

# Eastern BoP Driver and Operator Training Centre



17 July 2019

## **Kia Ora and Welcome to Update #3**

The Eastern BoP Driver and Operator Training Centre is being established at 15 Manukorihi Drive, Kawerau. It results from multiple partnerships and relationships especially with Kawerau District Council, Industrial Symbiosis Kawerau - Pathways to Work, Tuwharetoa ki Kawerau Health and Social Services, and our three foundation training partners, Toi Ohomai, Vertical Horizonz and Axiom Training (formerly AMS Group). We acknowledge the government contribution to the initiative via He Poutama Rangatahi and Te Ara Mahi funding, which was announced in Kawerau in May.

## **Background and purpose**

Toi EDA is the Eastern Bay of Plenty Regional Economic Development Agency serving communities of Kawerau, Ōpōtiki and Whakatāne Districts. The Trust's objects embrace the social, economic and cultural wellbeing of Māori and the Eastern Bay of Plenty. Toi EDA supports locally-led initiatives centred around community and Māori aspirations and planning, along with region-wide initiatives which create efficiencies and contribute to the wider regional and national effort. Since 2015, Toi EDA has prioritised workforce development activities in the region, particularly those in support of catalytic growth industries identified in the Eastern Bay Regional Growth Plan (October 2018.) We work in close partnership with local and regional entities to achieve collective goals.

Moving people and goods around efficiently is key to our region's growth. Our primary and manufacturing industries already face challenges getting enough trained drivers and machine operators. Ongoing shortages create inefficiencies and stifle growth, so we've joined forces to create a centre with some key goals

- To highlight EBOP job and career opportunities through driving, machine operating, logistics, and attract more EBOP people into these jobs and industries
- To create new training and employment pathways into good jobs for EBOP people including rangatahi and whānau who are unemployed or underemployed, with extra wrap around support, and transport from other EBOP communities

## **What's Next?**

We're readying the Centre for action and will have an Opening Event in early August. Training commences in early August – **see over for details and who to contact!**

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What's Happening so far.....	Who to Contact about this...				
<p><b>New Zealand Certificate in Distribution (Level 3)</b> A hands-on, practical course whether you're already in the industry or looking for a new career. You'll learn how to drive a forklift and have the opportunity to get your OSH Forklift Endorsement. You'll learn about warehousing and distribution, operating procedures, inventory controls, how to receive and dispatch goods, and much more.</p> <p>The course is taught by supportive tutors from industry, using theory-based learning backed up by practical training on site, as well as work placements in industry.</p> <p>Course Fee: \$3,407. Student Loan funding available.</p> <p><b>Dates – Monday 5 August- Friday 29 November</b></p>	<p><b>TOI-OHOMAI</b> Institute of Technology</p> <p>Peter West 07 35578860 <a href="mailto:Peter.West@toiohoma.ac.nz">Peter.West@toiohoma.ac.nz</a></p>				
<p><b>NZ Certificate in Study and Career Preparation – Commercial Transport (Level 3)</b> for people keen to enter an industry where light, heavy and civil transport assets are used, and to further progress onto the larger vehicle assets at, the higher licence class levels. Enrolling students will graduate with their next licence level (ie Learners to Restricted, Restricted to Full, Full to Class 2 etc), OSH Certificate and endorsement/s. Full-time for 16 weeks including classroom training, self-directed study, industry site visits and work experience.</p> <p>Course Fee \$2500. Student Loan funding available. Axiom Training covers Medicals, Licensing, Endorsements and PPE Gear costs.</p> <p><b>Dates - Monday, 19 August to Friday, 6 December 2019</b></p>	<p><b>AXIOM TRAINING</b></p> <p>Kuini Te Amo Tertiary Programme Manager 027 292 6570 <a href="mailto:Kuini.TeAmo@axiomtraining.co.nz">Kuini.TeAmo@axiomtraining.co.nz</a></p>				
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<p>For more information about the EBOP Driver and Operator Training Centre and getting involved</p>					