



APPENDIX 8 – MAINTENANCE OF AN HISTORIC SITE AND AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE TO MĀORI

Appropriate repair and maintenance work to Māori heritage and historic places (sites) means the protective care of a place.¹ Maintenance work will comply with the following standards:

- (a) In relation to a place/area of significance to Māori, the proposed repair and maintenance work should be designed in partnership and consultation with the tangata whenua and the proposed repair and maintenance work is supported by the written approval of the relevant tangata whenua.
- (b) The work will not involve any land disturbance likely to affect the heritage values of the site.
- (c) The work involves keeping the place in good condition by controlling noxious weeds, cutting grass and light stock grazing.
- (d) The work is an existing land use that does not involve any land disturbance or destruction to a site, place or area.
- (e) Any disturbance of land by cultivation that does not extend beyond the area or depth previously disturbed.
- (f) The work involves maintenance and minor upgrading of existing buildings that is compatible with standards for repair and maintenance of historic places, buildings, listed above.
- (g) The work involves maintenance and upgrading of paved roads, modified berms and paths provided that the land disturbance does not extend beyond the area or depth previously disturbed.
- (h) Any disturbance of the land by fencing that does not extend beyond the area or depth previously disturbed.
- (i) The work involves preservation and conservation as defined in the ICOMOS NZ Charter.
- (j) The work, if relevant, is authorised by an archaeological authority issued under the Historic Places Act 1993.

¹ ICOMOS NZ Charter