



# NZKGI Regional Representative Elections 2018 Nomination Form

All NZKGI Regional Representative positions are up for election in 2018.  
Nominate your preferred representative by filling out this form.

*“NZKGI regional representatives play an important role representing growers from their region in the NZKGI Forum as well as passing important industry information back to growers.*

*I strongly encourage you to look around at your fellow growers to see who would make good candidates for NZKGI.*

*The future success of this industry and indeed our own orchards may well depend on who we elect to the next Forum”.*

Doug Brown, NZKGI Chairman

## REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE NOMINATIONS

It is time to elect our regional representatives for the NZKGI Forum. This document is going out to all growers to request nominations.

To view the role and responsibilities of a NZKGI regional representative, please refer to the factsheet “NZKGI Regional Representative: 2018 Nominee Information”.

## ELIGIBILITY

An eligible regional representative candidate must be a natural person who is either a:

- ‘Member’, defined a grower who pays a levy or membership fee to NZKGI; or
- A person nominated pursuant to Rule 8.1(e) of the NZKGI Rules (available on the NZKGI website).

Candidates for election as Regional Representatives must be Members (as defined above) within the relevant Region, and must be nominated and seconded by other Members from that Region.

If you are unsure if your preferred nominee is eligible to be a Forum Member, please contact the NZKGI office on 0800 232 505 or [info@nzkgi.org.nz](mailto:info@nzkgi.org.nz)



**DON'T LEAVE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO NOMINATE  
YOUR REPRESENTATIVE TOO LATE**

**NOMINATIONS CLOSE 5PM, 26 JUNE, 2018**

## NOMINATION PROCESS

1. From 19 April - 26 June you will have the chance to nominate or second who you would like to represent your region
2. Nominees will be contacted by NZKGI staff and asked to provide a 200-word biography and a passport size photo of themselves
3. All growers will receive voting forms via post to vote for their preferred representative from 6 July until 26 July

The term for these positions is three years in duration and as a regional representative you are entitled to offer yourself up for re-election.

In regions where the number of nominees are the same as the number of vacancies in a region, the nominee(s) will automatically become the regional representative without the need for a vote.

## VACANT REPRESENTATIVE POSITIONS

The NZKGI Forum comprises of 27 elected Forum Members. Of these 27, 17 are regional representatives. All regional representative positions are vacant:

- Northland: 1 position
- Auckland: 1 position
- Waikato: 1 position
- Coromandel & Waihi: 1 position
- Katikati: 2 positions
- Tauranga: 2 positions
- Te Puke: 4 positions
- Whakatane: 1 position
- Opotiki: 1 position
- Poverty Bay: 1 position
- Hawkes Bay: 1 position
- Lower North Island\*: 1 position
- South Island: 1 position

\*This region includes Taranaki, Wanganui, Horowhenua, Manawatu, Wairarapa and Wellington and shall be combined with Hawkes Bay for the purpose of electing a regional Forum Member.



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## REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE NOMINATION OF CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION TO THE NZKGI FORUM

We, the undersigned, hereby nominate: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

KPIN Ref: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

As a candidate for the election of a Member to the NZKGI Forum for the \_\_\_\_\_ region.

The candidate, nominator and seconder are required to have an orchard in this region.

Dated this ..... day of ..... 2018.

NOMINATOR	SECONDER
Full Name: _____	Full Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
KPIN Ref: _____	KPIN Ref: _____
Signature: _____	Signature: _____

**NOMINEE**

I hereby consent to be nominated and agree to uphold NZKGI's Rules if elected.

(Full name of Candidate).....

(Signature of Candidate).....

If you need to know the region boundaries, would like a copy of NZKGI's rules or have any queries, please contact the NZKGI office on 0800 232 505 or e-mail [info@nzkgi.org.nz](mailto:info@nzkgi.org.nz).

Please forward completed form by 5 pm, Tuesday, 26 June 2018 to:

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