

# SPORTS DEVELOPMENT POLICY MAY 2020

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### 1. INTRODUCTION

UWHNZ has a strategic objective to continue to grow the sport in New Zealand and part of this is to provide support to the various stakeholders to achieve this strategic objective. The stakeholders include, but are not limited to:

- Schools
- Clubs
- Local Associations

It is acknowledged that the stakeholders may not have the financial capability to undertake activities to grow the sport in their region. UWHNZ has limited funds available to develop the sport.

This document sets out the policy for UWHNZ to provide support to stakeholders where it is consistent with the strategic objective to grow the sport.

### 2. ACTIVITIES

Whilst UWHNZ will consider all applications for the development of the sport it is expected that the majority of applications will cover the following activities:

- UWH Gear
- Pool Hire
- Attendance at tournaments (entry fee)
- Course attendance (Coaching / Referee)

### 3. ALTERNATIVE FUNDING

The expectation is that the stakeholders have already made applications to local organisations for funding of these activities prior to making application to UWHNZ.

It is acknowledged that this may not be available in all cases due to a number of reasons.

### 4. CRITERIA

For support to be provided for sports development by UWHNZ the following criteria must be met

- i. Support must relate to a New Zealand based activity
- ii. Applicant must be from:
  - A Club affiliated to UWHNZ
  - A recognised New Zealand Secondary School (currently playing UWH or new to the sport and requiring start-up support)
  - A recognised local Association
- iii. Application for support must set out the expected benefit to be gained, and the expected growth as a result.

### 5. PROCESS

Applications are to be submitted to the secretary of UWHNZ with the details as set out in Appendix 1. On receipt of the application the secretary and treasurer will review the application and provide a recommendation to the Executive for consideration at the next Executive meeting.

### **Appendix 1 - Details required in application for Sport Development Funding**

Details required in application for Sport Development Funding

- Name of Organisation
- Amount of support required
- Details of activities the requested support will be used for
- How these activities will grow the sport
- Details of alternative funding requests completed
- Copies of invoices / quotes supporting the cost of the activities