

ROUTE 10

BOP Sojourn

Start

Tauranga

KMs/Miles

229/144

Taupo

Rest Day

277/174

Wanganui

3 DAYS

506 KILOMETRES

318 MILES

Route Information

ENTRANTS: IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO MAKE contact with the 'Branch Contacts' upon receipt of this notice, to confirm your reservation and the total number in your party for the refreshments offered by each Branch, irrespective of whether they are free of charge or a chargeable item on a pre-pay basis. Each Branch can then cater for the total number of Entrants visiting each Branch venue on this Rally Route, thank you.

SATURDAY 14TH JANUARY FROM TAURANGA TO TAUPO 229 KMS / 144 MILES

START AT BAY OF PLENTY CLUBROOMS, 28 CLIFF ROAD, TAURANGA.

HOSPITALITY: BAY OF PLENTY CLUBROOMS, 28 CLIFF ROAD, TAURANGA

BRANCH CONTACT David Joblin 07-544-1690

E-mail: davidjoblin@xtra.co.nz **Mobile:** 027-618-9167

REFRESHMENTS: Tea / Coffee and Scones – Free of Charge

ENROUTE STOP

HOSPITALITY: ROTORUA V.C.C. NEIL HUNT PARK, TARAWERA ROAD, ROTORUA

BRANCH CONTACT Mel Cooper 07-345-6615

E-mail: melandco@paradise.net.nz **Mobile:** 021-145-0075

REFRESHMENTS: Tea / Coffee scones, cakes or biscuits \$ 5.00 per person
Pay at the door

FINISH:

STOP OVERNIGHT IN **TAUPO (FOR 2 NIGHTS):**

HOSPITALITY: VCC TAUPO – **HICKLING PARK , AC BATHS AVE. TAUPO**

BRANCH CONTACT Norman Pointon 07-378-9226

E-mail: norman.pointon@xtra.co.nz **Mobile:** 021-594-281

Route Information

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Pay at the door

SUNDAY 15TH JANUARY REST DAY IN TAUPO

MONDAY 16TH JANUARY FROM TAUPO TO WANGANUI 277 KMS / 174 MILES

START AT: VCC TAUPO – HICKLING PARK, AC BATHS AVE. TAUPO

HOSPITALITY: VCC TAUPO – HICKLING PARK, AC BATHS AVE. TAUPO

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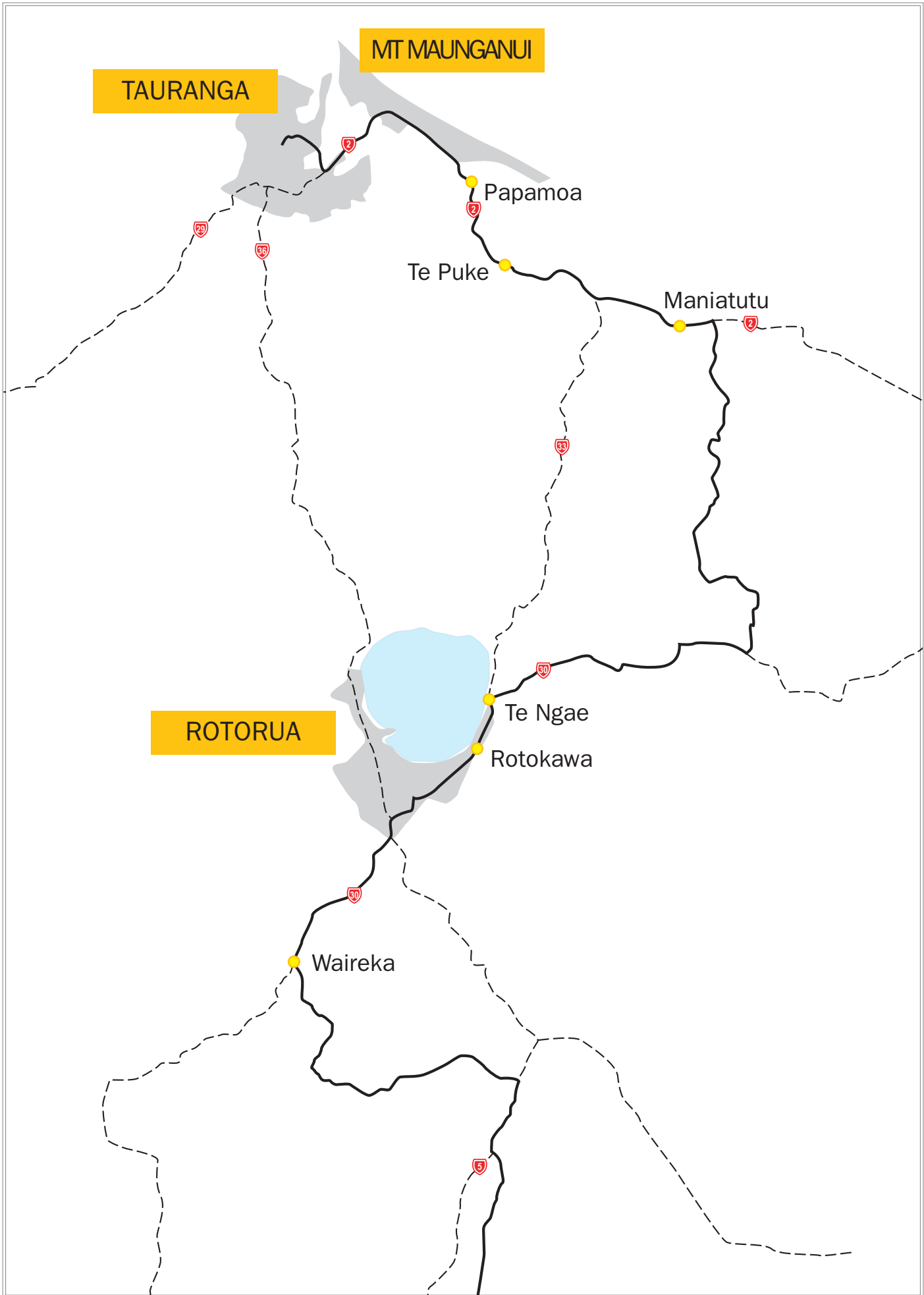
Please refer to the last page of the route for the 'Town Route' leading to the Rally Venue.

We hope you will enjoy your Rally.

PLEASE PLAN TO ARRIVE AT WANGANUI BETWEEN 2.30 P.M. – 3.00 P.M.

ADVISORY NOTES. FOR YOUR PEACE OF MIND AND ENJOYMENT.

Your vehicle must be roadworthy for the Rally duration and should also be insured. It is advisable to start the Rally Route with a full tank of petrol each day. You should carry a mobile phone, have a recovery service in force such as the AA service, First-Aid Kit, Fire Extinguisher, Road Triangle, Day-Glo Vest, Tow Rope, filled Petrol Can, Torch, Tool Kit and pertinent spares for your vehicle.



Day 1

Tauranga to Taupo

PLEASE NOTE:

Major road works are in the pipeline for the Hairini area in Tauranga and may impact on instructions (A) (B) and (C)

Leave Bay of Plenty V.C.C.Branch Club Rooms.

Proceed Straight Ahead into Brown St.

Bear Left at Give Way into Cameron Rd.

Remain on Cameron Rd proceeding through several sets of traffic lights and a roundabout until 15th Avenue

Left into 15th Avenue (SH 2A Maungatapu Welcome Bay)

(A) Follow SH 2A Maungatapu Welcome Bay signs

(B) Cross Hairini Bridge

(C) Keep in Left Lane at traffic lights at roundabout.

Take Second Exit following SH 29 Mt Maunganui Whakatane sign.

Cross Maungatapu Bridge.

Move to Right Hand Lane on approaching dual roundabouts.

Take First Exit at first roundabout.

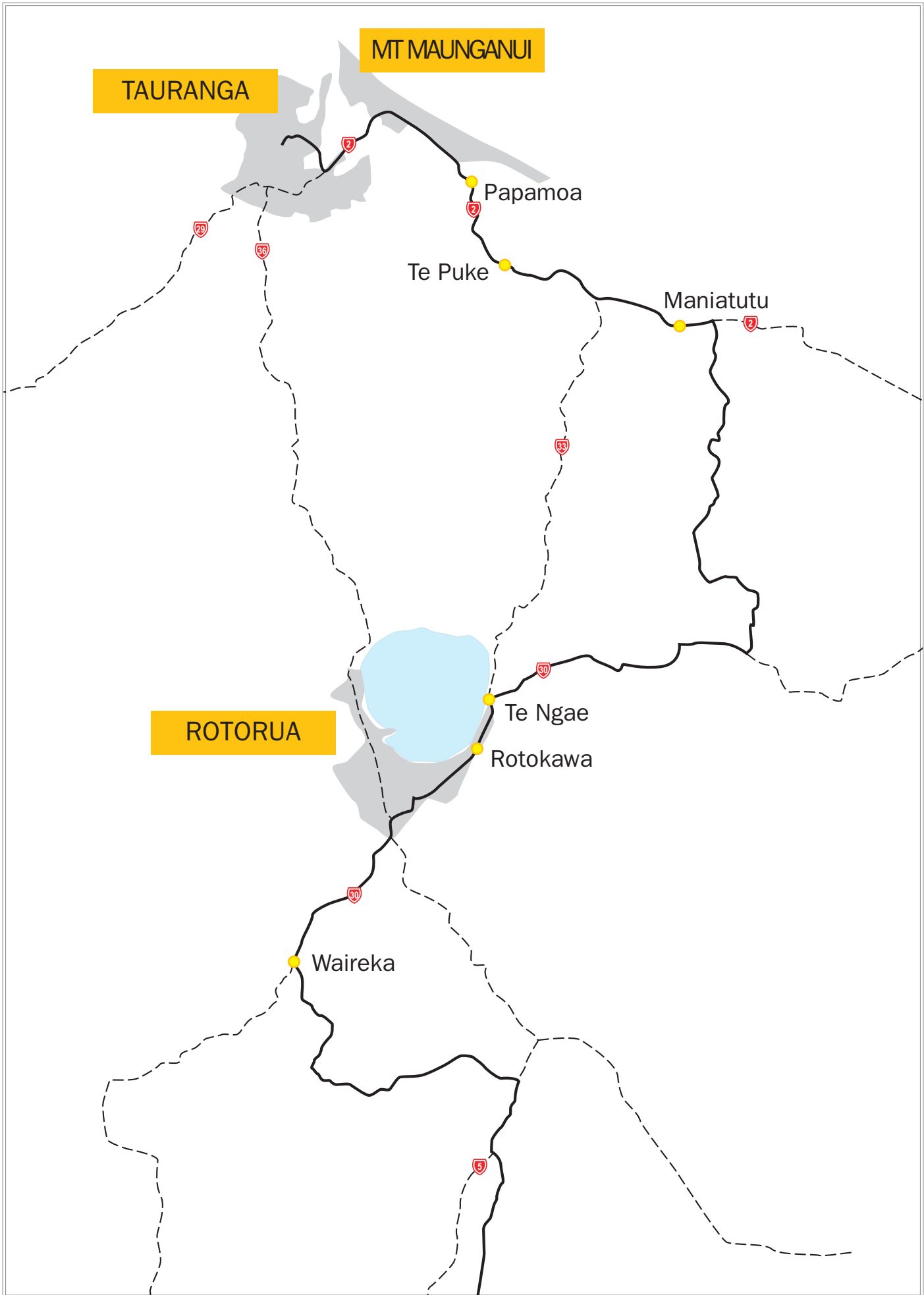
Cross 2 sets of railway lines.

Take Second Exit (SH 2 Rotorua Whakatane) at second roundabout

Follow SH 2 Te Puke Whakatane signs eventually passing through Te Puke.

Pass through Waitangi Village.

Follow SH 2 Rotorua Whakatane sign.



Day 1

Tauranga to Taupo

Observe Kiwi 360 on your left.

Left at SH 2 Whakatane sign.

Follow SH 2 Matata Whakatane sign.

Observe BP Pongakawa on your right

Toward the end of the straight, Turn Right into Benner Rd using the holding bay and immediately cross the railway.

ENSURE THE WAY IS CLEAR AT THE RAILWAY CROSSING AS THERE ARE NO WARNING DEVICES

Bear Left into Old Coach Rd.

Proceed onto Rotoehu Rd leaving Old Coach Rd on your left.

Bear Left at fork in road, into Pongakawa Valley Rd and continue on gravel road.

Pass through Otautu Bay village, then Kennedy Bay village.

Observe Lake Rotoehu on your Right.

Right at Tee onto Manawahe Rd.

Turn Right at Stop (**WITH EXTREME CARE**) onto SH 30 to Rotorua.

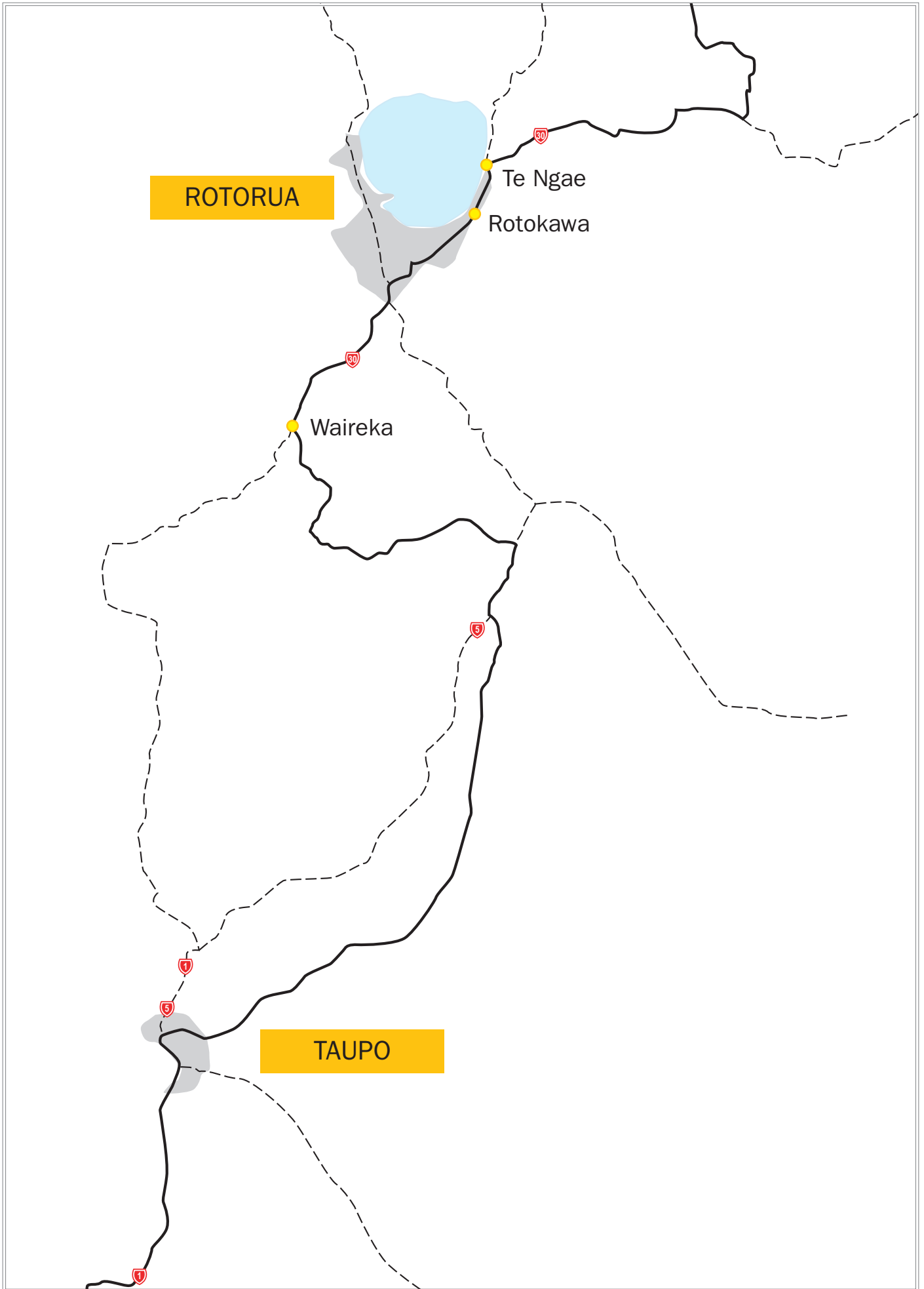
Pass by Lake Rotoiti on your Right, one of Rotorua District's 9 lakes.

Left at Tee onto SH 30 to Rotorua

Continue on SH 30 (Te Ngae Rd) passing the Airport on your right hand side and enter the built up area of Rotorua.

At the 2nd Roundabout take the First Exit into Tarawera Rd then Left, immediately after the shops, into Neil Hunt Park.

Proceed to Rotorua Branch V.C.C. Clubrooms.



Day 1

Tauranga to Taupo

LUNCH BREAK

Leave the Clubrooms.

Right at Tarawera Rd.

First Exit at Roundabout.

Left at Lights (Sala St).

First Exit at Roundabout SH 30.

Pass the Maori Arts and Crafts Institute on your Left.

Ignore Hamilton SH 5.

Move to Right Hand Lane and Right onto SH 30 Tokoroa and Te Kuiti.

2nd Left Whirinaki Valley Rd.

Pass through Ngakuru Village.

1st Left Waikite Valley Rd.

Stay on Waikite Valley Rd until Right at Tee SH 5 Taupo. (Note: Waiotapu Hotel on your Right).

At approx 5km (3.1 miles) pass Campbell Rd on your left then take next Left Settlers Rd
Reporoa 6km

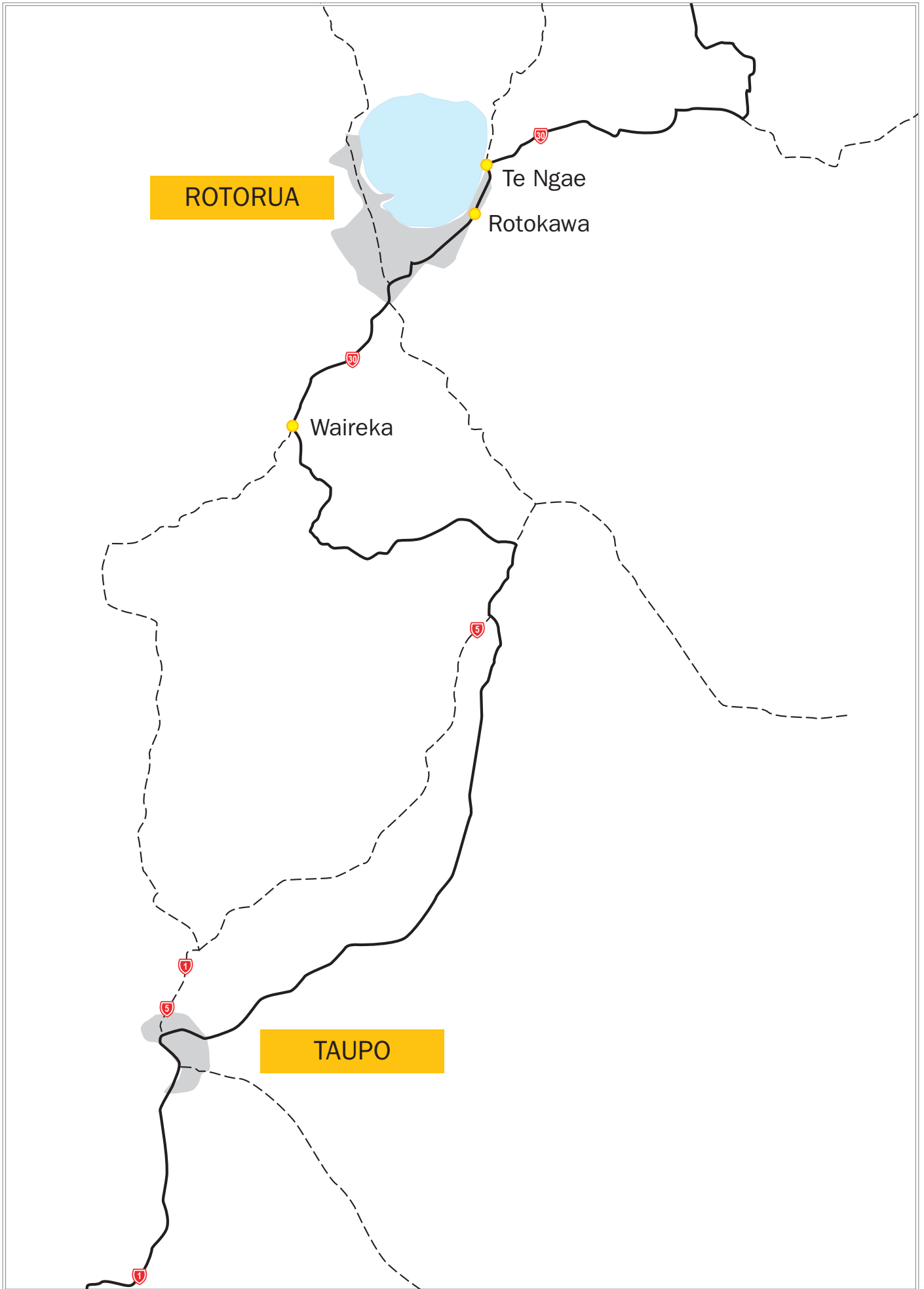
Pass through Reporoa Village (Settlers Rd becomes Broadlands Rd).

Pass through Broadlands Village.

Note: Ohaaki Geothermal Power Station on your Right.

After passing View Rd on your right note the Taupo Motor Racing Circuit on your Right.

Right into centennial Drive – Note: Horseracing and Gliding Clubs plus an Industrial Area on your Right. Pass under the new Taupo **Bypass** and pass the Golf Club on your left.



Day 1

Tauranga to Taupo

Left into A.C Baths Avenue.

Take first Right into unnamed street Hickling Park.

Taupo Branch Clubrooms on your right clearly named

MAPS OF TAUPO WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE CLUBROOMS.

Overnight in Taupo

FROM TAUPO BRANCH CLUBROOMS TO TAUPO TOWNSHIP

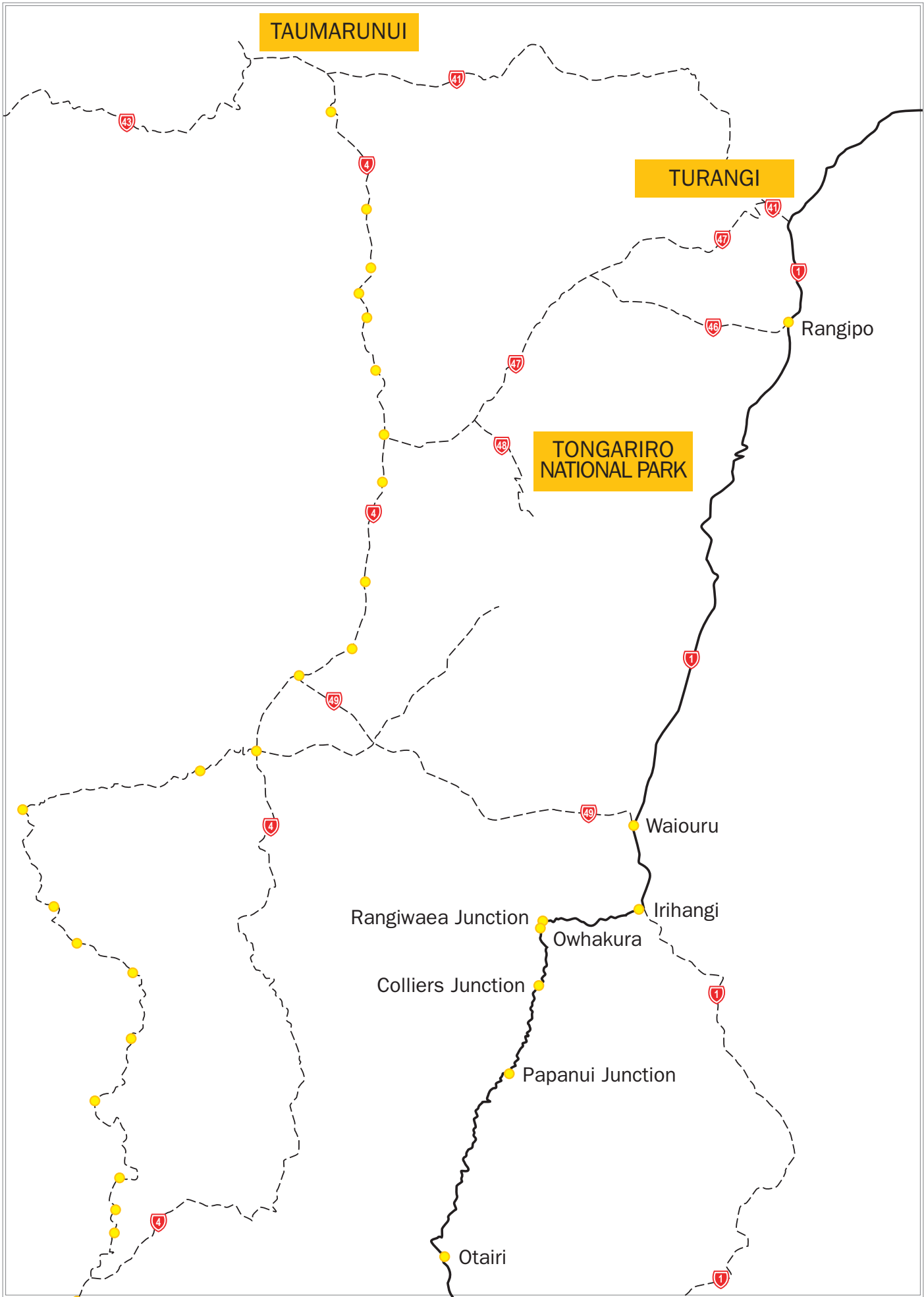
Leave the Branch Clubrooms and turn Left onto A.C. Baths Avenue

Left onto Spa Rd.

Bear Right at Give Way

First Left off Roundabout (You are now in Tongariro St.) the main street of Taupo.

Day 2: Rest Day



Day 3

Taupo to Wanganui

Retrace your route to the Taupo Branch Clubrooms

Leave the Branch Clubrooms and turn Left onto A.C.Baths Avenue

Right onto Spa Rd

Spa Rd becomes Centennial Drive

Pass under the **BY PASS BRIDGE**

Right onto Taupo By Pass SH1 & 5 to Napier / Palmerston North / Turangi

Second exit off Napier roundabout to follow SH1 Palmerston North/Turangi

Take second exit off Airport roundabout to follow SH1 Palmerston North/Turangi

Stay on SH1 to pass through the following settlements: Waitahanui, Hatepe, Hallets Bay, Motutere Bay, Mission Bay, Waitetoko and Te Rangiita.

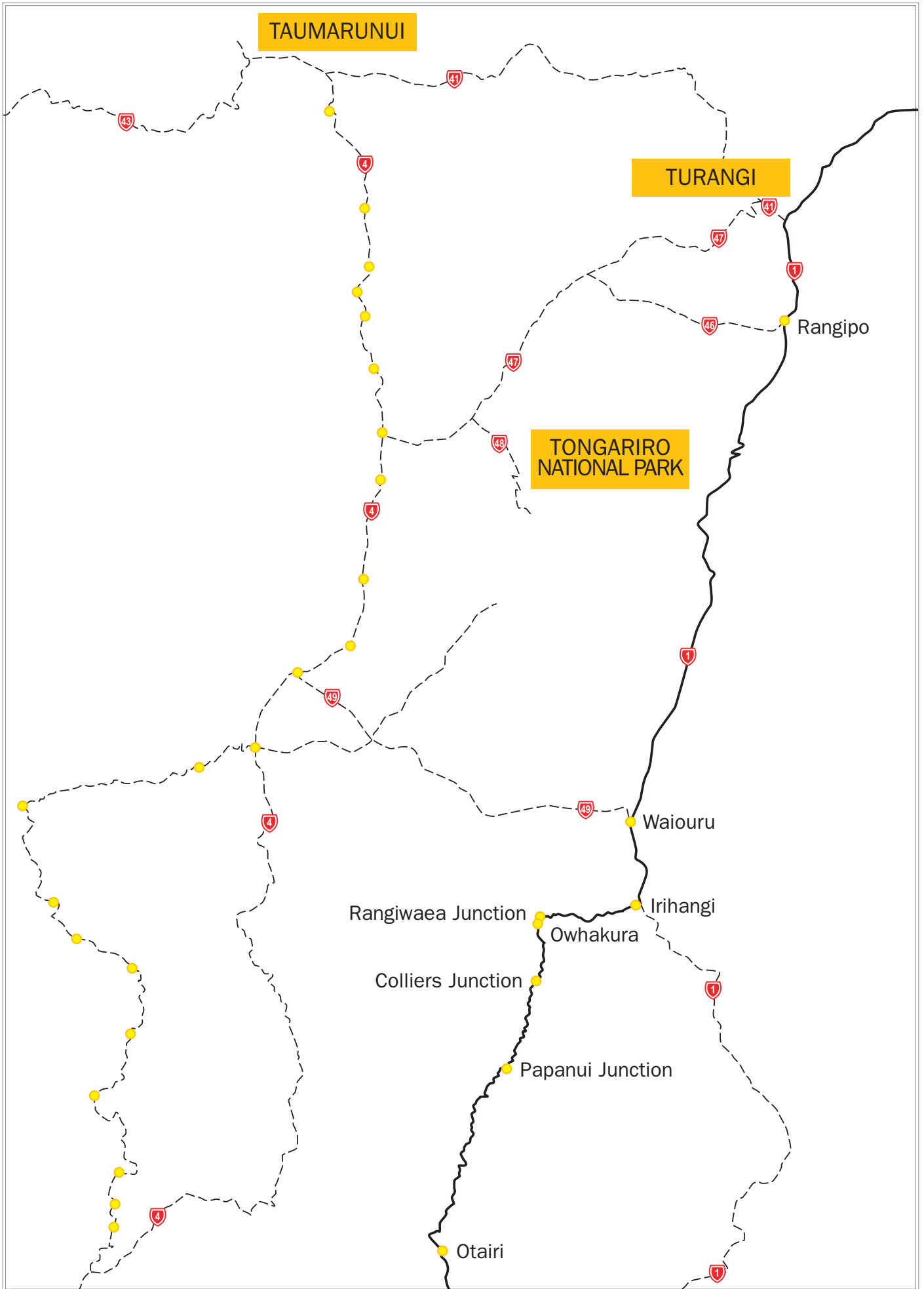
Cross the Tongariro River Bridge to enter Turangi (Approx 50Km from clubrooms).

OPTION: If you wish to go into Turangi township take the next Right into Pihanga Rd Town Centre.

Stay on SH1 to follow Palmerston North/Waiouru (Turangi to Waiouru approx 63Km) via the Desert Road.

Cross the Poutu Canal

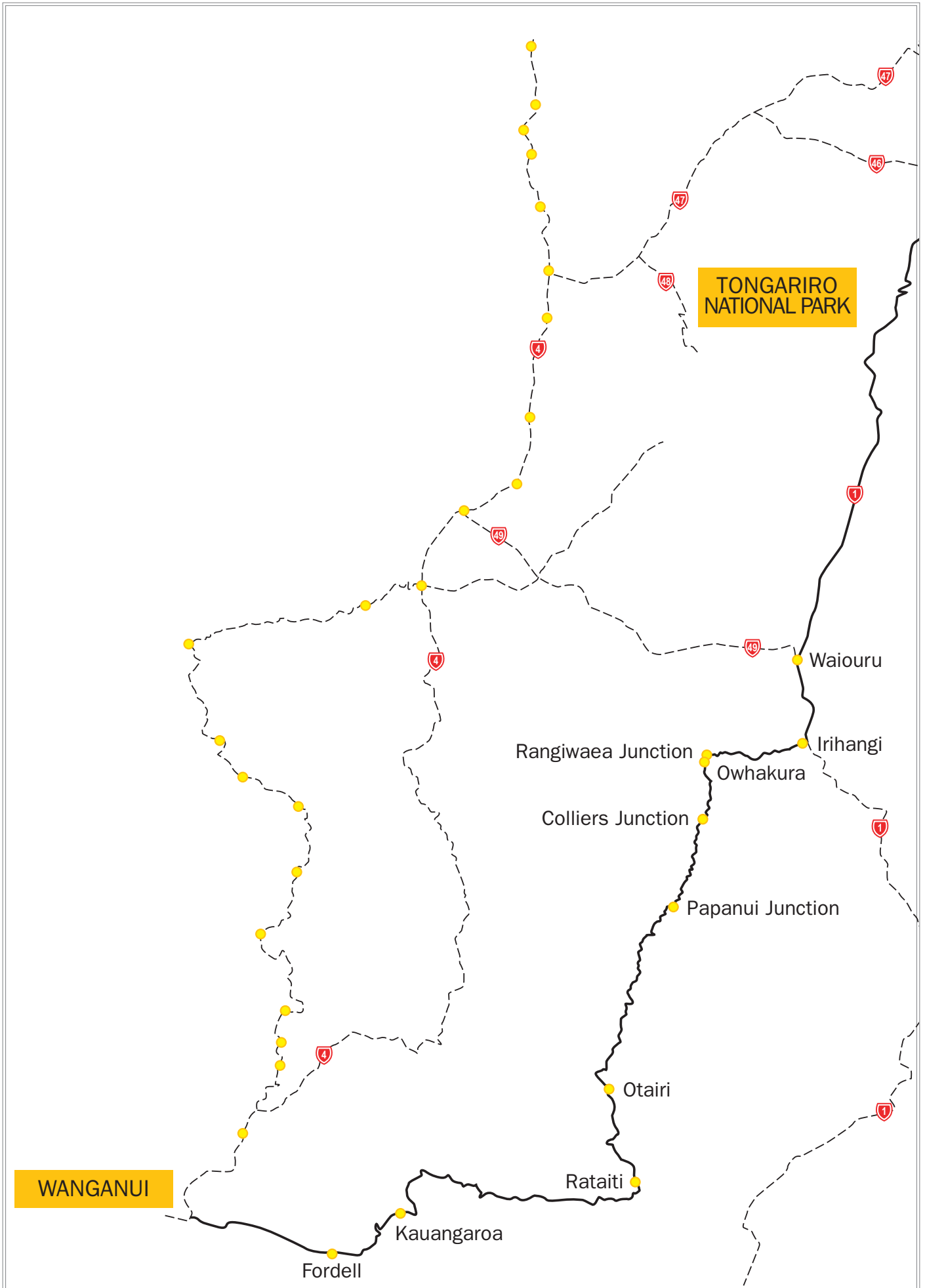
Poutu canal is part of the Eastern Diversion of the Tongariro Power Scheme. Water is diverted from the southern side of Mount Ruapehu to cross under SH1 on the southern end of the Desert Road then via a series of viaducts, dams lakes, tunnels and Poutu Canal into Lake Rotoaira. From here it passes through a 6.1km tunnel to the Tokaanu Power Station.



Day 3

Taupo to Wanganui

NOTE: WAIOURU IS THE LAST FUEL UNTIL WANGANUI.	APPROX. MILES
Leave Waiouru via SH1	0
At approx 4.9 Miles First Right at Rangiwaea Junction 11Km Sign into WAIARUHE ROAD	4.9
Bear Right at MAUKUKU ROAD	6.1
Straight ahead into TURAKINA VALLEY ROAD and stay on this road Straight ahead over Bridge	11.5
Straight ahead at KAIMATAWI ROAD (gravel road next 17 miles)	13.6
Bear Right at COLLIERS JUNCTION to stay on TURAKINA VALLEY ROAD	15.9
Right at PAPANUI JUNCTION to stay on TURAKINA VALLEY ROAD	22.4
TOILET STOP PAPANUI SCHOOL	22.5
TOILET STOP OTAIRI SCHOOL	39.62
Bear Left at BRAEMORE JUNCTION into ONGO ROAD	41
Right into MANGOHOE ROAD	45
Straight ahead at Giveway into TURAKINA VALLEY ROAD	54.6
Right into MANGATIPONA ROAD	55.6
Straight ahead through FORDELL on No 2 Line	
No2 Line becomes Portal St	
Stay on Portal St to proceed down the hill	
At the bottom of the hill (make sure you can stop or you will need to swim) Right at Give Way onto Anzac Parade (No sign)	80



Day 3

Taupo to Wanganui

Stay on Anzac Parade until Left at Roundabout to cross the Dublin St Bridge

Stay on Somme Parade keeping the Wanganui River on your Left and you will come to a CONTROLLED AREA. At the CONTROLLED AREA please follow directions to the "WELCOME AREA"

After you have been welcomed to WANGANUI CITY and the VCC RALLY 2012 please proceed to your accommodation

We sincerely hope you have enjoyed the tour to Wanganui