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Impact Report April 25



# Impacts across our projects

**200%**

INCREASE IN NUMBER OF TRAPS SINCE 2022

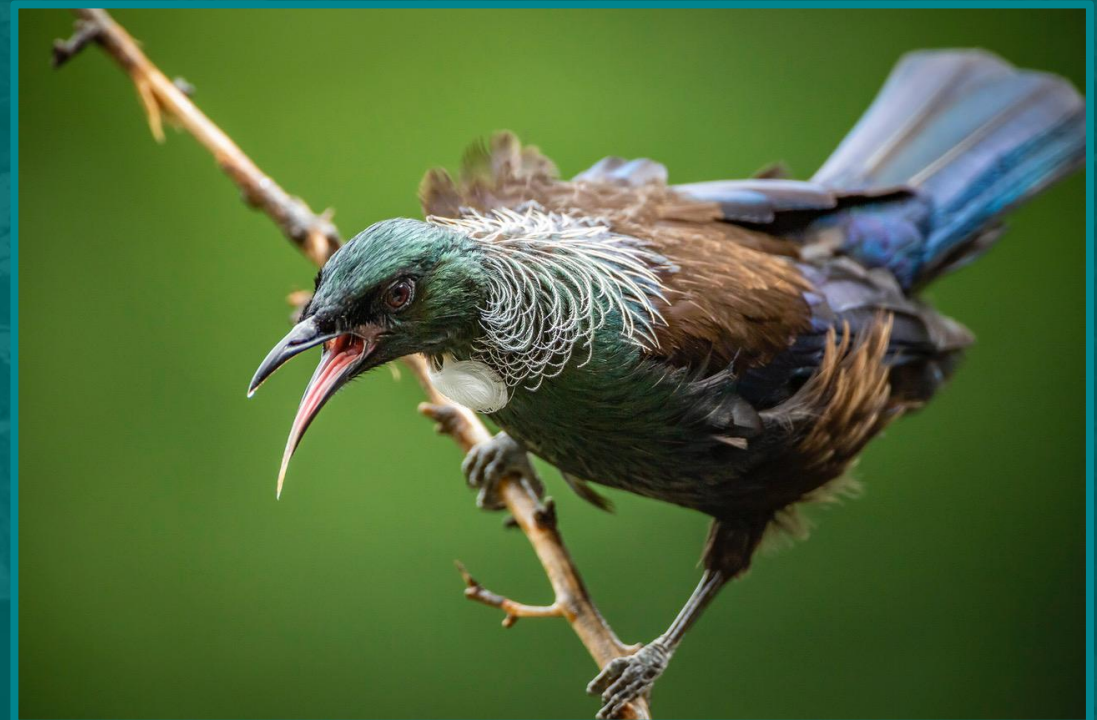
**6400+**

Additional traps and bait stations facilitated by our team since 2022

**1050+**

VOLUNTEERS ACROSS OUR PARTNER GROUPS

**58,000+**  
PREDATORS REMOVED SINCE mid-2021





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In 2024, we formed a partnership with Hugo Charitable Trust to protect native wildlife at Bob's Cove after their generous donation.

We have been able to massively scale up our work in the area surrounding Bob's Cove using innovative technology .

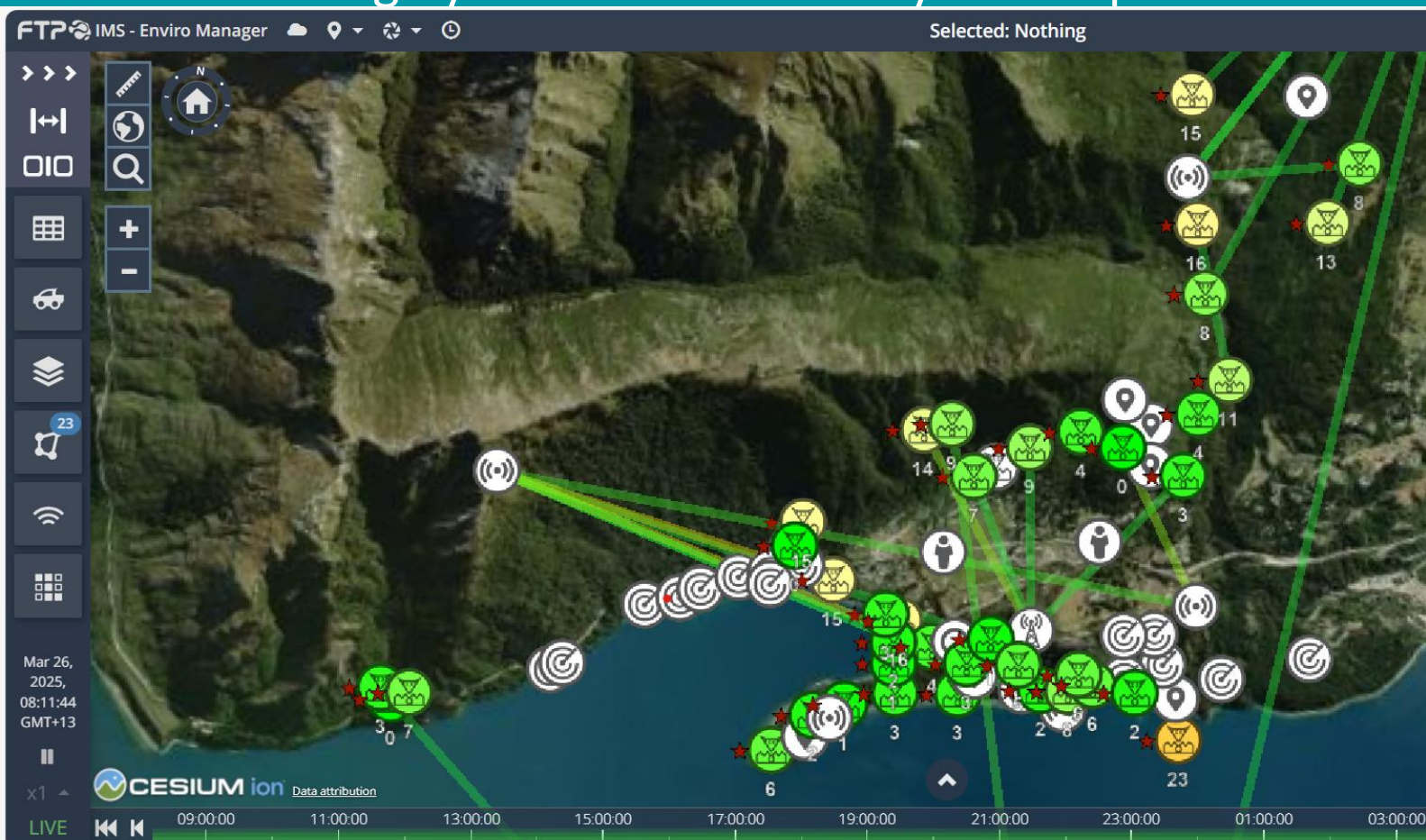


# AT220-A.I Traps

Comms enabled self-resetting Traps:

AI-powered traps for continuous pest control, with real-time monitoring.

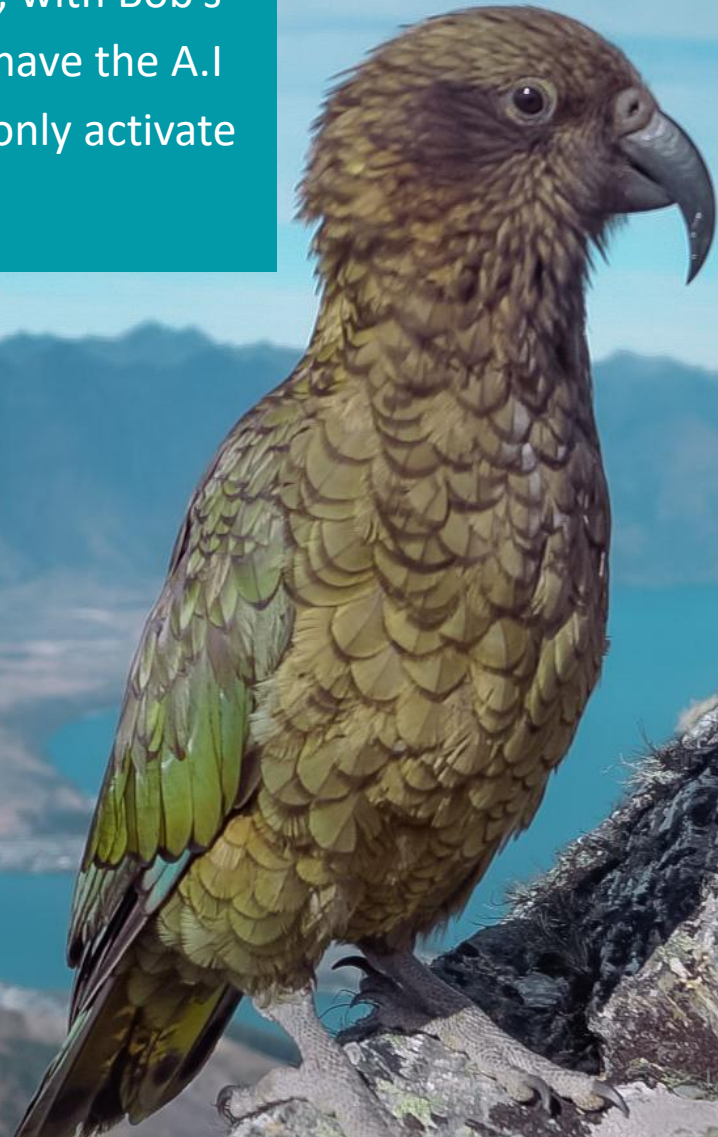
This hugely increases efficiency and impact.





# Kea-Safe trapping

We used this novel technology to develop a kea-safe possum trap, with Bob's Cove being a key trial site for field testing this new tech. We now have the A.I software to identify target species (possums and rodents) and to only activate for a target species.





<https://www.odt.co.nz/regions/queentown/funding-extra-traps>







## Stakeholder Engagement

We regularly bring stakeholders to this iconic area to learn about our work and to showcase your generous support





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**2,00+**

**Pests removed since  
Project began**

Thank you Video





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