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Answer these 8 questions to start the design of your kainga whakaheke, your forever home, or your stunning building.

Write your answers down to mark the beginning of this exciting journey.

1) Describe your building.

- What does this building mean to you?

- What activities happen in this building? Describe these activities.

2) Where will this building be sited? Describe the site.

- The view

- Where does the sun rise and set?

- Is this site in a ngāhere or by the sea or lake or river? Mountains?

- Is this site in a city or town? How close are the neighbours?

- What's special about this place to you?

- Does this place have historical korero, whakapapa?

3) What building materials do you love? Timber (native), steel, aluminium, glass, concrete, brick, stone?

- What materials outside?

- What materials inside?

4) Colour - what colours do you like?



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5) Sound

- Ngahere and birds?
- Water?
- Urban - cut-out sound?
- What sounds are important to you?

6) How do you want his building to make you (the whānau, hapu, or iwi) feel?

- Safe
- Special
- You belong
- Connected
- Happy
- Comfy
- Inspired

7) What is your budget?

8) When do you want to complete this kainga whakaheke, forever home, or stunning building? When do you want to move in?

Miharo, amazing. You're on the way. To creating your kainga whakaheke, your forever home or your stunning building.

Let's talk about your answers. Email me tere.insley@kauriarchitects.co.nz



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