

MINISTRY OF BUSINESS, INNOVATION & EMPLOYMENT - RECOVERY AT A GLANCE

The data presented on this page only includes data that relates to regions that have been affected by the weather events of January and February 2023.

"As at first date (second date)" is used to denote the current (first) and previous (second) report dates for comparison purposes. Black denotes the current period's value, (white) denotes the previous.

Immigration New Zealand

- 98% of Recovery Visas have been decided. On average, INZ processes Recovery Visa applications in 6 weekdays, with approved applications taking an average of 5 weekdays. Since the previous report (26 June) a further 47 applicants have arrived into New Zealand, and an additional 57 applications received.

Temporary Accommodation Service

- To date, TAS has deployed 23 relocatable cabins. 12 in Wairoa, 5 in Pōrangahau, 4 in Waiohiki and 1 each in Waipawa and Westport. Another 4 are expected to be deployed over the coming weeks.
- A joint venture with Omahu Marae in Hastings to supply 11 relocatable homes on Marae whenua using local building firm K3 to build them, has been signed off. TAS is looking at several other opportunities across the region to support local solutions to assist displaced people.
- TAS has recently placed a Request for Proposal (RFP), to lease more relocatable cabins. The RFP closed on 6th July. TAS is currently assessing the responses with a view to being able to lease and deploy a significant number of relocatable cabins over the coming months.

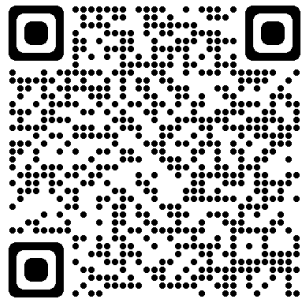
North Island Weather Events Primary Producer Finance Scheme.

- This reporting period, the North Island Weather Events Primary Producer Finance Scheme was announced. This is a new package of financial support for businesses, orchards, and farms affected by the North Island weather events in early 2023. The scheme enables the Government, through Kānoa, to provide concessionary loans and equity finance to help severely affected businesses get back to a point where they can re-engage with commercial lenders. Applications open at the end of July.
- For further information on this scheme, please visit <https://www.growregions.govt.nz/new-funding/niwe-primary-producer-finance-scheme/>

Recovery Visa Applications

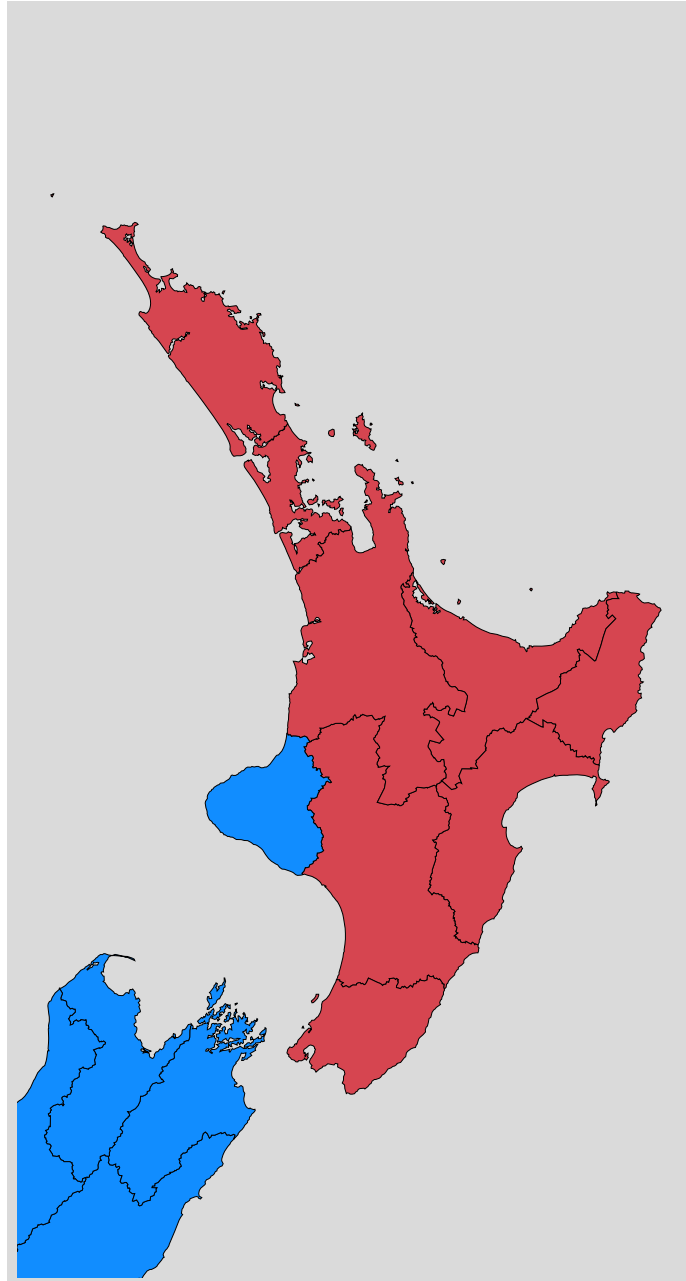
As at 10-07-2023 (26-06-2023)

Received	Approved	Declined	Arrived
2512	1390	992	1084
(2492)	(1371)	(977)	(1055)



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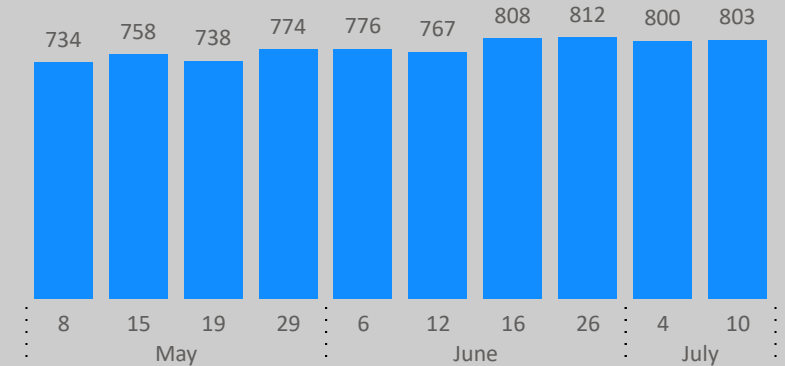
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Temporary Accommodation Services

As at 10-07-2023

Households engaged with TAS



These figures represent the rolling number of currently active households engaged with TAS and captures those accommodated by TAS, are awaiting accommodation or are having their needs assessed.