



# Funding Application Form

Historic Places Aotearoa is delighted to announce three years' funding for more Blue Plaques to be established throughout Aotearoa New Zealand. We are incredibly grateful to our sponsor, the Awhero Nui Charitable Trust, who has enabled us to undertake this project, and provide financial support to Member Organisations who wish to erect Blue Plaques in their regions. Our wish is to distribute as many Blue Plaques around Aotearoa New Zealand as we can, and so we encourage contributions from these Member organisations and building owners, towards the final cost of the plaque. For information about the Policy and its application conditions, please see the Blue Plaques Funding Policy on the Blue Plaques website – <https://www.blueplaques.nz/>.

**Please submit this application form and required documents to:**  
**[president@historicplacesaotearoa.org.nz](mailto:president@historicplacesaotearoa.org.nz)**

## Property Details

**Member Organisation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial Contribution:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address and Legal Description:**

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## Landowner's Permission:

Please attach to this application, a letter from the landowner giving permission for the installation of a Blue Plaque on their building.

## Plaque Information for the Building

### **Title Text:**

*The title should state the building name as succinctly as possible.(e.g. 'Railway Footbridge' rather than 'Ashburton's Railway Footbridge' or 'Old Railway Footbridge'.*

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## Body Text:

Maximum of 250 characters, including punctuation and spaces – typically 25–35 words (40 word maximum).

Due to the limitation on the quantity of text, the wording must be concise, pertinent and focus on only two or three of the most significant historical facts, which may include (in order of priority):

- The most significant historical feature of the building (e.g. if the building is associated with a significant person or event)
- Date originally built
- Original use/purpose for which it was constructed
- Architect/Designer or Builder
- Most significant architectural feature (e.g. distinctive form, typology, design or construction technique)
- Later building uses or associations (only if historically significant)
- Text may be in any language, or dual languages

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## Published Website Information for Your Building

**Name of building or place:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Location:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Year Built:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Heritage Listing:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date Plaque unveiled:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Owners:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Details: (only list phone, email or postal address if approved by the owners):** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Plaque Sponsor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Brief Historical Information:**

• **Restoration and Current Owner Story:**

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• **Heritage New Zealand Pouhere Taonga Inventory Link:**

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• **District Council Heritage Link:**

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• **Owner's website/Facebook:** \_\_\_\_\_

• **Youtube:** \_\_\_\_\_

• **Other:**

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## Images to be Published on the Website

All images must be sent to us separately by email, not embedded in this form.

- At least one quality photo of the building
- Any other images you want to include

**Please contact [president@historicplacesaotearoa.org.nz](mailto:president@historicplacesaotearoa.org.nz) for any further questions.**