for three Fast-track panel processes for housing and land development under the now repealed Covid-19 Recovery Act 2020:
 - Maungarongo RC3 (Unitec / Carrington)
 - Te Whenua Haa Ora (Unitec / Carrington)
 - Verran Mews (Birkenhead, Auckland)

Executive Experience

- Partner, Navigator Limited. Work across several sectors including supporting developers and infrastructure entities with their plan changes, resource consents, and strategy development.
- Interim CEO and GM (Corporate Affairs), Tamaki Regeneration Company (Schedule 4A Crown company). Since 2013, TRC enabling large urban regeneration project across 600 HA on Crown owned land in East Auckland.

Governance

- UK registered Director of Amnesty International Limited – global human rights organisation with over 3,000 staff around the world.
- Independent Chair, Financial Advice NZ – professional body for financial advisors.
- Chair, Monte Cecilia Housing Trust - provides transitional / community housing to over 2,000 whanau / families in South Auckland.
- Independent Director, Tatai Aho Rau-CORE Education (education services).

Mana whenua / Māori economic development experience

- Given work history, significant experience with mana whenua and Iwi Authorities across the country.
- Expert Panel Member for four fast-track projects (mentioned above) with experience in Te Ao Māori and Māori economic development on recommendation from some of Auckland’s iwi authorities (no Māori whakapapa).
- Of Auckland’s 19 Iwi Authorities, eight have previously been Navigator clients – none currently.

Formal qualifications

- Law and History degrees from the University of Auckland.
- Executive education from Mt Eliza Melbourne Business School.
- Member, Institute of Directors.