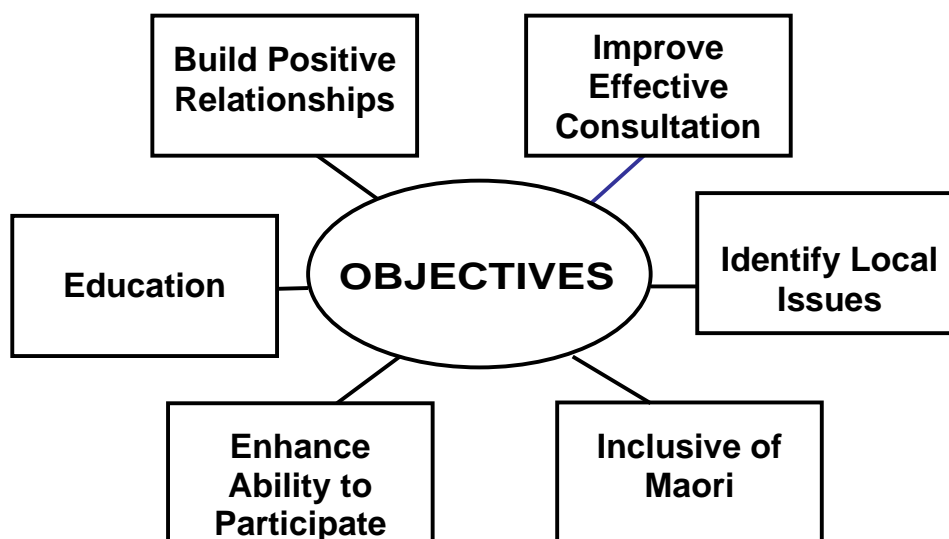

Regional Recreational Forums – Objectives

Forum Objectives



What do these objectives mean?

‘Build Positive Relationships’ means ...

respecting each others opinions, listening, acknowledging that we won’t always be able to agree, being frank and honest, realising it takes time to build trust.

‘Improve Effective Consultation’ means...

consultation, which must be meaningful – MFish listens and is willing to change position. Also, MFish and members work together to better communicate to wider recreational sector.

‘Enhance Ability to Participate’ means...

building shared knowledge of NZ fisheries, fisheries management approaches and fisheries management processes; identifying opportunities to input into MFish processes (not just statutory consultation).

‘Identify Local Issues’ means...

paying attention to what is happening in the region, bringing local issues to the table.

‘Education’ means ...

providing relevant and easily understood information on fisheries and fisheries management processes that aids participation in fisheries management.

‘Inclusive of Maori’ means

recognising that Maori fish under recreational rules much of the time and are therefore also ‘recreational fishers’, creating links between forums and Maori.