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# Kawau Island multi-species eradication project

## Working towards a pest free Kawau Island

### February Community Forum meeting

#### Register for the next meeting

**The next community forum meeting will be held online on Tuesday 18th February at 7:30pm.** If you would like to attend, please register in advance [using this link](#). The minutes from the last meeting are attached to this email.

The community forum is an important part of the project structure that ensures the community has a voice in the project and is involved in the project design. Ideally it will ensure a diverse range of community voices and perspectives including businesses, charitable trusts, conservation groups, and residents / ratepayers.

The community forum meetings are held monthly online, and any member of the Kawau Island community is welcome to be a part of the community forum.

### New Zealand Nature Fund campaign

The NZ Nature Fund is continuing to champion the project and raise funds to support the restoration of Kawau Island. An additional \$200,000 was received towards the end of 2024, taking total donations to the project to over \$700,000 to date, and bringing the fund closer to its \$2 million fundraising target.

“It’s a very significant contribution from the community and a wonderful demonstration of local commitment driving game-changing conservation projects,” says NZ Nature Fund CEO, Sarah Lyttle.

If you would like to contribute to the project, visit [www.nznaturefund.org/kawau](http://www.nznaturefund.org/kawau)

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