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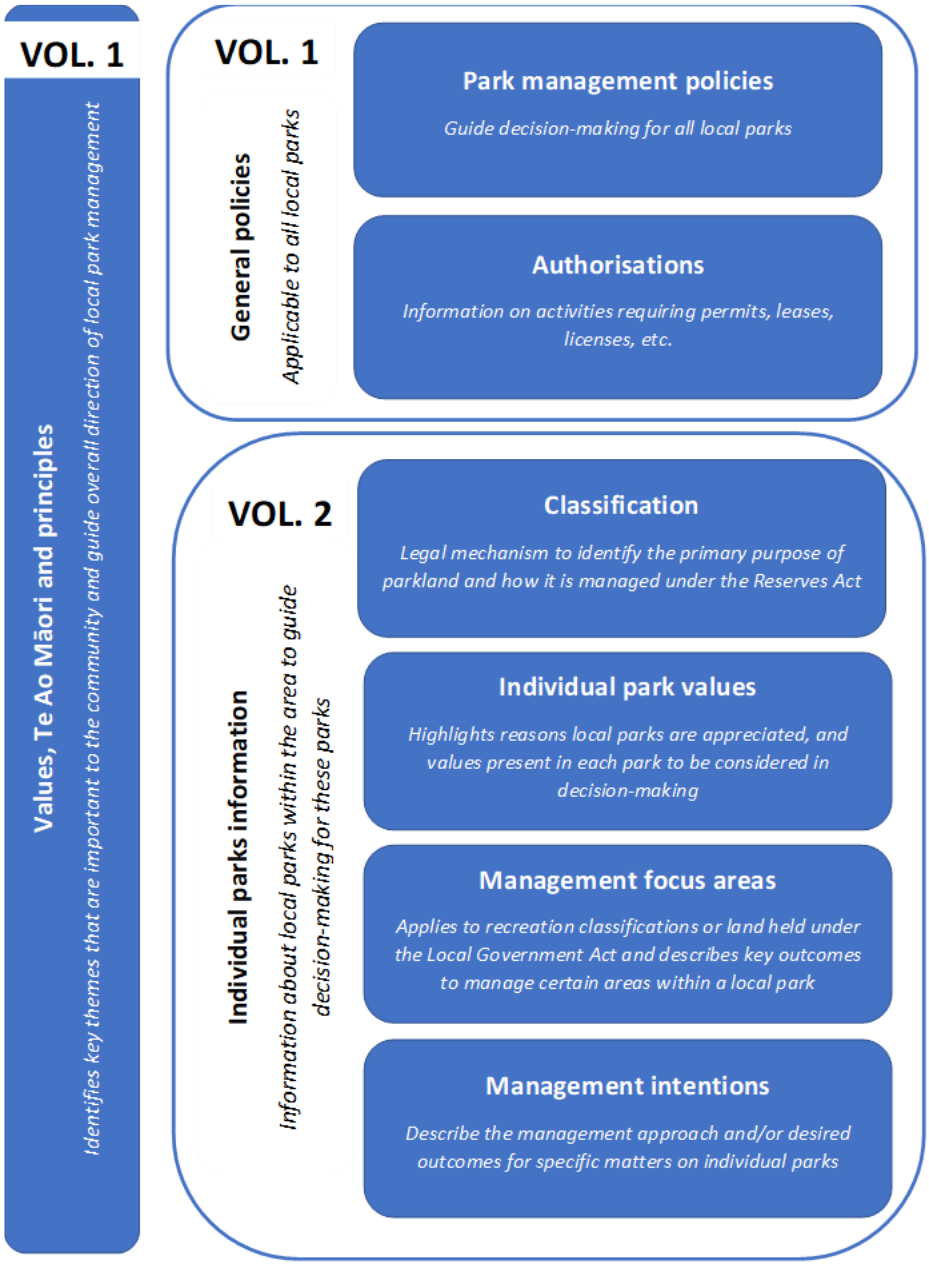
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12 Guide to individual parks mapping

Volume 2 covers the 112 local parks in the Devonport–Takapuna Local Board area that are included in this plan. They are grouped into 11 suburbs, as shown on the overall suburbs map. Each suburb has its own map set.

Information for each park is presented on individual sheets in alphabetical order. Please note that the information for each park should be read alongside the park management principles and policies outlined in Volume 1 of this plan.

The diagram below illustrates the structure of this Plan, showing how the volumes and sections relate to each other.



Te ara pānui i ngā pepa takitahi mō te papa rēhia

12.1 How to read the individual park sheets

The following is a guide on how to read the content of the individual park sheets, including reference documents where more detailed information can be found.



LOCAL BORD OVERVIEW MAP

- Each local board area has a base overview map, which identifies the suburbs within that area (where applicable).
- Within each suburb, local parks are mapped according to defined geographical areas. These areas have been determined using Fire and Emergency New Zealand (FENZ) data.
- There are 11 map sets covering the different suburbs within the Devonport–Takapuna Local Board area.

SUBURB MAP EXTENT

- These maps illustrate the parks located within each suburb.
- This example shows the parks contained within the suburb of Narrow Neck.



ID	Name
01	Achilles Crescent Reserve
02	Alison Park
03	Allenby Reserve
04	Kings Store Reserve
05	Narrow Neck Beach
06	Narrowneck Playcentre
07	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve
08	Wairoa Road Reserve
09	Woodall Park

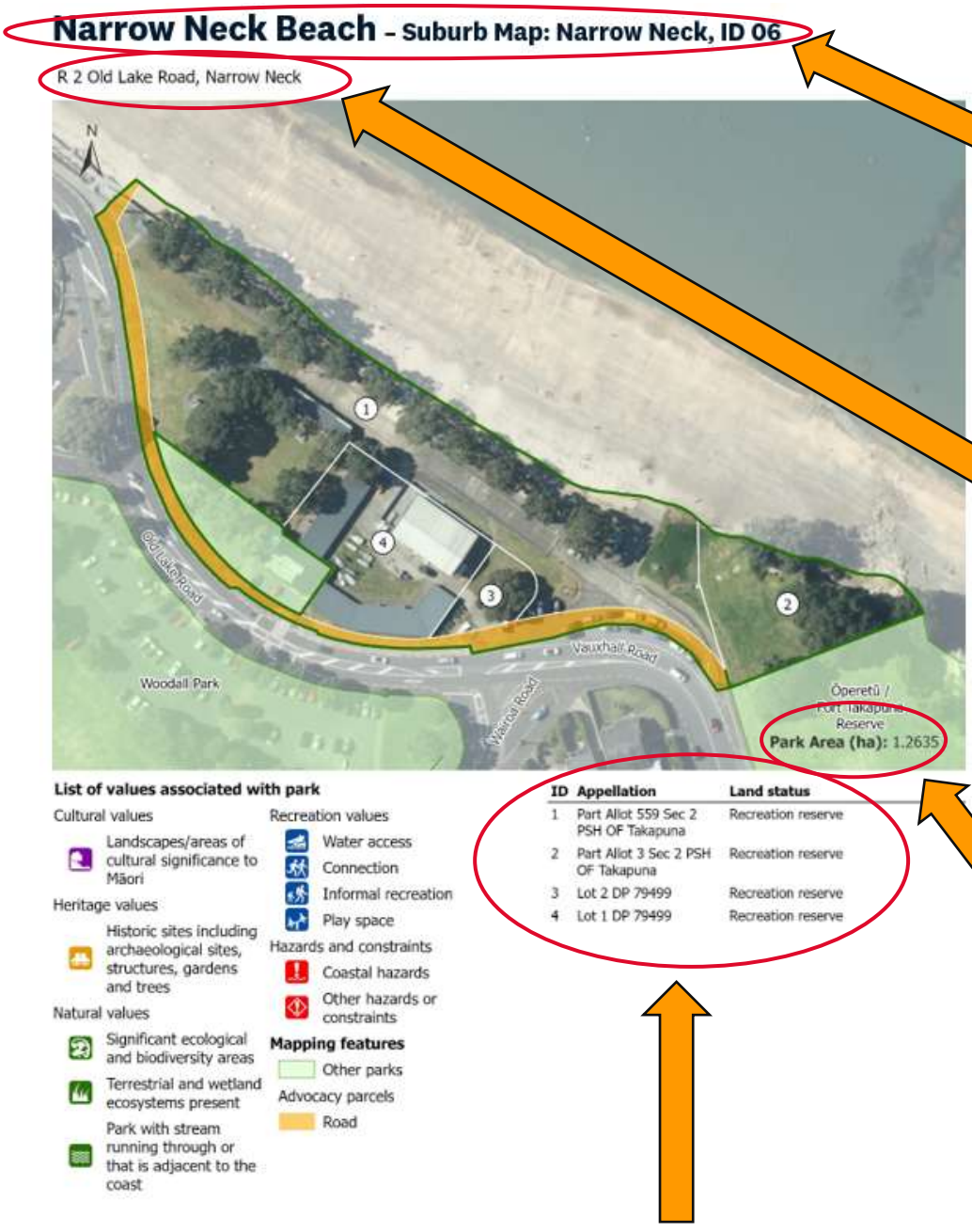
PARKS WITHIN EACH SUBURB

- Each park located on the map is numbered and this number aligns with the list of parks in the table below the map.
- The table also shows parks with an individual map ID#.

An example of an individual park sheet – Narrow Neck Beach

Information about an individual park is likely to be shown over one or more pages. The **first page** includes a map of the park with basic information about the park. If two or more pages are required, the **following pages** will include text to explain park values, issues and intentions in more detail.

Example of first page:



PARK NAME AND MAP ID

- Park names use the titles from the Council's GIS system.
- The map ID is the identifier shown on the suburb map page, making cross-referencing between the map and table straightforward.

ADDRESS

- Physical street addresses are sourced from Auckland Council records.
- Some parks do not have an assigned street number.

PARK AREA (m² or ha)

- This is the approximate combined area of all reserve land parcels (shown in square metres for parks under one hectare).

LAND STATUS

- Identifies all land parcels within the reserve and provides their land status, including lot (appellation) details and whether each parcel is classified under the Reserves Act or held under the Local Government Act 2002.
- Note that Section 9 of the plan contains descriptions of each Reserves Act classification.

The scale of the maps varies depending on the size and configuration of the park.

Narrow Neck Beach – Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, ID 06

R 2 Old Lake Road, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Cultural values
- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values
- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values
- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values
- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints
- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features
- Other parks

Advocacy parcels
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 559 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Part Allot 3 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 79499	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 1 DP 79499	Recreation reserve

VALUES ASSOCIATED WITH PARK

- An icon set has been developed to show when cultural, heritage, natural, recreation, or other values or hazards are present within individual parks.
- These icons act as an initial indicator of key values or hazards. For some parks, additional detail has been included to further inform management issues and intentions (see next page).
- Explanations for all icons, along with their data sources, can be found in the map key in section 12.2 and in section 12.3.

Example of text found on the second page:

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (20198: MILITARY CAMP, 245: PORTAGE, 19725: Building - Community) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8256 and SEA-M2-61) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Restoring Takauranga Hauraki has undertaken rat control in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Pathways
- Informal recreation
- Conservation
- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Education
- Play space - community

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The reserve includes existing interpretative signage that highlights its military history, helping visitors understand the site heritage.s

venue, encompassing active and passive recreational uses.

2. Support efforts to enhance ecology and control pests and weeds.

where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement.

8. Seek to restrict further carparking on gras areas of reserve.

Leases and licences

For:

- Wakatere Boating Club Incorporated

MORE DETAIL ABOUT PARK VALUES

- The main values present at each park are described. These values — cultural, heritage, natural, and recreation — are not intended to represent every possible value, but to highlight the most significant or distinctive ones that inform the park's management issues and intentions.

LEASES AND LICENSES

- This section outlines the types of lease and licence activities that may occur within existing or proposed lease area footprints.
- It generally reflects the current lease/licence activities on the park and identifies the legal description of the areas where these activities can take place (e.g., Lot 27 DP 47622).
- In most cases, these activities occupy only part of a land parcel.
- Any proposed future lease or licence activities—subject to statutory processes and approvals—are identified in the management intentions section.
- This information is provided for reference only. If any discrepancies arise, the details in the formal lease or licence documents take precedence.

MANAGEMENT INTENTIONS

- Management intentions describe how a park should be managed and the outcomes the local board aims to achieve for specific activities, experiences, or issues. They may also signal potential future development opportunities, subject to funding through the Long-Term Plan process.
- Not every park will have its own management intentions. Where none are provided, the park is managed according to its Reserves Act classification (or, for parks held under the Local Government Act, according to that Act's management principles).
- General policies in Section 11 of Volume 1 apply to all parks and guide how the local board balances user benefits with protection of park values. If there is any conflict, the individual management intentions take precedence over these general policies.

MANAGEMENT ISSUES

- This section outlines management issues that are specific to a particular park, highlighting the key challenges or constraints that influence how the park is used, developed, and maintained.
- Not all parks have unique management issues, as many challenges are common across parks generally.

Management Plan of 2013.

Management issues

- Future operations in the reserve may be affected by Waka Kotahi's alternative crossing option for the Waitematā Harbour.
- A commercial lease has been established to formalize the existing operation of the golf driving range.

Management intentions

1. Support a variety of recreational uses in the park, including both active and passive activities, while recognising existing uses and enabling sports and leisure opportunities.
2. Collaborate with Closed Landfills Team (or future equivalent) to investigate and determine the management of the closed landfill site and contaminated fill areas. Contamination management may involve temporarily closing parts of the reserve to the public while any works or restricting certain activities for safety reasons while work is being undertaken.
3. Support the enhancement of the park's ecology and wildlife habitats, including ongoing weed and pest control. Promote riparian planting to reduce sediment runoff into water bodies, protecting aquatic habitats and improving water quality.

- Organised sports and recreation
- Nature based activities

Other information

- Some or all the site may be affected by contamination. Ground intrusive activities may be constrained to ensure the health and safety of the public and limit environmental risks. Activities or developments may require asset owner approval before works can commence. Contaminated land management plans may exist and should be referred to.
- During storm events, areas of the parkland may be subject to flooding from stormwater runoff and coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion.

OTHER INFORMATION

- This section includes miscellaneous information specific to the park that may influence its use or future development, such as walkway connections to surrounding streets.
- It also identifies any potential constraints on ground-intrusive works and notes any known or possible hazards.

12.2 Example of map legend

The map legend below is taken from Alison Park, in the suburb of Narrow Neck, and illustrates many of the icons used in the Devonport-Takapuna Local Parks Management Plan.



ADVOCACY AREA PARCELS

- The local park management plans identify situations where decision-making authority for certain areas sits outside the local board, or where the land is owned by the Crown. One example is unformed legal roads, which are often maintained by council and perceived by the public as parkland, but are legally under Auckland Transport's jurisdiction.
- The general policies and provisions of this plan guide the board's position and input into any future management or development of these areas, where required. Other advocacy areas include Crown-owned land adjacent to parks and parkland located within the coastal marine area.

Ngā ata hei whakaatu i ngā uara o te papa rēhia

12.3 Iconography to convey park values

The table below explains in more detail the symbol set that has been developed for the management plan to illustrate when cultural, heritage, natural, recreation and other values or hazards are identified in individual parks.

The table explains how each set of symbols were derived using data from technical experts and the council's GIS Viewer, GeoMaps.

This summary of park values is a guidance point when considering activities or development in local parks. Further investigation is required to determine if additional values are relevant and the location, extent, and quality of values, to help determine appropriate ways to protect them.

When cultural significance has been highlighted in relation to a park, it is important to refer to mana whenua to ensure activities and development protect cultural values.

Symbols for cultural values

Park values captured by symbols	Text to explain symbols	Examples of where the symbols are applied in this plan
Landscape/area of cultural significance to Māori 	This icon identifies a park which is situated within a wider cultural landscape of significance to Māori, and highlights parks raised by mana whenua as being important to them. Cultural landscapes may be associated with spiritual, environmental, historical and/or traditional uses and values of an area. Cultural significance may be recognised statutorily for example through the Auckland Unitary Plan which identifies sites of significance to mana whenua.	Narrow Neck Beach Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve
Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement 	Archaeological surveys have recorded important cultural heritage in or nearby a park. These archaeological sites are recorded in the Cultural Heritage Inventory (CHI), NZ Archaeological Association (NZAA) and/or Heritage NZ Listed Sites and have a corresponding number for reference. Pā sites and kāinga were historically semipermanent bases for settlement and there are many other indicators that Māori used the whenua before modern day parks were created. Parks include evidence of whare, terraces, camps, urupā, middens, hangi and kumara pits, umu and other land formations indicating early Māori occupation. Not all parks have been surveyed to determine if there are archaeological sites present. Care needs to be taken when managing this park to	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve

	ensure wider cultural landscapes of significance to Māori and any unrecorded heritage is protected and respected.	

Symbols for heritage values

Park values captured by symbols	Text to explain symbols	Examples of where the symbols are applied in this plan
Historic site, including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees 	This icon identifies where there are historic sites within a park including archaeological, built heritage, botanic and maritime sites, places of special interest to Māori or other reported heritage sites (such as the location of a battle or a building). There are over 16,800 locations of cultural heritage interest and over 10,600 archaeological sites in Auckland, numbers which increase annually and are recorded in the Cultural Heritage Inventory (CHI). Sites of heritage significance are also highlighted in the Historic Heritage Overlay in the Auckland Unitary Plan. When heritage is significant, a site may have a conservation plan to protect the heritage features or may benefit from development of such a plan.	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve

Symbols for natural values

Park values captured by symbols	Text to explain symbols	Examples of where the symbols are applied in this plan
Significant ecological and biodiversity areas 	Areas of significant indigenous vegetation or habitats are scheduled for protection in the Auckland Unitary Plan or Hauraki Gulf Islands District Plan according to whether they're located on land, in freshwater environments or coastal marine areas. Management plans provide an opportunity to protect and enhance significant ecological and biodiversity areas through strategies such as planting, weed and pest management. Parks located in these areas may have scenic protections under the Reserves Act 1977, and/or management intentions to guide park use to avoid damage to park ecology.	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve
Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present	All terrestrial and wetland ecosystems in Auckland have been classified according	Alison Park

	to a national ecosystem classification system. Ecosystems vary in size from small ephemeral wetlands to large tracts of forest. This icon highlights where wetland, forest, cliff, regenerating, coastal saline and dune ecosystems are present in a park. Each of these ecosystems support a variety of wildlife and have a threat status (from low concern through to collapsing). For more information refer to the report Indigenous terrestrial and wetland ecosystems of Auckland 2017.	
Other notable vegetation 	This refers to Kauri and other notable trees such as those planted during pioneer times, that have legal protections in the Auckland Unitary Plan or Hauraki Gulf Islands District Plan. Trees may be notable for a variety of reasons including commemorating important events, being exceptional examples of a species or critical to the survival of other species. Kauri trees are also important cultural taonga; healthy ngāhere (forests) with mature species like kauri enable communities living in harmony with the whenua to prosper.	Windsor Reserve (in the suburb of Devonport)
Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast 	Water is of high ecological value for its ability to sustain life and important taonga for mana whenua. Many significant stream systems flow through parkland. This icon draws on catchment and hydrology data in GeoMaps. Council also conducts more detailed watercourse assessments in parts of the stream network to determine the type and health of waterways and to assist with management of these waterways. There are often constraints on development when parks are in flood plains or tidal areas.	Alison Park Woodall Park
Fauna e.g., birds, skinks/lizards, and fish 	New Zealand is special in that it has so many endemic species that can't be found anywhere else in the world. This icon highlights where technical experts have identified a park with important fauna populations such as significant bird wading areas. For selected parks, fish surveys may have been conducted.	Alison Park
Geological and landscape features 	Auckland is built on a volcanic field. Its volcanoes have left behind rich volcanic soil, rock formations such as caves and fossils, and have formed lakes, hills and maunga. These features may be present in local parks and are a treasured part of the cityscape for cultural, spiritual, amenity and education and scientific reasons. This icon also draws on layers	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve

	in the Auckland Unitary Plan to convey when a park has Outstanding Natural Character, Features or Landscape areas so that management of a park can recognise the need to protect these natural values.	

Symbols for recreation values

This section lists key recreational activities currently associated with parks. The impact on these recreation values needs to be considered alongside other park values when approving/determining what activities can take place on parks. The table in the Appendix further describes recreational values listed in this section.

Park values captured by symbols	Text to explain symbols	Examples of where the symbols are applied in this plan
Water access 	Auckland has about 1,800km of coastline which many local parks give people access to. Often there is infrastructure in a park to provide water access such as paths, boat ramps, carparks, pontoons or wharfs. Providing people with access to water for activities such as sailing, rowing, fishing, surf lifesaving, diving and swimming helps Aucklanders be active and provides an opportunity to experience beach, ocean, river or estuarine environments.	Narrow Neck Beach Takapuna Beach Reserve
Connections 	Auckland's local parks are full of walkways, trails and cycling tracks. Local parks help connect people between home and school, with their places of work and offer destinations to visit for recreation. This icon illustrates a park featured in AKL Paths, an online tool helping Aucklanders discover more than 200 paths across the region. It also includes some parks which are an important part of Auckland's visionary Greenways plans to provide a network of linked parks, open spaces, and streets across the region.	Narrow Neck Beach
Informal recreation 	People often tell us they love local parks because each park has its own character to enjoy. A range of equipment is provided in parks to enable people to exercise, socialise and enjoy nature including seats, picnic tables, dog exercise areas, fitness equipment and BBQs.	Woodall Park Archiles Crescent Reserve Allenby Reserve
Events	This icon conveys which parks in each local board area are a popular venue for festival and events. Events bring people together to share memorable	Takapuna Beach Devonport Domain and Vauxhall Sportsfields

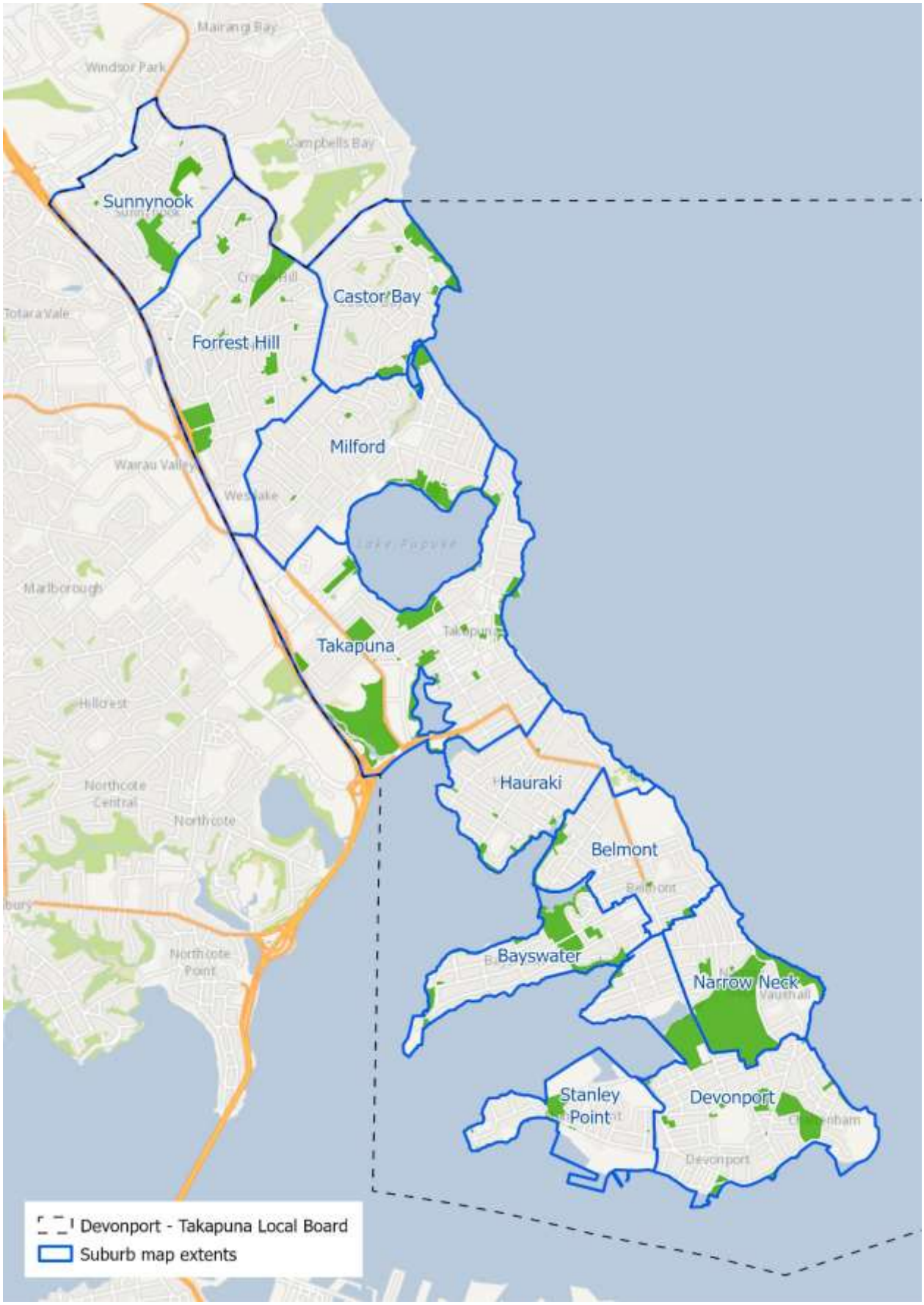
	experiences, celebrate Auckland and its people and help invigorate the economy. Many local boards have iconic local events that showcase what is unique about different parts of Auckland.	
Community leisure and recreation facilities 	Facilities in parks provide spaces where Aucklanders can connect, socialise, learn and participate in a wide range of social, cultural, art and recreational activities. Community facilities are managed as part of a network to ensure we have the right facilities and programmes in the right place at the right time. Building footprints on parks include art and culture facilities, community centres, campgrounds, backpackers, libraries, pools and leisure facilities and venues for hire.	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve
Play space 	There are some imaginative play spaces in local parks ranging from structured playgrounds, pump tracks, learn to ride areas and skate ramps, to more unstructured play experiences like nature play, māra hūpara (Māori play elements) and youth programmes. Flat grassy spaces are also highly valued for the play opportunities they create e.g., kicking or throwing a ball about.	Allenby Reserve Narrow Neck Beach
Organised sport and recreation 	Local parks help promote individual and community wellbeing through participation in organised recreation and sport, helping people be more active, more often. A lot of the infrastructure for sport and recreation is in a local park. Council has a booking system to encourage use of sports facilities, which are used throughout the year.	Alison Park
Significant community partnerships 	Volunteers do a huge amount to help protect and enhance what people value about local parks including helping to plant trees and shrubs to regenerate the ecology, and weeding to nurture the growth of these plants, and other activities such as wai care and helping to protect a park's heritage values.	Devonport Domain and Vauxhall Sportsfields

Symbols for other information

Park values captured by symbols	Text to explain symbols	Examples of where the symbols are applied in this plan
Coastal hazards	This park is vulnerable to coastal inundation/erosion which may impact recreation use, park assets and facilities.	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve Narrow Neck Beach

	The protection of the park's assets and public access along the coast from these hazards is likely to be a challenge that will need to be managed appropriately.	
Closed landfill and/or identified contaminated land 	Some or all of the site may be part of a closed landfill and/or known (at the time of writing) to be affected by contamination such as from previous industrial uses like historic horticulture. Ground intrusive activities on the park may be constrained to ensure the health and safety of the public and limit environmental risks. Activities or developments may require asset owner approval before works can commence.	Woodall Park Ngataringa Park
Other hazards or constraints 	Other hazards or constraints may be present in the park such as National Grid powerlines, wastewater disposal fields, or the park may be vulnerable to overland flooding during storm events. For more information refer to the 'other information' section on individual park sheets.	Narrow Neck Beach Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve

Devonport-Takapuna overview map with suburbs marked

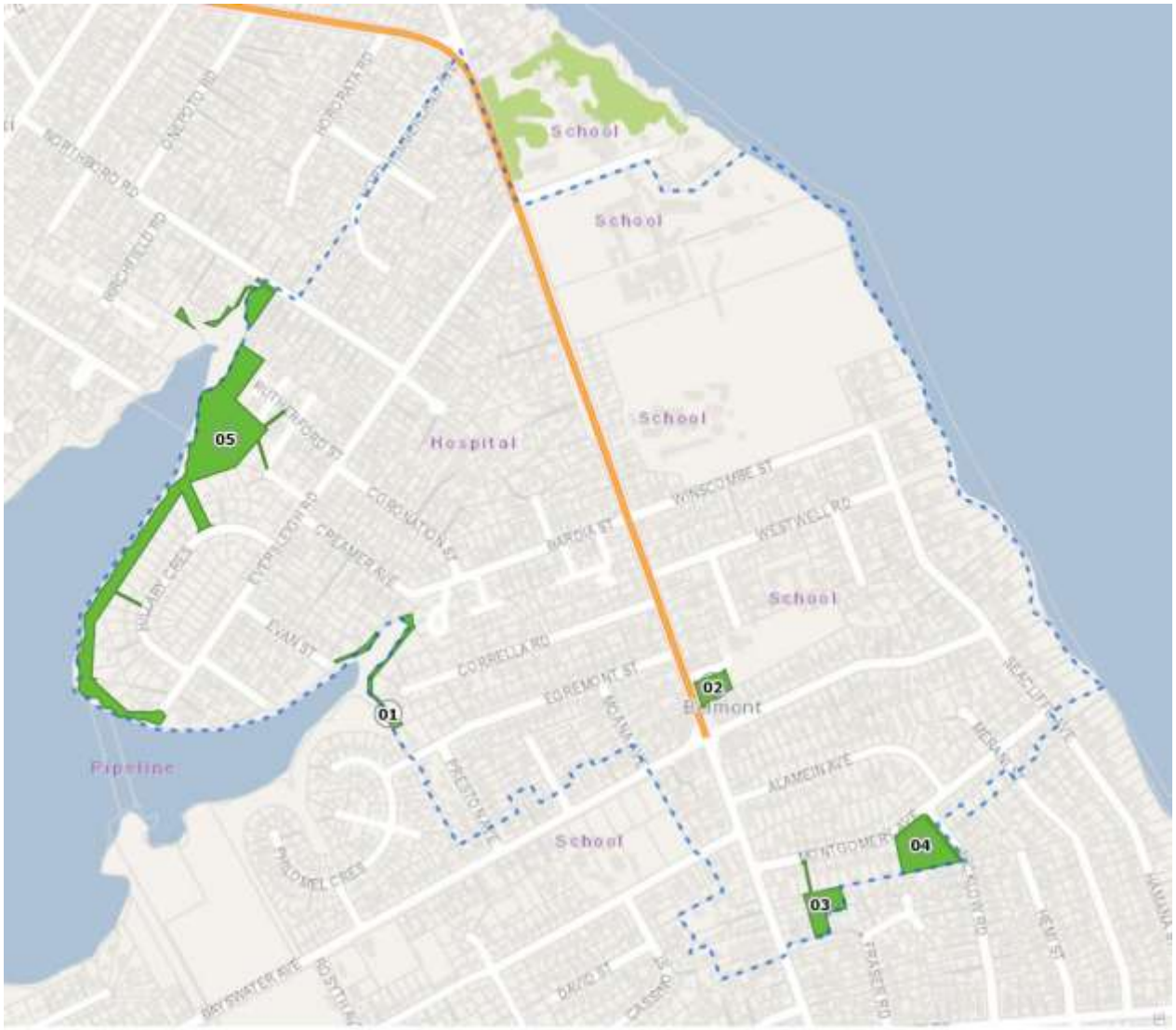


Suburb map – Bayswater



ID	Name
01	Bayswater Esplanade Reserve
02	Bayswater Park
03	Belmont Park
04	Lansdowne Reserve
05	Marine Parade Reserve
06	Norwood Road Esplanade Reserve
07	O'Neill's Cemetery Park
08	O'Neill's Park
09	Philomel Reserve
10	Plymouth Reserve
11	Quinton Park
12	Sandy Bay Reserve
13	Sir Peter Blake Reserve

Suburb map – Belmont



ID	Name
01	Bardia Esplanade Reserve
02	Belmont Rose Gardens
03	Fraser Reserve
04	Montgomery Reserve
05	Northboro Reserve

Suburb map – Castor Bay



ID	Name
01	Beach Road Reserves
02	Braemar Reserve
03	Brian Byrnes Reserve
04	Castor Bay Beach Reserve
05	Commodore Parry Reserve
06	Kennedy Park
07	Midway Reserve
08	Rahopara Pā

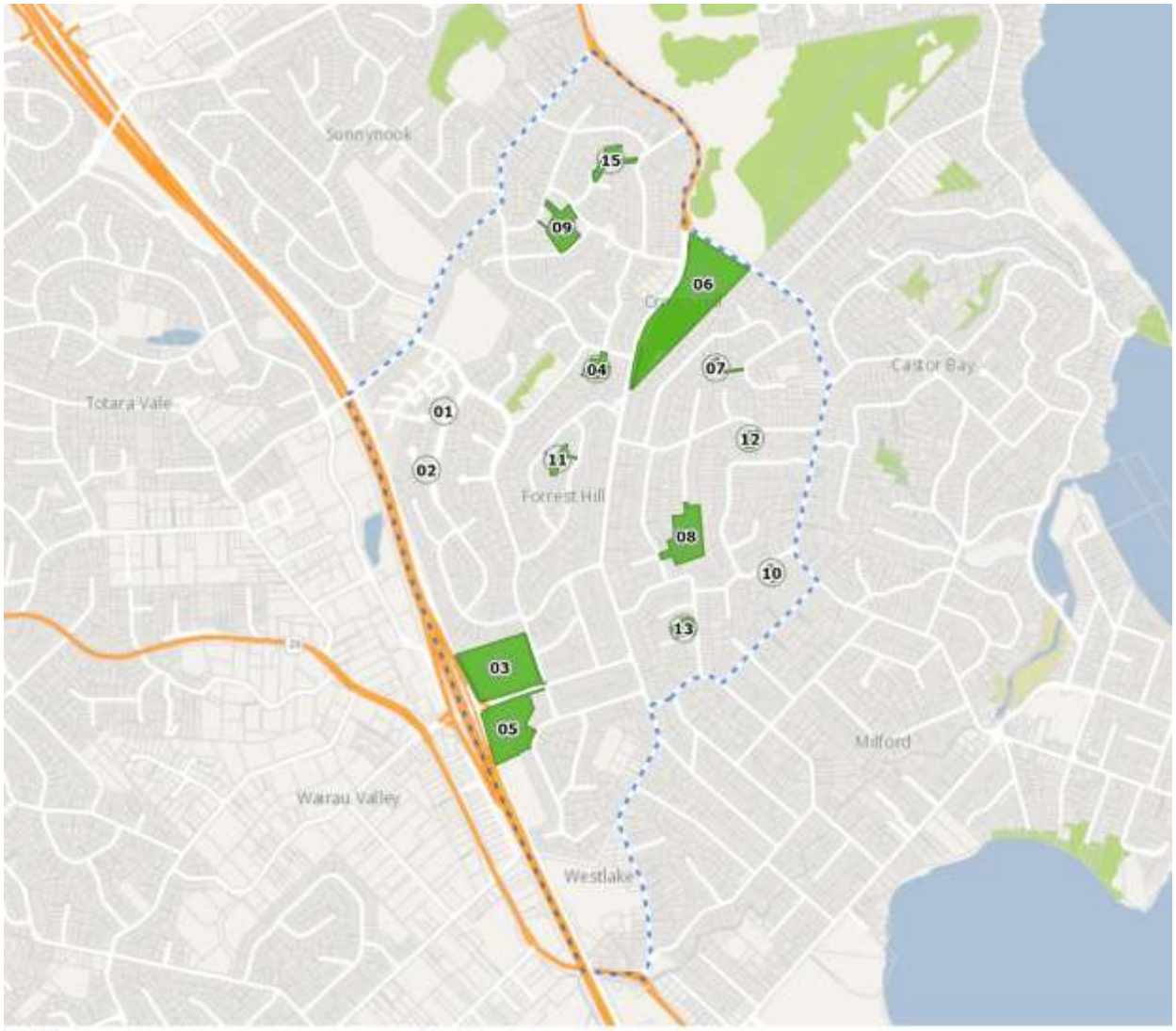
Suburb map – Devonport



ID	Name
01	Abbotsford Way
02	Aramoana Reserve
03	Balmain Reserve
04	Bath Street Reserve
05	Cheltenham Beach Reserve
06	Devonport Domain and Vauxhall Sportsfields
07	Fuji Reserve
08	Hill Park
09	Kawerau Reserve
10	King Edward Parade Reserve

ID	Name
11	Melrose Reserve
12	Mount Cambria Reserve
13	Mount Victoria Cemetery
14	Ngataringa Bay Reserves
15	Ngataringa Park
16	Queens Parade Reserve
17	St Pauls Cemetery
18	Torpedo Bay Reserve
19	Windsor Reserve

Suburb map – Forrest Hill



ID	Name
01	Augusta Reserve
02	Baltimore Reserve
03	Becroft Park Reserve
04	Blakeborough Reserve
05	Bond Reserve
06	Greville Reserve
07	Kenmure Reserve

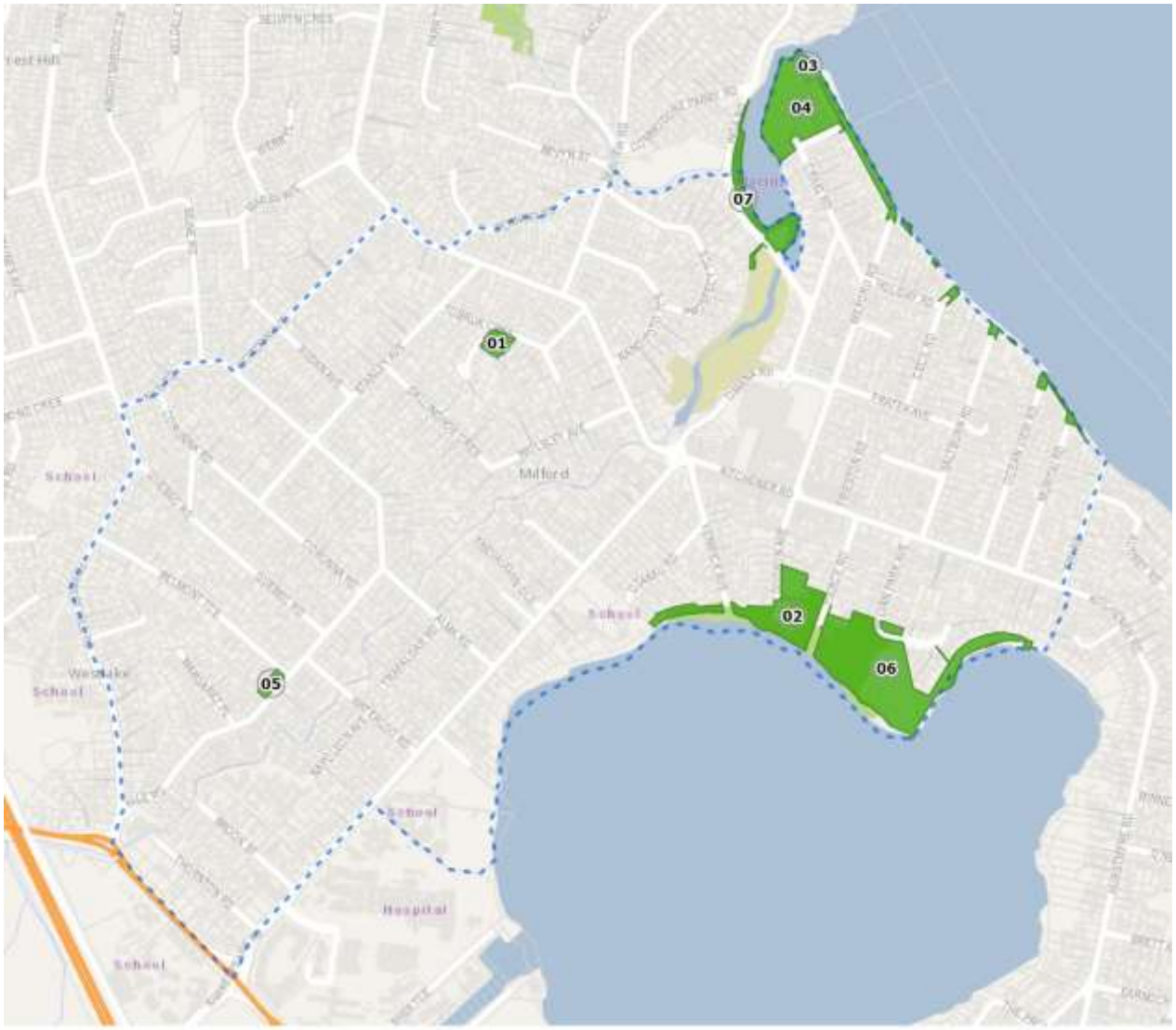
ID	Name
08	Knightsbridge Reserve
09	Linwood Reserve
10	Marsh Reserve
11	Probert Park
12	Richards Reserve
13	Seine Reserve
15	William Souter Reserve

Suburb map – Hauraki



ID	Name
01	Charles Reserve
02	Hauraki Corner Reserve
03	Jutland Reserve
04	Lake Town Green
06	Spencer Esplanade Reserve

Suburb map – Milford



ID	Name
01	Anakiwa Reserve
02	Kitchener Park
03	Milford Beach Front Reserve
04	Milford Reserve
05	Nile Reserve
06	Sylvan Park
07	Wairau Estuary Reserve

Suburb map – Narrow Neck



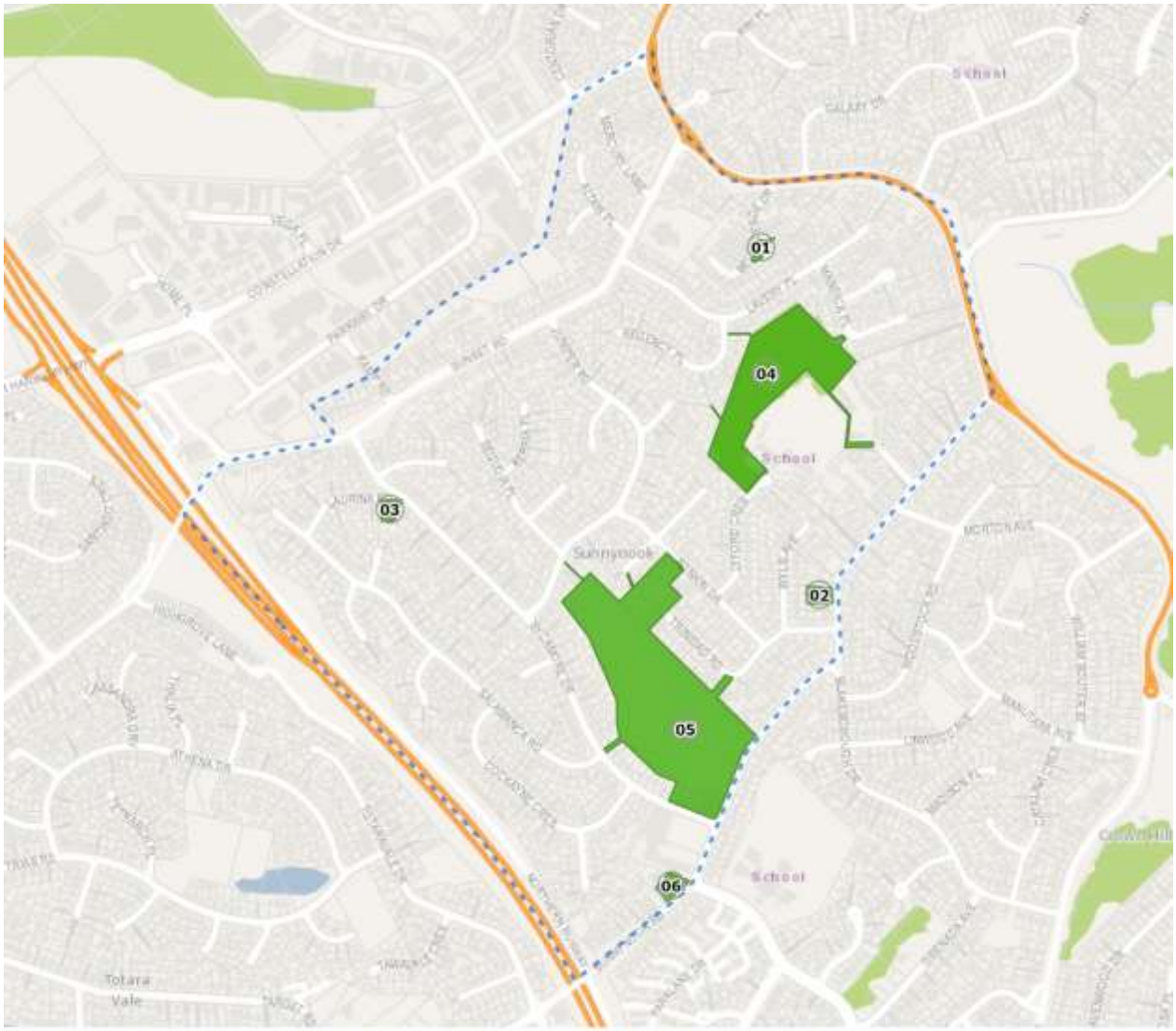
ID	Name
01	Achilles Crescent Reserve
02	Alison Park
03	Allenby Reserve
04	Kings Store Reserve
05	Narrow Neck Beach
06	Narrowneck Playcentre
07	Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve
08	Wairoa Road Reserve
09	Woodall Park

Suburb map – Stanley Point



ID	Name
01	Blair Park
02	Calliope Reserve
03	Kiwi Reserve
04	Secret Cove
05	Stanley Bay Beach Reserve
06	Stanley Bay Park
07	Stanley Point Cyril Bassett Lookout
08	Stanley Point Esplanade Reserve

Suburb map – Sunnynook



ID	Name
01	Belle Verde Reserve
02	Broadlands Reserve
03	Laurina Reserve
04	Sunnynook Bush
05	Sunnynook Park
06	Sunnynook Square

Suburb map – Takapuna



ID	Name
01	Anzac Reserve
02	Auburn Street Reserve
03	Barrys Point Reserve
05	Bracken Reserve
06	Caravan Park (The Promenade)
07	Esmonde Road Reserve
08	Henderson Park
09	Hurstmere Green
10	Killarney Park
11	Lake Pupuke Reserve
12	Napier - Harley Reserve
13	Northcroft Esplanade Reserve

ID	Name
14	Patuone Park
15	Patuone Reserve
16	Promenade Reserve
17	Quarry Lake Reserve
18	Smiths Bush Scenic Reserve
19	Taharoto Park
20	Takapuna Aquatic Centre Building
21a	Takapuna Beach Map 1
21b	Takapuna Beach Map 2
22	Takapuna Rose Gardens Potters Park
23	Thorne Bay Recreation Reserve

Abbotsford Way – Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 01

R 1 Abbotsford Terrace, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 1 DP 76084	Local purpose (accessway) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report Restoring Takarunga Hauraki volunteers have active bait stations for rats on this reserve.

Recreational values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Other information

- This reserve site provides a connection between Abbotsford Terrace and Lake Road.

Management issues

- Not applicable.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain the walkway connection within the reserve between Abbotsford Terrace and the nearby cycleway on Lake Road.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Achilles Crescent Reserve - Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, Map ID 01

R 13 Achilles Crescent, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 35 DP 38181	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 32 DP 38181	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 50 DP 2904	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 51 DP 2904	Recreation reserve
5	Part Lot 2 DP 4515	Recreation reserve
6	Part Lot 52 DP 2904	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 3 DP 49953	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report Restoring Takarunga Hauraki volunteers have active bait stations for rats on this reserve.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Community leisure and recreation
- Pathways
- Playspace - community

Other information

- Areas of the parkland may be subject to flooding from stormwater runoff that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.

Management issues

- The future use of the ex-bowling green space to the south of the Air Training Corps area is to be determined.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain a planted connection between Archilles Crescent and Seabreeze Road.
2. Investigate the repurposing of the disused bowling club area.
3. Explore opportunities to increase usage of the playground facility located to the north of the reserve.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating training activities, such as The Air Training Corps Association of New Zealand Incorporated.

Alison Park – Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, Map ID 02

R 1 Wairoa Road, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Fauna e.g. birds, skinks / lizards, fish

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Section 4 Block VI Rangitoto SD	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Section 3 Block VI Rangitoto SD	Recreation reserve
3	Section 1 SO 20541	Recreation reserve
4	Part Section 7 Block IV Rangitoto SD	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
5	Part Allot 8 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
6	Lot 20B DP 189	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
7	Reclaimed Land Deposited Plan 693	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
8	Part Lot 21B DP 4405	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
9	Part Allot 270 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory sites (343: JETTY SITE - INDUSTRIAL SITE - BRICKWORKS SITE) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report Restoring Takarunga Hauraki volunteers have active bait stations for rats across the reserve and have undertaken native planting at its north-western end.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. Waitemata Golf Course
- This reserve is accessible from multiple entrances
- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- Informal recreation

Other information

- During storm events large areas of the parkland may be subject to flooding from stormwater runoff and coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.

Management issues

- The park is affected by drainage issues due to its low-lying location.
- Some areas of the park are prone to flooding due to an overland flow path crossing the site.
- There is growing demand for publicly accessible open space within the area, including increasing demand for casual recreational activities such as walking and cycling. A walking/cycling path around the boundaries of this reserve is a long-term local board aspiration.

Management intentions

1. Seek to improve water management within the park. This includes:
    - Retaining water during storm events to help mitigate flooding in surrounding areas
    - Promoting water reuse to support sustainable resource use
    - Facilitating year-round recreational access by improving drainage and surface conditions
    - Enhancing the quality of runoff into adjacent water bodies to safeguard aquatic habitats
2. Develop and implement planting plans for the park, including the construction of wetlands and riparian planting along channels and swales. These measures aim to improve drainage and stormwater absorption, reduce sediment runoff, and enhance the overall amenity and ecological value of the park.
3. Uphold the open space character of the reserve and conserve its ecological values. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the 'Authorisations for Park Use' provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
4. Explore opportunities to enhance access connections around the perimeter of the park and within its boundaries (during appropriate hours), providing safe and enjoyable movement for people, including those travelling along Wairau Road and Seabreeze Road.

5. Acknowledge the reserve's role in managing stormwater to mitigate flood risks and ensure that future development does not undermine this function.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities undertaken by the Waitematā Golf Club Incorporated within Area B, being the golf course area occupying much of Alison Park. It is noted that Area A is the golf course area occupying the south-western part of the adjoining Woodall Park site,
    - and accommodating community service activities, such as the Rotary Club of Devonport Incorporated.

Allenby Reserve – Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, Map ID 03

R 1 Allenby Avenue, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 20A DP 4405	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 25 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Lot 24 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
4	Lot 23 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
5	Lot 19 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
6	Lot 18 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
7	Lot 21 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
8	Lot 22 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
9	Lot 20 DP 26091	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory sites (19724: Building - Community, 19698: Building Cultural Heritage Inventory) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report Restoring Takarunga Hauraki volunteers have undertaken rat control in this reserve.

Recreational values

- Education
- Community leisure and recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- Informal recreation
- Playspace - community

Other information

- During storm events large areas of the parkland may be subject to flooding from stormwater runoff that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.

Management issues

- The park is affected by drainage issues due to its low-lying location.
- Areas of the park are prone to flooding due to an overland flow path traversing the site.
- Growing demand for publicly accessible open space within the area including increasing demand for casual recreational activities such as walking and cycling. A walking/cycling path around the edges of this reserve, featuring a connection between Narrow Neck Beach and Ngataringa Reserve, is a long-term local board aspiration.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the large trees in the reserve for amenity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Consider opportunities that promote the reserve for casual public use and community events.
3. Consider expanding play and exercise opportunities, including enlarging and relocating the existing playground outside the flood inundation zone, and upgrading it with a focus on children aged 7–12 years.
4. Consider adding a perimeter path with 'learn to ride' markings and/or a fitness circuit, plus natural play.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating community service activities, such as the Lions Club of Devonport Incorporated,
    - accommodating educational activities, such as The Girl Guides Association New Zealand Incorporated
    - and The Scout Association of New Zealand.

Anakiwa Reserve - Suburb Map: Milford, Map ID 01

R 17 Anakiwa Place, Milford



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 20 DP 58467	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 21 DP 58467	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The park is predominately a grassed open space with several mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- Not applicable.

Management issues

- The reserve is heavily used in summer, when children slide down the sloping terrain.
- Some areas of the terrain could become slippery in wet conditions, creating potential hazards.

Management intentions

1. Develop and implement planting plans that utilise low-growing species to improve stormwater absorption while accommodating casual community use of the space.
2. Consider opportunities that activate the park for public use and community events.
3. Consider future opportunities for informal, nature-based play elements, as well as potential paths in locations prone to slippery conditions during wetter periods.
4. Investigate opportunities for establishing a community garden for food provision, learning, and enhanced social connections.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Anzac Reserve Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 01

R 4 Taharoto Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 75 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 23 DP 38177	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The park is predominately a paved space with several mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- Not applicable.

Management issues

- High traffic volumes pass through the intersection adjoining the reserve.
- The large mature trees occupying the site should be protected.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain the amenity values of the park, including the protection of the existing mature trees. Modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) of these trees should be avoided where possible.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Aramoana Reserve - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 09

R 76 Aramoana Avenue, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 43941	Foreshore Reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 43941	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
3	Lot 3 DP 88065	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory feature (6032: MIDDENS (SHELL)) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Heritage values

- Historic Heritage Place (Midden R11_969) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA-M2-60b and SEA-M2-60w1) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to rat control directed by Forest & Bird.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Conservation

Other information

- The reserve features a boat ramp and rowboat rack at the western end.
- Auckland Council Operations team notes that the existing playground will be removed once it is at the end of its life.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The unformed end of Aramoana Road is maintained as part of the park but is a legal road. While Auckland Council maintains this land, it is under the jurisdiction of Auckland Transport. The general policies and provisions of this plan will guide the local board's position and any future input into management or development of this area where it is sought.
- There is an access connection proposed under the local board-approved greenways plan through the adjoining foreshore areas, which could continue into the reserve. However, the adjacent area currently lacks consistent Council-owned property titles, limiting public connectivity.
- The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategic direction for managing coastal processes that affect reserves and other relevant land along the Devonport Peninsula shoreline.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to collaborate with community volunteer groups and mana whenua to manage weeds and pests in the park. Additionally, plant suitable low-growing vegetation to improve stormwater absorption and reduce sediment runoff to the harbour.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Auburn Street Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 02

R 8 Auburn Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 10 Block H DEEDS 10	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 11 Block H DEEDS 10	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 6 DP 78273	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 1 DP 78273	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
5	Lot 5 DP 78273	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
6	Lot 7 DP 79392	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
7	Lot 3 DP 78273	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
8	Lot 2 DP 78273	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 3 DP 105820	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
10	Lot 2 DP 105820	Recreation reserve
11	Lot 4 DP 78273	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No detailed information held at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists describe this reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8411 and SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Saline: Saltmarsh - Sea rush oioi, (SA1.3)
  - Forest Warm: Pūriri forest, (WF7)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report environmental group Pupuke Birdsong volunteers have been weeding and undertaking rat control and rat/possum trapping in this reserve.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. Takapuna Croquet Club Incorporated
- Connection
- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Education

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas, impacting on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The local board has expressed an intention to expand the reserve to enable the provision of recreation space and improve walking and cycling connections, including to the north of the park connecting to Anzac Street.
- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.

Management issues

- Antisocial behaviour has been a concern on the site.
- Parking capacity is under pressure because of the high demand from visitors accessing Takapuna's shopping district.
- A Service Assessment regarding the future of the reserve is underway through the Local Board, and a draft document is available.
- Currently, there is no pedestrian connection from the reserve to Anzac Street.

Management intentions

1. Promote the use of the reserve as a destination in itself and for access to Patuone Reserve walkway.
2. Collaborate with volunteers on pest management and ecological restoration efforts, following the guidance in sections 11.11 'Partnering and Volunteering' and 11.14 'Trees, Plants, and Animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan, to protect the park's natural values and aquatic habitats.
3. Explore opportunities to activate the reserve for casual public use and community events.
4. Seek to expand natural play opportunities.
5. Investigate the potential for a community garden for food provision, education purposes and enhanced social connections.
6. Investigate better management of parking in accordance with the General Policies on

Access and Parking in Policy 11.1 of Volume 1 of the plan.

7. Investigate opportunities for establishing a community garden for food provision, learning, and enhanced social connections.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating inclusionary community activities, such as the PHAB Association (Auckland) Incorporated,
    - accommodating educational activities, such as the Te Whānau Tupu Ngātahi o Aotearoa/Playcentre Aotearoa – Takapuna,
    - The Girl Guides Association New Zealand Incorporated,
    - and Takapuna Croquet Club Incorporated.

Augusta Reserve - Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 01

R 1 Augusta Place, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 79 DP 85606	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The park is predominately a grassed open space featuring mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No further information.

Management intentions

1. Seek to increase the natural values and character of the park, including through further planting.
2. Consider expanding play opportunities, including natural play.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Balmain Reserve- Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 02

R 18 Oxford Terrace, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Other notable vegetation

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 89409	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (19703: Buildings) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- The park is predominately a grassed open space with mature trees located on the coastal edge.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report Restoring Takarunga Hauraki has expressed interest in small planting programmes in this reserve.
- Notable Trees (Monterey cypress) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water access
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Pathways
- Community events

Other information

- A concrete seawall lines the coastal edge of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- A path connecting to the toilet blocks from the road is proposed in the Devonport-Takapuna Toilet Assessment (2022).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the large trees at the coastal edge of the reserve for amenity and ground stability, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Explore opportunities that promote the reserve for casual public use and community events.
3. Explore options to replace the existing Bath Street Reserve play space with a new play space at this reserve that is appropriately designed for its coastal-inundation context.
4. Explore ways to further activate the park such as fitness equipment and informal nature-based play.
5. Aim to preserve open space areas within the reserve for recreation and visual amenity by avoiding additional planting in central areas.
6. When responding to coastal hazards, consider "holding the line" as the preferred shoreline adaptation strategy for the short to long term (0–100+ years). This approach focuses on defending council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding so they can continue to be used for their intended purposes. As part of this strategy, investigate the ongoing maintenance of the seawall along the site's coastal edge.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Baltimore Reserve – Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 02

R 1 Baltimore Place, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 83 DP 85609	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The park is predominately occupied by grassed open space.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to improve the natural values and character of the park by planting more trees and low-growing plants that can improve aesthetics and stormwater absorption.
2. Consider expanding play opportunities, including natural play.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Bardia Esplanade Reserve- Suburb Map: Belmont, Map ID 01

R 26 Bardia Street, Belmont



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 66199	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 7 DP 38422	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 6 DP 36888	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 8 DP 41104	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8180) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment
- Informal recreation
- Connection
- Nature based activities

Other information

- A saltmarsh habitat adjoins this reserve to the south-west.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- This reserve features in the local board-approved greenways network due to its connectivity to Belmont Intermediate and Takapuna Grammar School nearby.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Investigate the construction of a connection to Philomel Reserve as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.
2. Undertake further planting in the park to enhance ground stability, improve stormwater absorption, reduce sediment runoff and improve water quality.
3. Seek to maintain view shafts between low plantings and specimen trees, ensuring they are pruned to an appropriate canopy height when mature to promote visibility through the reserve.
4. Encourage and support opportunities for volunteer efforts to undertake weed and pest control, as well as revegetation programs.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Barrys Point Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 03

37 Fred Thomas Drive, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Closed landfill and/or identified contaminated land
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 61305	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 61305	Recreation reserve
3	Part Area A SO 69231	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 6 DP 61305	Recreation reserve
5	Part Area B SO 69231	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory feature (13078: BUILDING - DWELLING Natural Heritage) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists describe the reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Saltwater marsh.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve has had regular weeding by STAMP (Society Totally Against Moth Plant).

Recreational values

- Shared paths
- Pathways
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation
- Organised sports and recreation
- Nature based activities

Other information

- Some or all of the site may be affected by contamination. Ground intrusive activities may be constrained to ensure the health and safety of the public and limit environmental risks. Activities or developments may require asset owner approval before works can commence. Contaminated land management plans may exist and should be referred to.
- During storm events, areas of the parkland may be subject to flooding from stormwater runoff and coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion.
- The park's boundary with the adjacent Rosmini College runs between the sports fields.
- The local board has approved a Service Assessment focused on the northeast section of the reserve as part of the work program.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Barry's Point Reserve Management Plan (2006).

Management issues

- Future operations in the reserve may be affected by Waka Kotahi's alternative crossing option for the Waitematā Harbour.
- A commercial lease is in place to provide a clear framework for the ongoing operation of the golf driving range located in the south-eastern corner of the site.

Management intentions

1. Support a variety of recreational uses in the park, including both active and passive activities, while recognising existing uses and enabling sports and leisure opportunities.
2. Collaborate with Closed Landfills Team (or future equivalent) to investigate and determine the management of the closed landfill site and contaminated fill areas. Contamination management may involve temporarily closing parts of the reserve to the public while any works or restricting certain activities for safety reasons while work is being undertaken.
3. Support the enhancement of the park's ecology and wildlife habitats, including ongoing weed and pest control. Promote riparian planting to reduce sediment runoff into water bodies, protecting aquatic habitats and improving water quality.

4. Explore wayfinding opportunities to improve access to the adjoining Akoranga Bus Station for active transport users.
5. Provide for recreational activities in the southern portion of Barrys Point Reserve, including the continued operation of the golf driving range, while acknowledging the site's large catchment, its potential need to evolve as the community grows, and consideration in wider transport planning.
6. Investigate opportunities to promote the Lake House building and associated activities, where this is feasible and aligns with community outcomes.
7. Investigate improved management of parking in accordance with the General Policies on Access and Parking in Policy 11.1 of Volume 1 of the plan.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
  - accommodating cultural activities, such as The Lake House Trust
  - and The Korean Garden Trust,
  - and accommodating commercial activities, such as the Golf Warehouse Ltd.

Bath Street Reserve- Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 03

R 2 Bath Street, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 3604	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA-M2-61) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report this reserve is subject to rat control by Restoring Takarunga Hauraki.

Recreational values

- Water access
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Play space - community

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- A concrete seawall lines the coastal edge of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to protect the large trees along the coastal edge of the reserve site to enhance amenity and ensure ground stability. Avoid modifications (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Seek to maintain the park for informal recreational activities.
3. Consider relocating the onsite playground currently located in a floodplain when opportunities arise.
4. Consider expanding natural play opportunities.
5. When responding to coastal hazards, consider **holding the line** as the preferred shoreline adaptation strategy for the short to long term (0–100+ years). This approach focuses on defending council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding so they can continue to be used for their intended purposes. As part of this strategy, investigate the ongoing maintenance of the seawall along the site's coastal edge.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Bayswater Esplanade Reserve- Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 01

R 39 Beresford Street, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 166687	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 4 DP 409067	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 162735	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 210858	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
5	Lot 2 DP 191545	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
6	Lot 3 DP 166300	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
7	Lot 3 DP 185297	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8237, SEA-M1-60d, SEA-M1-60d, SEA-M1-60w4, SEA-M2-60a and SEA-M2-60w1) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird baitlines for rats.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities.

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit use.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- This park is made up of several disconnected reserve parcels that adjoin the Bayswater peninsula.

Management issues

- These reserve parcels are currently isolated from other Council-owned areas and inaccessible to the public.

Management intentions

1. None identified.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Bayswater Park- Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 02

131 Bayswater Avenue, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 34397	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 1 DP 7289	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve features Forest & Bird baitlines for rats.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. North Shore United Association Football Club Incorporated - Bayswater.
- Fitness and exercise activities
- Shared paths
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment
- Play space - community

Other information

- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.
- Auckland Council Operations team note that a new club house is an aspiration of the football club.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Reserve Management Plan for Bayswater Park (1998).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Manage the reserve to provide for a variety of sport and recreation uses.
2. Collaborate with mana whenua who have a special connection to the area, to identify the best strategies for effectively managing the park. This may include adding interpretive signage to enhance awareness of the cultural values associated with the park.
3. Explore opportunities to activate the park for casual public use and community events.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the North Shore United Association Football Club Incorporated – Bayswater.

Beach Road Reserves - Suburb Map: Castor Bay, Map ID 01

1 Beach Road Castor Bay 0620, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 120 DP 12307	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 98 DP 12307	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8245) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)

Recreational values

- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion and coastal inundation in the longer term.

Management issues

- No further information.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the large trees at the coastal edge of the reserve site for amenity and ground stability, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Becroft Park Reserve – Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 01

43 Bond Crescent, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Section 5 SO 523030	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- The park is predominately grassed open space with mature specimen trees located around the edges of the parkland.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation
- Informal recreation
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The local board-approved greenways plan proposes future cycle/walkway around the north and east of the reserve.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Reserve Management Plan for Becroft Park and Bond Reserve (1995).
- Becroft Park contains stormwater channels that collect and convey flows from the surrounding catchment, and the reserve functions as a flood-detention area during heavy rainfall. The park is prone to significant flooding, as seen in the January 2023 event, and modelling shows that large areas of the reserve are likely to flood under future climate-change scenarios. Its flood-detention role must be retained, and there may be future opportunities to enhance this function through the Ngā Wairau Blue-Green Network Programme, although its inclusion is not yet confirmed.

Management issues

- Parking capacity is stretched on adjoining streets on summer weekends.

Management intentions

1. Manage the reserve to provide for a variety of active sport and recreation uses.
2. Seek to limit new commercial signage, including affixed to the buildings and structures within the reserve. Any proposed signage may be subject to public consultation and/or may require resource consent. Refer to 'Signs, information and interpretation' section of plan – policy 11.13 of Volume 1 of the plan.
3. Consider opportunities to develop pathways around the perimeter of the reserve for use in wet conditions, keeping in mind that this reserve accommodates an overland flow path.
4. Seek to maintain street visibility of the reserve through crown-lifting and trimming of streetfront vegetation.
5. Support the management of overland flow paths to retain stormwater, reduce flooding risk in the local community, promote water reuse, and enable year-round recreational use of the reserve. Ensure that future development does not compromise this stormwater retention function.
6. Seek to protect open space areas of the reserve for active recreation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section - Volume 1, Policy 12 of this plan.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

- accommodating recreational activities, such as the Forrest Hill Milford United Association Football Club Incorporated (Northern Rovers Football Club Incorporated),
- and accommodating educational activities, such as The Scout Association of New Zealand.

Belle Verde Reserve- Suburb Map: Sunnynook, Map ID 01

R 10 Belle Verde Drive, Sunnynook



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 29 DP 193773	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The park is predominately a grassed open space with mature trees located along the eastern and northern boundaries.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Play space - community

Other information

- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Reserve Management Plan for Becroft Park and Bond Reserve (1995).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain the park for informal recreation activities, including natural play opportunities.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable

Belmont Park- Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 03

46 Roberts Avenue, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Organised sport and recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 32312	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 104 DP 37877	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Not applicable, as this reserve is overwhelmingly occupied by spaces for tennis and lawn bowls.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to support multi-use recreation on reserve.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
  - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Belmont Park Bowling Club Incorporated
  - and The Belmont Park Racquets Club Incorporated.

Belmont Rose Gardens- Suburb Map: Belmont, Map ID 02

R 152 Lake Road, Belmont



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 15 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by landscaped gardens, paved road/footpath areas and a play space.

Recreational values

- Play space - community
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment

Other information

- The local board has expressed an intention to expand the reserve to enable the provision of recreation space given its convenient access to Belmont shops and location adjacent to Belmont Primary School.

Management issues

- The reserve may be subject to implications from Auckland Transport Lake Road widening and parking changes adjoining the reserve.

Management intentions

1. Consider opportunities that activate the reserve for casual public use and community events.
2. Investigate options to increase the amenity of the site, further emphasising the rose gardens.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Blair Park- Suburb Map: Stanley Point, Map ID 01

R 96 Stanley Point Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Other notable vegetation
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 4 DP 25872	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8236 and SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- The parkland includes notable tree(s), including Cork Oak. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water access
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation

Other information

- Features a boat ramp adjoining the reserve's northern boundary.
- Auckland Council Operations team report poor pedestrian access from the road to the beach ramp and dingy lockers. A project is currently underway to mend the damaged footpath and the failing retaining wall.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to increase the visibility of the park from the street, including trimming boundary vegetation.
2. Maintain the health of the existing mature vegetation onsite, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
3. Plant additional trees along the coastal edge of the site to enhance clifftop stability.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Blakeborough Reserve- Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 04

R 8 Blakeborough Drive, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 15 DP 50968	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The park is predominately occupied by grassed open space with several mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- This reserve's sloping terrain is prone to becoming slippery in wet conditions.
- Limited street frontage reduces visibility of reserve.

Management intentions

1. Investigate opportunities to promote the vibrancy of the reserve space through community events.
2. Seek to formulate planting plans for appropriate vegetative species to improve stormwater absorption.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Bond Reserve – Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 05

43 Bond Crescent, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Section 2 SO 523030	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 33 DP 54477	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 34 DP 54477	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 35 DP 54477	Recreation reserve
5	Section 1 SO 523030	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 36 DP 54477	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 3 DP 54334	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by space for tennis activities but does include grassed landscaped space and a playground at the Bond Crescent entrance.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Playspace - community

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- Parking capacity on the adjoining street is often stretched during peak times.

Management intentions

1. Explore opportunities to provide fitness equipment and multi-use of the park.
2. Recognise the function of the park in retaining stormwater to reduce flood risks. Seek to plant reserve edges further and ensure future development does not compromise this stormwater holding function.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

  - accommodating recreational activities, such as Badminton North Harbour Incorporated,

  - the Becroft Park Tennis Club Incorporated,

  - and The Tennis Charitable Trust (Tennis Northern Region Incorporated).

Bracken Reserve - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 05

R 5 Bracken Avenue, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Organised sport and recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 95 DP 6879	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 97 DP 6879	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 87 DP 6879	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 96 DP 6879	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 88 DP 6879	Recreation reserve
6	Part Lot 86 DP 6879	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by tennis courts spaces.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Explore opportunities to provide multi-use of the park where viable.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Takapuna Lawn Tennis Club Incorporated.

Braemar Reserve – Suburb Map: Castor Bay, Map ID 02

1 Beach Road, Castor Bay, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 40 DP 35297	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers advise that volunteers are undertaking infill planting, weed control, and rat control within this reserve.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Regenerating: Broadleaved scrub/forest, (VS5)
- This reserve provides for the merging of local streams.

Recreational values

- Access path connecting Braemar Road and Peter Terrace through parkland
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Conservation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Work with volunteers on ecological restoration and pest management in line with Policy 11.11 (Partnering and volunteering) and Policy 11.14 (Trees, plants and animals) in Volume 1, Part D of the plan, aiming to protect natural values in the park.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Brian Byrnes Reserve – Suburb Map: Castor Bay, Map ID 03

16 Inga Road, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Fauna e.g. birds, skinks / lizards, fish

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Section 1 Block III Rangitoto SD	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 23 DP 15467	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 58032	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 2 DP 157260	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 3 DP 24393	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that past riparian and infill planting, along with weed and rat control, has been carried out in this reserve by the environmental group Pupuke Birdsong.

Recreational values

- Parkland connects Inga Road and Seaview Road
- Informal recreation
- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. Milford Bowling Club
- Pathways

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff and coastal inundation.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Brian Byrnes Reserve (Seaview Reserve) Management Plan (1983).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Collaborate with volunteers on pest control and planting in the park, including along the riparian edges of the stream and overland flow path in line with Policy 11.11 (Partnering and volunteering) and Policy 11.14 (Trees, plants and animals) in Volume 1, Part D of the plan to protect natural values in the park and aquatic habitats in adjoining water bodies.
2. Seek to maintain the open space character of the park for informal recreation activities.
3. Consider opportunities to provide interpretive signage about the history of land reclamation that led to the creation of the park.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
  - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Milford Bowling Club Incorporated.

Calliope Reserve – Suburb Map: Stanley Point, Map ID 02

R 131 Calliope Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Hazards and constraints

Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 89 DP 1055	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 86 DP 1055	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 87 DP 1055	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 88 DP 1055	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve accommodates several mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- Mature trees on sloping terrain may cause health and safety issues.

Management intentions

1. Seek to stabilise the large, mature trees adjoining the naval base site, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Caravan Park (the Promenade) - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 06

22 The Promenade, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 8 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 7 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 10 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 9 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 6 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 5 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 4 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
8	Lot 3 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 1 DP 18501	Recreation reserve
10	Lot 2 DP 18501	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- Outstanding Natural Features (Takapuna Reef fossil forest and cliff lava exposures) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Connection
- Community leisure and recreation
- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. North Shore Waka Ama Incorporated and Takapuna Boating Club Incorporated - Boat Shed
- Informal recreation

Other information

- A council-owned campground that is currently being renovated occupies much of the northern part of the site.
- A beach café site is located to the southwest of the reserve site.
- A concrete seawall lines the coastal edge of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Takapuna Beach Reserve Management Plan 2013.

Management issues

- There is a need to raise awareness of the park as a destination for recreation and to increase its use during colder seasons.

Management intentions

1. Continue protecting the mature trees along the coast, avoiding modifications such as topping or canopy thinning whenever possible.
2. Collaborate with mana whenua who have a special connection to the area, to find effective ways to manage this park together. This could include adding interpretive signage to enhance awareness of cultural values.
3. Investigate maintaining the existing seawall and public beach access at the coastal edge of the reserve to protect against coastal inundation.
4. Maintain casual public recreational use of the southern part of the site and support water sports activities, such as waka ama, along with the operation of the commercial kiosk.
5. Seek to preserve unobstructed views between the overnight accommodation venue in the northern part of the site and the coastal access along the eastern boundary.
6. When responding to coastal hazards, consider holding the line as a shoreline adaptation strategy for the short to long term (0 – 100+ years). This strategy refers to defending council-owned assets and land from erosion and flooding to preserve them areas for their intended uses.
7. Permit self-contained vehicle camping only within the designated Takapuna

Caravan Park (refer to NZS 5465:2001 for the definition of a "self-contained vehicle"), and subject to all applicable site rules and booking requirements. Self-contained vehicles are not permitted to camp or stay overnight in any other car parking areas within Takapuna Beach Reserve, including beachfront or informal parking areas. A council-operated dump station is available within the caravan park for use by permitted vehicles, and other privately operated facilities may also be available in the wider area.

8. Overnight accommodation may be provided at this reserve where it is ancillary to, and directly supports, the other uses of the reserve.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating commercial activities, such as Takapuna Beach Café.
- Overnight accommodation may be provided at this reserve where it is ancillary to, and directly supports, the other uses of the reserve.

Castor Bay Beach Reserve - Suburb Map: Castor Bay, Map ID 04

R 3 The Esplanade, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Other notable vegetation

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 1 DP 58024	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 58024	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 3 DP 114708	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 2 DP 96658	Recreation reserve
5	Part Lot 68 DP 11099	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 1 DP 96658	Recreation reserve
7	Part Lot 67 DP 11099	Recreation reserve
8	Part Lot 68 DP 11099	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is overwhelmingly occupied by grassed open space with several mature specimen trees.
- Notable Trees features (Pōhutukawa - Natural Heritage) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, dinghies
- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Playspace - community
- Nature based activities

Other information

- A pontoon is located off this beach, and a concrete seawall is adjacent to the coastal boundary. A boat ramp off The Esplanade is an Auckland Council asset. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal inundation and erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- This is a popular beachside reserve in the summer, attracting visitors from far afield.

Management issues

- Parking capacity can be stretched on adjoining streets during busy times.

Management intentions

1. Continue to protect the large trees at the coastal edge of the reserve site, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Seek to maintain the park for informal recreation activities, including children's play.
3. Aim to promote the vibrancy of the reserve space through community events.
4. Investigate maintaining the existing boat ramp and seawall against coastal inundation.
5. Support methods of controlling car parking on/adjoining the beach.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Charles Reserve – Suburb Map: Hauraki, Map ID 01

R 12 Charles Street, Hauraki



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 185471	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 8 DP 41786	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 101177	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 98520	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed landscaped area.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  – Forest Warm: Pōhutukawa, pūriri, broadleaved forest (WF4).
  – Tree/Forest ecosystem (TF).

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal inundation and erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

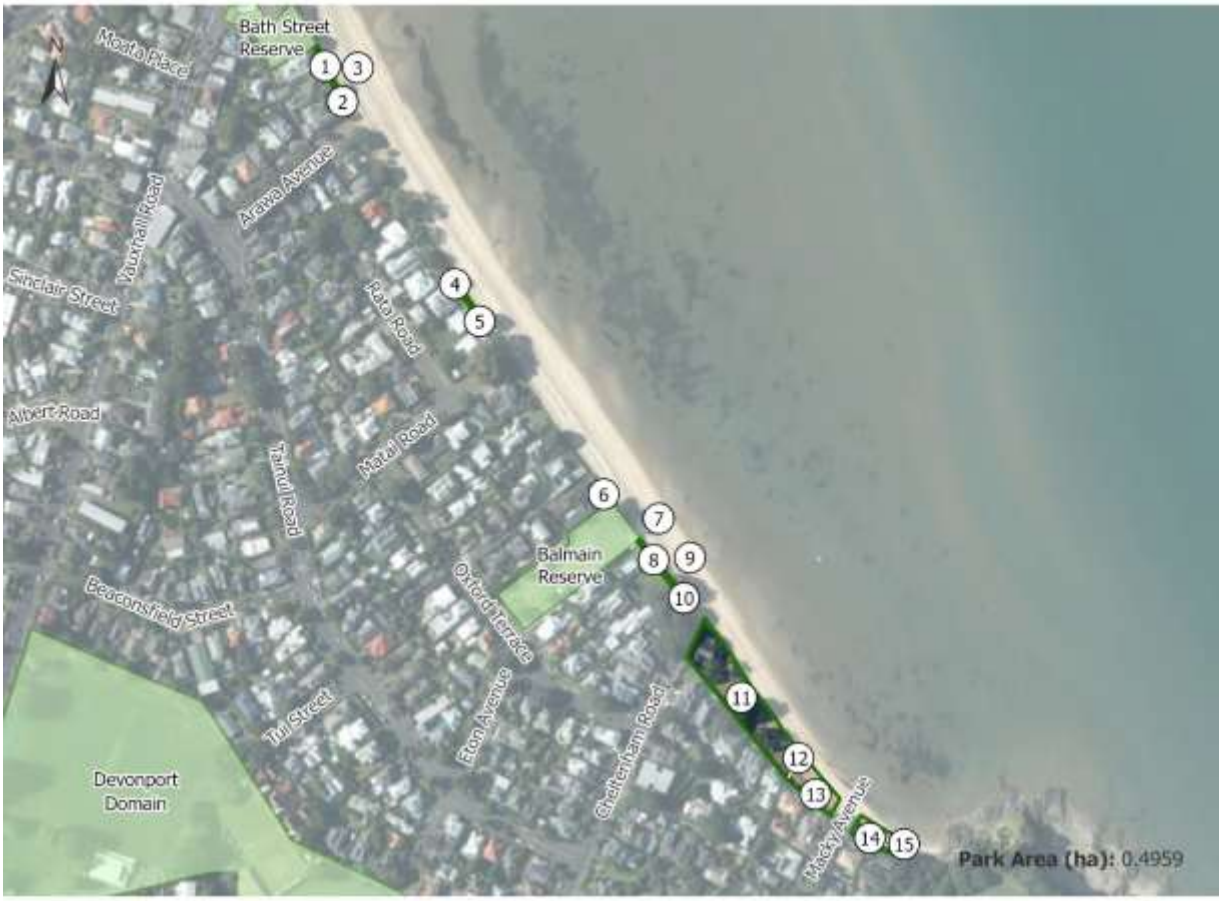
1. Consider opportunities to improve ecology and wildlife habitats in the reserve, particularly in coastal areas. This includes planting in appropriate locations to reduce sediment runoff into the harbour and enhance surrounding aquatic habitats.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Cheltenham Beach Reserve – Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 06

R 35 Cheltenham Road, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Other notable vegetation
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 26838	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 3 DP 26838	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 26838	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 1 DP 30562	Recreation reserve
5	Part Lot 4 DP 1791	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 2 DP 89409	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 1 DP 29476	Recreation reserve
8	Lot 2 DP 29476	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 3 DP 29476	Recreation reserve
10	Lot 4 DP 29476	Recreation reserve
11	Lot 1 DP 210524	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
12	Part Lot 7 DP 17548	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
13	Part Lot 8 DP 17548	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
14	Part Lot 9 DP 17548	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
15	Part Lot 10 DP 17548	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Historic Structure - BUILDING – COMMERCIAL – Kiosk/Restaurant (CHI No. 13154) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8176 and SEA-M2-61) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Outstanding Natural Features (North Head volcano (Maungauika)) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Restoring Takarunga Hauraki is undertaking rat control in this reserve.
- Notable Trees (Holm Oak) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Conservation
- Nature based activities
- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, dinghies, waka ama
- Water access

Other information

- The park is made up of six separated titles along the coast of Cheltenham Beach.
- A swimming pontoon is located in the common marine and coastal area adjacent to the beach.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal inundation and coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- This reserve contains concrete walls adjoining the coastal edge of boundaries, a boat ramp at the end of Arawa Avenue, and concrete stairs at the end of Cheltenham Road. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.

Management issues

- McHughes Restaurant, located on the reserve adjacent to the beach, is at risk under 100 year and 50-year 1m and 2m sea level rises.
- Portions of the park's parcels are subject to coastal inundation and may fall within the common marine and coastal area (CMCA).

Management intentions

1. Seek to engage with mana whenua who have a special association with the area. This could include adding interpretative signage to the reserve to raise awareness of cultural values.
2. Protect the large trees near the beach for their amenity and stability and avoid modifications such as topping or canopy thinning whenever possible.
3. Seek to maintain the reserve for informal recreational activities.
4. When responding to coastal hazards, consider holding the line as the preferred shoreline adaptation strategy for the short to long term (0–100+ years). This approach focuses on defending council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding so they can continue to be used for their intended purposes. As part of this strategy, investigate the ongoing maintenance of the seawall and pathway along the site's coastal edge.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
  - accommodating commercial activities, such as McHugh's of Cheltenham.

Commodore Parry Reserve – Suburb Map: Castor Bay, Map ID 05

R 2 Commodore Parry Road, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 31 DP 15467	Recreation reserve
2	Part Section 1 Block VIII Waitemata SD	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is mostly occupied by grassed landscaped area.

Recreational values

- Pathways
- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation and inundation from stormwater that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain access through the reserve.
2. Seek to maintain the spacious character of the reserve.
3. Recognise the function of the reserve in retaining stormwater to reduce flood risks, seeking to further plant this reserve and ensure that future development does not undermine stormwater retention.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Devonport Domain and Vauxhall Sportsfields - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 05

28 Vauxhall Road, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Other notable vegetation

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation
- Significant community partnerships
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Allot 39 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Section 37 Block VI Rangitoto SD	Recreation reserve
3	Section 36 Block VI Rangitoto SD	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Historic structures – BUILDING DWELLING-Residence – CHI No. (3251, 3252, 22668) recorded at the park.
- Historic structure – Building Masonic Cricket Clubhouse – CHI No. 19706 recorded at the parkland.
- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (22913: Historic - domestic) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report Restoring Takarunga Hauraki volunteers are undertaking possum and rat control in this reserve.
- Notable Trees (Pōhutukawa x3) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Two areas of sportsfields separated by Tui Street
- Significant community partnerships
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Community leisure and recreation
- Organised sport and recreation
- Community events
- Play space - community
- Nature based activities

Other information

- The park accommodates rugby fields in the north-western area and soccer fields and cricket activities in the south-eastern area and is bisected by an internal park road. While the portion of the road within the park is not a legal road, it provides a functional connection between Cambridge Terrace and Tui Street and links to the wider public road network.
- Auckland Council's Operations team notes that the playground renewal will proceed with the assistance of mana whenua to co-design a proposed new playground, given cultural sensitivities around the site.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The North Shore Rugby and Cricket Clubs propose to redevelop the existing bowling club premises, located between the rugby and cricket fields. The redevelopment may require a lease variation and associated consultation.
- The land is managed by the council as recreation reserve, with any changes subject to the requirements of the Reserves Act 1977.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Devonport Domain Management Plan (1995).

Management issues

- Pedestrian safety is an ongoing concern as the reserve is bisected by Tui Street, creating conflict points between differing modes of transport and highlighting the need for safer connections.
- The ongoing use and maintenance of three historic dwellings at 52, 55, and 56 King Edward Parade requires consideration of their long-term function, operational costs, and

alignment with the reserve's recreation purpose.

Management intentions

1. Manage the reserve to provide for a variety of active sport and recreation uses.
2. Seek to protect the large trees around the boundaries of the site for amenity, stability, and biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
3. Seek to maintain the reserve as a focus area for informal recreation, including as a site for picnics and children's play.
4. Consider opportunities that activate the park for casual public use, including pop-up activations and community events.
5. Seek to unify the whole reserve, including investigating opportunities to improve connectivity among separate parts of the reserve for reserve users like pedestrians, cyclists and disabled visitors.
6. Work with Auckland Transport on the management of the park road that connects Tui Street to Cambridge Terrace to enhance the safety of pedestrians, cyclists, micro-mobility users and disabled persons.
7. Seek to improve passive surveillance around the reserve and street-facing boundaries of the bowling club site.
8. Explore options for the future use and repurposing of the dwellings at 52, 55, and 56 King Edward Parade, including consideration of appropriate management arrangements and the need for future consultation with reserve stakeholders and the community.
9. Work with mana whenua who have a special association with the area on how best to partner effectively to manage this park. This could include adding interpretative signage to the reserve to raise awareness of cultural values.
10. Work with mana whenua to appropriately protect sites of interest including sites of potential Māori settlement.
11. Seek to protect the reserve's open space areas for recreation, conservation, and visual amenity purposes. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the 'Authorisations for Park Use' provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
12. Aim to formulate planting plans for appropriate low-growing plants in suitable parts of the reserve to improve stormwater absorption.
13. Investigate the retention of boat parking in the south-eastern corner of the reserve to support coastal access for watercraft activities, including waka ama.
14. Consider opportunities to provide interpretive signage about the history of land reclamation that contributed to the creation of the park.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints, including those of:

- recreational activities, such as the Masonic Cricket Club Incorporated,
- the North Shore Cricket Club Incorporated,
- the North Shore Rugby Football Club Incorporated,

- and the Joint Entity - North Shore Rugby Football Club Incorporated & North Shore Cricket Club Incorporated.

Esmonde Road Reserve - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 07

R 43 Esmonde Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 153232	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Part Lot 72 DEEDS 1166	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Lot 2 DP 455590	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 4 DP 599355	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- The reserve is occupied by mature vegetation.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved (WF4)

Recreational values

- Conservation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- A cycle/pedestrian connection involving this reserve is a local board aspiration as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect and stabilise the large mature trees adjoining the coast, for amenity, stability, and biodiversity purposes, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Encourage weeding and pest control efforts to enhance ecology within the reserve.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable

Fraser Reserve - Suburb Map: Belmont, Map ID 03

R 17 Fraser Road, Belmont



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 75 DP 43549	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
2	Part Lot 4 DP 37880	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is occupied by mature vegetation.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Conservation

Other information

- An Auckland Council-managed housing development is adjacent to the reserve site, at Fraser Court.

Management issues

- Future residential growth in the surrounding area is expected to increase the intensity of use of the park and may threaten ecosystems.

Management intentions

1. Aim to enhance walking, cycling and disability access connection between this reserve and Montgomery Reserve nearby.
2. Seek opportunities to establish a community garden in the reserve for food provision and educational purposes, while also potentially fostering social bonds.
3. Aim to improve signage to raise awareness of the reserve.
4. Strive to maintain the health of the mature trees within the park to support amenity, stability and biodiversity, while avoiding modifications such as topping or canopy thinning whenever possible.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Fuji Reserve - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 07

R 22 Church Street, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 6A DP 5246	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Part Lot 1 DP 5246	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is occupied by grassed landscaped area and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the large trees that occupy the site for amenity and shade, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Explore opportunities that increase natural play possibilities among the rocks and trees on the site.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Greville Reserve - Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID06

R 253 Forrest Hill Road, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation
- Significant community partnerships
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 249 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8026) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Regenerating: Mānuka, Kānuka scrub (VS3)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report environmental group Pupuke Birdsong are implementing rubbish cleanups, pest animal control and planting days within the reserve.

Recreational values

- Community events
- Fitness and exercise activities
- Play space - community
- Organised sport and recreation
- Pathways
- Education
- Nature based activities
- Significant community partnerships
- Shared paths
- Conservation
- Walking trails
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment.
- Informal recreation

Other information

- A council-owned multi-use astroturf field and wheel play area are located to the north of the site, while much of the southern part of the reserve is occupied by mature bush.
- During storm events, areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- Use of informal bike tracks are causing damage to areas within the bush.
- Issues identified regarding the operation of the BMX track.

Management intentions

1. Investigate opportunities for wayfinding around the reserve and bush area, such as the installation of interpretive and directional signage.
2. Seek to improve access throughout the reserve by removing visual barriers and enhancing walking and cycling pathways. Additionally, investigate options for improving disabled access connections within the reserve and to the nearby Blakeborough Reserve.
3. Seek to enhance the reserve through supporting weed management and pest control.
4. Seek to protect the large native trees in the reserve for amenity, stability, and biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning etc.) where possible.
5. Develop a strategic succession planting plan for the mature exotic reserve trees, aiming to increase age and species diversity to maintain and enhance the reserve's natural character.
6. Seek to encourage additional children's wheel play at the concrete area atop the reservoir to the north of the reserve, provided this zone remains viable. Consultation with Watercare, as the asset owner, may be necessary.
7. Consider formalising mountain biking trails within appropriate areas of the park.

8. Continue to promote both informal and organized recreational activities in the reserve, including nature play.
9. Promote the park as an event space.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Hauraki Corner Reserve – Suburb Map: Hauraki, Map ID02

R 310 Lake Road, Hauraki



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Section 2 SO 434310	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 3 DP 39803	Recreation reserve
3	Section 5 SO 434310	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to baitlines for rats directed by Forest & Bird.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Protect the open space character of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development should be consistent with the rest of the plan and may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section - policy 12, Volume 1 of this plan.
2. Seek to uphold sightlines into the reserve and minimize visual barriers for public safety, enhancing public safety and accessibility.
3. Investigate opportunities to activate the park for casual public use, encouraging community engagement.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Henderson Park - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 08

R 6 Kitchener Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 4 DP 52576	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 13 DP 48952	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 7 DP 42870	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 5 DP 40287	Recreation reserve
5	Old Lake Bed	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
6	Old Lake Bed	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
7	Lot 3 DP 51997	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8140) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Wetland: Raupō reedland (WL19)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report the Friends of Henderson Park group under environmental group Pupuke Birdsong have weeded and planted the reserve as well as implemented rat control.
- Outstanding Natural Features (Lake Pupuke volcano) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Conservation
- Community events
- Connection
- Water access

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to stormwater runoff.
- The Navigation Bylaw 2021 specifies requirements on the lakes for certain water activities (including water skiing, diving, swimming, and using recreational vessels) and navigation safety and operating requirements (including licensing and permits, and restricted areas).
- Portions of the park's parcels on the lake edge are now submerged.
- The walkway that connects to Sylvan Park is closed from September through December to protect wildlife during the breeding season.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Lake Pupuke – Pupukemoana - Reserve Management Plan 2005.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Investigate opportunities to activate the reserve for public recreation and casual use, encouraging community engagement.
2. Avoid constructing new structures in the reserve and encourage the multiple uses of existing buildings to make the space more suitable for recreation and visual enjoyment while preserving lake views from the park. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the Authorisations for Park Use provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
3. Implement strategies to control weeds and pests and undertake additional native plantings along the lake edge. These efforts aim to enhance wildlife habitats, reduce sediment runoff into the lake, and maintain water quality.
4. Seek to expand natural play areas to provide engaging and educational experiences for children.

5. Evaluate maintaining the lake edge armour and small jetty, as long as these remain viable.
6. Aim to limit watercraft storage on the reserve. In such cases where watercraft storage may be considered, this can be done so through the Landowner Approval and Community Leasing processes, or future equivalents.
7. Investigate the feasibility of installing a public toilet onsite.
8. Aim to promote the reserve for further events and enhance public lake access. encouraging greater community engagement and use of the space.
9. Explore the construction of a formal pathway connecting Henderson Park to Sylvan Park as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.
10. Install interpretive signage within the park that highlights its geological heritage and explains its relationships to Onepoto Domain and Tuff Crater – Te Ara o Matakamokamo, reinforcing the reserve's place within Tāmaki Makaurau's wider volcanic landscape.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Hill Park - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 08

R 56 Kawerau Avenue, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 44B Block A DEEDS 1010	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 3 DP 352762	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Saline: Mangrove forest and scrub (SA1.2)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to rat control directed by Forest & Bird.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- Water access

Other information

- This reserve is adjoined by a saltwater wetland. The boat ramp at the western end is a private structure.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- Access to the site is provided through Kawerau Reserve to the north and via Kawerau Avenue, both located to the north-east of the reserve site.

Management intentions

1. Seek to collaborate with community volunteer groups and mana whenua to manage weeds and pests in the park.
2. Aim to plant appropriate low-growing species to enhance stormwater absorption and reduce sediment runoff into the harbour.
3. Aim to protect the mature trees onsite for both amenity and coastal stability, avoiding any modifications such as topping or canopy thinning whenever possible.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Hurstmere Green - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 09

R 47 Hurstmere Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Other notable vegetation

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Allot 392 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Allot 609 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is mostly occupied by grassed area and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Community events
- Fitness and exercise activities
- Connection
- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- Implications from the development of adjoining sites could change the character of the reserve.
- There are historic easements through the north-east of the reserve in favour of Council.

Management intentions

1. Aim to maintain the current connection that this park provides between Waiwhahariki – Anzac Square and Takapuna Beach.
2. Investigate methods of protecting the large mature trees on the reserve for amenity and shade, avoiding modification such as topping, and canopy thinning where possible.
3. Aim to promote the use of the space for casual public use and explore opportunities for holding further events that leverage off the reserve's proximity to Takapuna's commercial district and Takapuna Beach.
4. Seek to maintain the open space character of the reserve for informal recreation. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section of the plan - Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
5. Seek to safeguard and enhance views both within and surrounding the park, with a particular focus on maintaining clear sightlines towards Takapuna Beach and Rangitoto Island.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Jutland Reserve - Suburb Map: Hauraki, Map ID 03

R 196 Jutland Road, Hauraki



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Fauna e.g. birds, skinks / lizards, fish

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 4 DP 43714	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 28 DP 66316	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 47 DP 40748	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (350: Brickworks, 6849: DITCH AND BANK (HISTORIC) - MIDDEN (SHELL), 6019: MIDDENS (SHELL)) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Historic Heritage and Special Character overlay features (Historic Heritage Place: European ditch and bank/midden (shell) R11_914, Middens R11_923) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8180 and SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to baitlines for rats directed by Forest & Bird and planting by Restoring Takaranga Hauraki in 2023. An ecological restoration plan was commissioned from Te Uru Whaakaro.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Conservation
- Connection

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route passes through Northboro Reserve, directly across the inlet from Jutland Reserve. The reserve should therefore help support the wider greenway network by delivering the local board–approved greenways plan, including providing all-weather pathways for use in wet conditions.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Explore opportunities to provide further all-weather connections through the park.
2. Seek to protect and enhance the mature bush adjacent to the coastal terrain, preserving its amenity value and ensuring clifftop stability. Avoid modifications such as topping, canopy thinning, and underground activities within the root zones of this vital coastal vegetation whenever possible.
3. Investigate methods of bolstering the ecology of the area through supporting planting, weeding and pest control.
4. Seek to formulate planting plans for appropriate low-growing vegetative species in suitable parts of the reserve to improve stormwater absorption, slow down sediment runoff into the ocean and enhance seawater quality.
5. Consider natural play opportunities, aiming to incorporate an ecological conservation focus.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

— accommodating educational activities, such as the Girl Guides Association New Zealand Incorporated.

Kawerau Reserve – Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID16

R 44 Kawerau Avenue, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks
- Advocacy parcels
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 7 DP 372319	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 10 DP 372319	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 149969	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 91 DP 19859	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
5	Lot 92 DP 19859	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  -Saline: Mangrove forest and scrub, (SA1.2)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird rat control and Restoring Takauranga Hauraki has undertaken planting in the past.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Play space - community

Other information

- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.
- This park is adjoined by wetland areas to the north and south.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- There is a greenway connection proposed along the foreshore, however the area doesn't have consistent Council owned property titles.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
2. Explore opportunities to provide further connections through the park, including implementing the local board-approved greenways plan. The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network.
3. Develop and implement planting plans to enhance ecological values, improve stormwater absorption, filter runoff to the harbour, and provide additional shade and amenity.
4. Aim to reduce weeds and pests from reserve, working with volunteers and contractors.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Kenmure Reserve – Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 07

R 29 Kenmure Avenue, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 26 DP 38854	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is occupied by grassed open space with mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- Due to its minimal street frontage, the reserve has low public visibility and limited passive surveillance.

Management intentions

1. Increase the visibility of the reserve from the street by enhancing signage and potentially clearing some street front vegetation.
2. Seek to maintain the open space character of the reserve and uphold the reserve for informal recreation. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
3. Explore assess connections between this reserve and other nearby reserves aiming to create a cohesive network of green spaces.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Kennedy Park - Suburb Map: Castor Bay, Map ID 06

R 137 Beach Road, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space
- Significant community partnerships
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 176897	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Allot 463 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 13 DP 38175	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 12 DP 38175	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
5	Lot 10 DP 38175	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 2 DP 104826	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 1 DP 104826	Recreation reserve
8	Lot 5 DP 334604	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 1 DP 92235	Recreation reserve
10	Lot 6 DP 334604	Recreation reserve
11	Lot 7 DP 334604	Recreation reserve
12	Lot 16 DP 34672	Recreation reserve
13	Part Lot 2 DP 66639	Recreation reserve
14	Part Lot 1 DP 31770	Recreation reserve
15	Lot 2 DP 77877	Historic reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (22387: STRUCTURE - MILITARY, 13643: SEARCHLIGHT EMPLACEMENT, 13644: SEARCHLIGHT EMPLACEMENT, 18876: Conservation Area, 18876: Conservation Area, 13082: STRUCTURE - MILITARY, 13642: OBSERVATION POST) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8242) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to rat trapping by environmental group Pupuke Birdsong.
- Outstanding Natural Feature (Kennedy Park deformed Waitemata strata) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Nature based activities
- Significant community partnerships
- Informal recreation
- Playspace - community
- Education
- Conservation
- Connection
- Community events

Other information

- Local board development funding is being investigated for potential options at 139 Beach Road, including upgrading the existing building or removing it.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Management Plan for J.F. Kennedy Memorial Park (1985).

Management issues

- The future lease on the dwelling at 139 Beach Road remains unclear.

Management intentions

1. Investigate opportunities to hold community events, fostering a sense of ownership and connection among nearby residents.
2. Investigate methods of stabilising the large, mature clifftop trees to increase stability, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.).
3. Seek to maintain open space areas and views from the park over the adjoining Hauraki Gulf. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section of plan – see Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
4. Aim to enhance the park's natural values and character by managing weeds and pests and undertaking further planting of trees and low-growing species to improve

amenity, provide shade, and enhance stormwater absorption.

5 Collaborate with mana whenua to protect sites of historical and cultural significance, including historical pā and locations with artefacts indicating Māori settlement.

6 Seek to recognize and protect World War II defence structures within the park.

7 Investigate options for the future use of the dwelling at 139 Beach Road in conjunction with the Kennedy Point Observation Post (a historic building used as a bookable venue for small groups).

8 Consider opportunities for expanding natural play options onsite.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Killarney Park - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 010

39 Killarney Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Other notable vegetation
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 2 DP 1558	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
2	Lot 1 DP 84317	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
3	Part Lot 3 DP 1558	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
4	Part Lot 2 DEEDS T 17	Recreation reserve
5	Allot 580 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
6	Part Lot 7 DP 1128	Recreation reserve
7	Part Lot 8 DP 1128	Recreation reserve
8	Part Lot 5 Block XI DEEDS T 17	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 1 DP 66576	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
10	Lot 12 DP 122842	Recreation reserve
11	Part Lot 4 DEEDS T 17	Recreation reserve
12	Part Lot 8 DP 1128	Recreation reserve
13	Part Lot 1 DP 78790	Recreation reserve
14	Part Lot 6 Block XI DEEDS T 17	Recreation reserve
15	Lot 1 DP 61455	Recreation reserve
16	Part Lot 3 DEEDS T 17	Recreation reserve
17	Lot 11 DP 122842	Local purpose (accessway) reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (2438: Building - Pumphouse, 22912: Industrial, 19689: Building, 8551: House site (historic) with plantings) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8140) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Notable Trees (Camphor Laurel (3), Moreton Bay Fig) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report environmental group Pupuke Birdsong has been carrying out planting in this reserve.
- Outstanding Natural Features (Lake Pupuke volcano) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Significant community partnerships
- Informal recreation
- Water access
- Conservation
- Walking trails

Other information

- Auckland Council Operations note there are a lot of events occurring on this reserve.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The Navigation Bylaw 2021 specifies requirements on the lakes for certain water activities (including water skiing, diving, swimming, and using recreational vessels) and navigation safety and operating requirements (including licensing and permits, and restricted areas).
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Lake Pupuke – Pupukemoana - Reserve Management Plan (2005).
- There are enhancements proposed under the local board-approved greenway plan from west to east of park to promote cross-park connectivity.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to enhance ecology and wildlife habitats, by controlling weeds and pests, increasing indigenous planting, and adding lakeside vegetation to reduce sediment runoff and maintain water quality, while preserving public access to the lake.
2. Recognise the importance of the park's provision for water sports, including the promotion of water-safety education.
3. Promote the reserve for daytime community and water sports events, encouraging active and engaged use of the space.
4. Aim to protect and enhance the park's distinctive landform and natural landscape values. Maintain the open spaces for recreation and visual amenity and preserve lake views from the park.
5. Seek to avoid new structures on the reserve and encourage multiple uses of

existing buildings. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the Authorisations for Park Use provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.

6. Aim to recognise and incorporate the aspirations of mana whenua, who have a special association with the area, in the management of the park.
7. Seek to install interpretive signage that raises visitor awareness of both the site's cultural values and its geological heritage, including its connection to Onepoto Domain and Tuff Crater – Te Ara o Matakamokamo within Tāmaki Makaurau's volcanic landscape and the historical significance of Pupuke Moana.
8. Work with volunteers on pest control and planting initiatives, following Policy 11.11 'Partnering and Volunteering' and 11.14 (Trees, Plants, and Animals) in Volume 1, Part D of the plan. This will help protect significant Puriri forest remnants, enhance natural values, improve stormwater absorption, and reduce sediment runoff, while maintaining recreational access to the lake and open spaces.
9. Aim to limit watercraft storage on the reserve. In such cases where watercraft storage may be considered, this can be done so through the Landowner Approval and Community Leasing processes, or future equivalents.
10. Investigate the construction of a formed path through the park to connect Manurere Avenue, Killarney Street and Kowhai Street as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the North Shore Bridge Club Incorporated,
    - accommodating cultural activities, such as North Shore Theatre,
    - and the Arts Trust (The Pumphouse Theatre).

King Edward Parade Reserve - Suburb Map: Devonport, ID 09

1 King Edward Parade, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 58580	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Part Harbour Bed Survey Office Plan 20236	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Recorded historic sites within or adjacent to the parkland include:
  – Maritime: 660 – Industrial Monument (Historic) – Plaque
  – 214 – Historic Structure – Wharf Site
  – 12216 – Historic Shipyard
  – 299 & 288 – Industrial Shipyard Sites
  – 16841 – Shell Path
- A Historic structure – Watson Memorial Clock – Watson Memorial (CHI no. 2439) is recorded at the park

Natural values

- The reserve is mostly occupied by the boating club.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, dinghies
- Informal recreation
- Pathways

Other information

- The reserve includes the Devonport Yacht Club, which contains seawalls (areas with a higher likelihood of marine non-native species establishing), haul-out/hardstand facilities for hull cleaning, two slipways, a dinghy ramp, and a small wharf. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- Auckland Council's island and marine biosecurity programmes are relevant to this site. The programmes' focus on preventing the spread of plant, animal and marine pest species including the invasive seaweed exotic caulerpa – by raising awareness, educating and undertaking surveillance and compliance on the rules designed to protect our islands and marine environment from pests. Boat operators are encouraged to have adequate pest control and to regularly check gear and boats for signs of pests before heading out. Maintaining a clean hull with year-round maintenance will also reduce pressure on facilities in peak periods.
- The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategic direction for managing coastal processes that affect reserves and other relevant land along the Devonport Peninsula shoreline.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the large trees along King Edward Parade for amenity, stability, and biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning etc.) where possible.
2. When responding to coastal hazards, a hold-the-line strategy should be considered over the short to long term to protect council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding. This aligns with the Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025), which applies a 'Protect' approach using engineered structures to safeguard the coastline. As part of this approach, the ongoing maintenance of the existing seawall should be investigated.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

- accommodating recreational activities, such as The Devonport Yacht Club Incorporated.

Kings Store Reserve - Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, Map ID 05

R 93 Old Lake Road, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 96342	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is mostly occupied by paved area and accommodates a mature specimen tree in the centre of the reserve.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities

Other information

- Possible future public toilet development from Devonport-Takapuna Local Board Toilet Assessment (2002).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the large trees on the site for amenity and shade, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Consider providing for public toilets and a drinking fountain on the park.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Kitchener Park – Suburb Map: Milford, Map ID 02

R 12 Dodson Avenue, Milford



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori
- Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Other notable vegetation
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 19 DP 9490	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 18 DP 7533	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Part Lot 6 Allot 86 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 17 DP 7533	Recreation reserve
5	Part Lot 6 Allot 86 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 2 DP 147226	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
7	Lot 2 DP 162661	Recreation reserve
8	Lot 16 DP 7533	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 4 DP 42836	Scenic reserve 19(1)(a)
10	Lot 3 DP 52085	Scenic reserve 19(1)(a)
11	Lot 2 DP 137413	Recreation reserve
12	Lot 15 DP 7533	Recreation reserve
13	Lot 2 DP 138427	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
14	Allot 317 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
15	Part Allot 86 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (5761: MIDDEN (SHELL), 5760: MIDDEN (SHELL)) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Historic Heritage Places (Midden R10_718, Midden R10_719) within or adjacent to the reserve.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists listed this reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8140) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Pūriri forest, (WF7)
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest, (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that environmental group Pupuke Birdsong has done planting in the reserve, and there is ongoing possum and rat trapping.
- Outstanding Natural Feature (Lake Pupuke volcano) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Organised sport and recreation - I.e. Milford Tennis Club Incorporated
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Conservation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The Navigation Bylaw 2021 specifies requirements on the lakes for certain water activities (including water skiing, diving, swimming, and using recreational vessels) and navigation safety and operating requirements (including licensing and permits, and restricted areas).
- The unformed ends of Pierce Road and Fenwick Avenue are maintained as part of the park but are legal road. While Auckland Council maintains this land, it is under the jurisdiction of Auckland Transport. The general policies and provisions of this plan will guide the local board's position and any future input into management or development of this area where it is sought.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Lake Pupuke – Pupukemoana - Reserve Management Plan 2005.
- This reserve contains remnants of a forest of ancient native trees, including pūriri and kohekohe that once covered much of Takapuna and Milford and is considered critically endangered by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to protect the large trees onsite for amenity, stability, and biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning etc.) where possible.
2. Recognise the importance of the park's provision for water sports, including the promotion of water-safety education.
3. Aim to protect and enhance the park's distinctive landform and natural

landscape values, retain open space areas of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes, and preserve lake views from the park.

4. Seek to avoid increasing the reserve's built footprint by limiting additional structures and support more efficient use or potential consolidation of existing buildings where appropriate. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the Authorisations for Park Use provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
5. Aim to recognize and incorporate the aspirations of mana whenua, who have a special association with the area, in the management of the park.
6. Seek to add interpretative signage to raise visitor awareness of cultural values and educate park visitors about the lake's history.
7. Collaborate with the community, mana whenua, and landowners to promote the expansion of lakefront connectivity to successive sites adjoining the lake.
8. Work with volunteers on pest control and planting initiatives in the park, in line with Policy 11.11 'Partnering and Volunteering' and 11.14 'Trees, Plants, and Animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan. These efforts will help protect significant Puriri forest remnants and and enhance the park's natural values, improve stormwater absorption, and reduce sediment runoff into the lake, while retaining recreational access to the lake and open space areas.
9. Aim to limit watercraft storage on the reserve. Where such storage can be considered it shall be managed through the Landowner Approval and Community Leasing processes, or their future equivalents.
10. Promote the reserve as a venue for daytime community and water sports events to encourage active and engaged use of the space.
11. Seek to install interpretive signage within the park that highlights its geological heritage and explains its relationships to Onepoto Domain and Tuff Crater – Te Ara o Matakamokamo, reinforcing the reserve's place within Tāmaki Makaurau's wider volcanic landscape.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Milford Tennis Club Incorporated.

Kiwi Reserve – Suburb Map: Stanley Point, ID 03

R 22 Kiwi Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 27 DP 340	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly grassed open space and playground space.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Playspace – Community

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to improve signage at the street frontage of the park.
2. When the playground is up for renewal consider not replacing this asset in favour of upgrading the playground at nearby Melrose Reserve.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Knightsbridge Reserve – Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, ID 08

R 60 Knightsbridge Drive, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 210 DP 58605	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 97 DP 59573	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 47 DP 57533	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed open space, playground space and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Playspace - community
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Pathways

Other information

- Auckland Council Operations notes poor drainage in this reserve.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- Drainage issues are apparent in the reserve during periods of heavy rain.

Management intentions

1. Seek to improve signage at the street frontages of the park.
2. Aim to promote the reserve for community events.
3. Seek to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes by avoiding further development where possible. Any further development of the reserve may also be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
4. Support opportunities to improve the management of water within the park, including additional planting and enhancing the ability of the reserve to hold water during storm events to reduce the risk of flooding in the local community.
5. Investigate opportunities for the creation of a community garden for food provision, education purposes and enhanced social connections.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Lake Pupuke Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 011

R 6 Kitchener Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Crown

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 44030	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 6 DP 209560	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 313068	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 2 DP 165203	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
5	Lot 2 DP 104695	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 6 DP 51497	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values recorded at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists listed this reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8140) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Outstanding Natural Feature (Lake Pupuke volcano) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Nature based activities

Other information

- This site is DOC-owned with Healthy Waters managing the water quality of Lake Pupuke.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The Navigation Bylaw 2021 specifies requirements on the lakes for certain water activities (including water skiing, diving, swimming, and using recreational vessels) and navigation safety and operating requirements (including licensing and permits, and restricted areas).
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Lake Pupuke – Pupukemoana - Reserve Management Plan 2005.

Management issues

- Future access connections across this reserve and Killarney Reserve highlight the need for careful long-term planning.

Management intentions

1. Promote the reserve for daytime community and water sports events, aiming to enhance public lake access.
2. Investigate the formulation of planting plans for appropriate vegetative species in suitable parts of the reserve to improve stormwater absorption and slow down sediment runoff into the lake.
3. Aim to retain lake views and protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation, conservation and visual amenity purposes, seeking to avoid new structures on the reserve and encouraging multiple uses of existing buildings. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the Authorisations for Park Use provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
4. Work with the community, mana whenua and landowners to promote the expansion of lakefront connectivity to successive sites adjoining the lake.
5. Aim to reduce weeds and pests from the reserve and plant more indigenous plant varieties where possible.
6. Consider opportunities for play, including natural play.
7. Aim to limit watercraft storage on the reserve. In such cases where watercraft storage may be considered, this can be done so through the Landowner Approval

and Community Leasing processes, or future equivalents

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Lake Town Green - Suburb Map: Hauraki, Map ID04

57 Jutland Road, Hauraki



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 38885	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly grassed area and playground space.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Play space - community

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to support the community in activating this space for play.
2. Aim to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section of plan – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
3. Consider further opportunities for natural play and additional trees for natural shade.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Lansdowne Reserve – Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 04

R 19 Lansdowne Street, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 157642	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird baitlines for rats.

Recreational values

- Beach access
- Informal recreation

Other information

- This is a small coastal reserve adjoining the road reserve at the cul-de-sac end of Lansdowne Street.
- There is a masonry seawall at the coastal edge of the road reserve adjoining the west of this reserve site. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- Some portions of the parkland have been subject to previous coastal erosion.

Management intentions

1. Develop and implement planting plans for the park to improve the stability of the coastal edge, provide shade and improve visual amenity.
2. Consider improving natural play opportunities.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Laurina Reserve – Suburb Map: Sunnynook, Map ID 03

R 2 Laurina Road, Sunnynook



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 67 DP 56404	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed area and smaller trees, planted to the south of the site.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Develop and implement planting plans for the park to improve stormwater absorption and add amenity.
2. Consider further opportunities for natural play.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Linwood Reserve - Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 09

R 24 Linwood Avenue, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Significant community partnerships

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 114 DP 57968	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 82 DP 116072	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 82 DP 160073	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 251 DP 53183	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that environmental group Pupuke Birdsong has undertaken planting and animal pest control in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Significant community partnerships
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Playspace – community
- Pathways

Other information

- This reserve provides an important link in the local greenway network, enabling improved connections to Greville Reserve, Sunnynook Reserve, William Souter Reserve, and Blakeborough Reserve. Strengthening these links will support safer movement and better access to key destinations.

Management issues

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management intentions

1. Aim to enhance local board-approved greenway access and ecological connections between this reserve and others nearby.
2. Seek to maintain the park for informal recreation activities, including expanding the range of play opportunities.
3. Support opportunities to improve the management of water within the park, including the ability to hold water during storm events to reduce the risk of flooding in the local community.
4. Develop and implement planting plans for the park to improve stormwater absorption and add amenity.
5. Promote the park for community events.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Marine Parade Reserve – Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID05

R 11 Sir Peter Blake Parade, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Crown
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 1 DP 19921	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 20033	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Part Lot 1 DP 19921	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8237 and SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities

Other information

- The reserve site features a boat ramp adjoining the foreshore, with concrete walls either side of this structure.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- A masonry seawall runs along the western (coastal) boundary of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Promote this reserve's connections to Quinton Park.
2. Seek to enhance the ecological values of the park through management of weeds and pests and undertake further planting to provide coastal stability and slow down sediment runoff into the harbour.
3. Investigate maintaining seawall adjoining coastal edge of site.
4. Investigate opportunities to retain the sandy beach area adjoining the park through coastal adaptation planning.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Marsh Reserve - Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID10

R 2 Marsh Avenue, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 33 DP 19726	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 32 DP 19726	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly grassed area and mature specimen trees located along the streetfront boundary.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Investigate opportunities for the creation of a community garden for food provision, education purposes and enhanced social connections.
2. Develop and implement planting plans for the park to improve stormwater absorption and add amenity.
3. In consultation with the community consider opportunities for adding play elements, including natural play.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Melrose Reserve – Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 11

R 26 Shoal Bay Road, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Auckland Harbour Bed	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 125 DP 333	Recreation reserve
3	Part Lot 23 DP 195	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 124 DP 333	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 123 DP 333	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
6	Lot 116 DP 333	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 117 DP 333	Recreation reserve
8	Lot 118 DP 333	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
9	Lot 119 DP 333	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed area with mature specimen trees planted throughout.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- This reserve is accessible from multiple entrances
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- Possible future public toilet development from Devonport-Takapuna Local Board Toilet Assessment (2022).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Promote this reserve as a multi-use space, encompassing active and passive recreational uses.
2. Aim to protect and enhance mature vegetation, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
3. Explore ways to promote the park for community events.
4. Develop and implement planting plans for the park to improve stormwater absorption and add amenity.
5. Consider expanding the play opportunities.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Midway Reserve - Suburb Map: Castor Bay, Map ID07

Midway Ave, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Organised sport and recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 26 DP 31388	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by tennis courts.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation - I.e. Castor Bay Tennis Club Incorporated

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

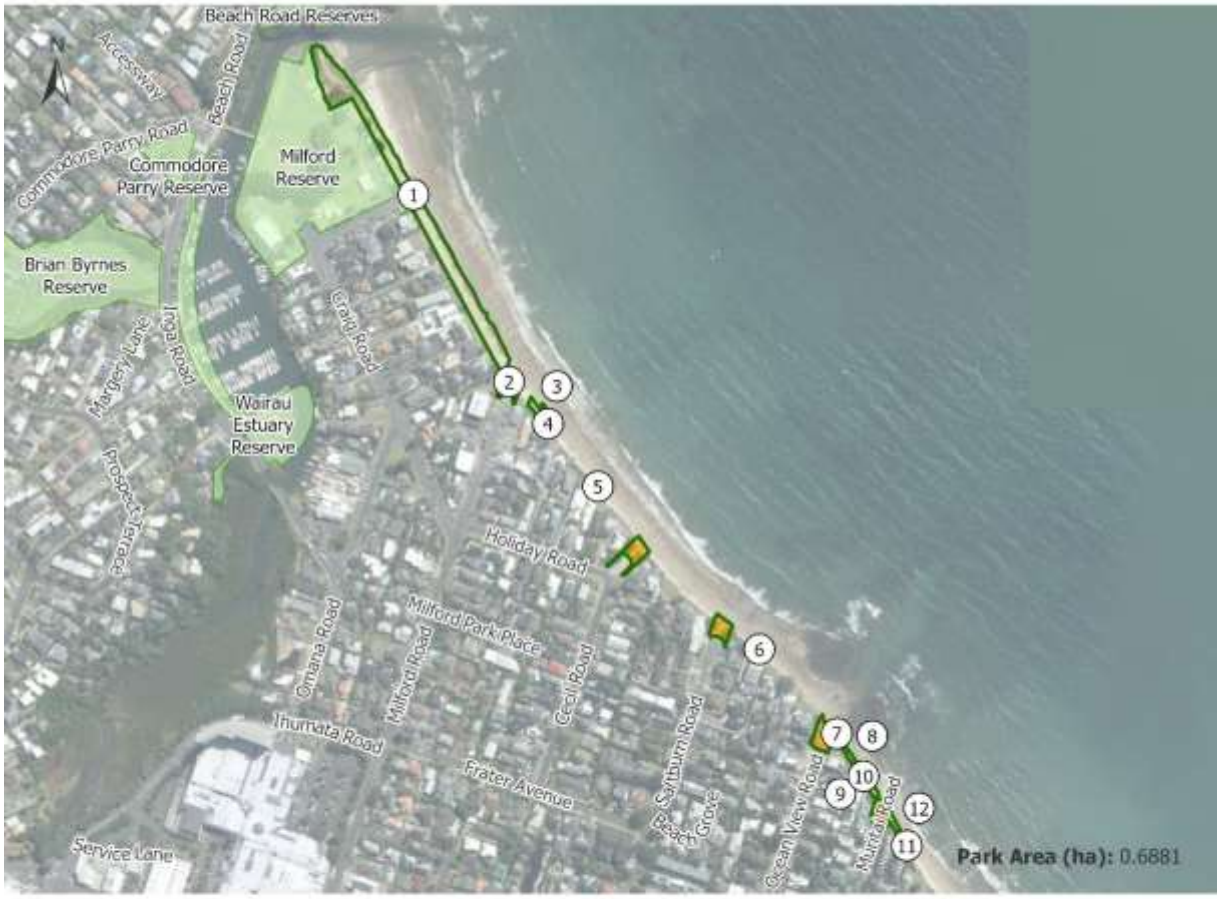
1. Explore opportunities to provide multi-use of the park where viable.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Castor Bay Tennis Club Incorporated.

Milford Beach Front Reserve – Suburb Map: Milford, Map ID 03

R 43 Saltburn Road, Milford



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 76 DP 12137	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 1 DP 162826	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 1 DP 164705	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 149621	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
5	Lot 3 DP 185313	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
6	Lot 4 DP 410808	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
7	Part Lot 19 DP 6892	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
8	Part Lot 20 DP 6892	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
9	Part Lot 21 DP 6892	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
10	Part Lot 23 DP 6892	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
11	Part Lot 56 DP 6892	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
12	Part Lot 55 DP 6892	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (258: Swimming Pool) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- This reserve is primarily composed of beach area, though it also contains several specimen trees toward the northern end.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, rowboats.
- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Conservation
- Nature based activities
- Education

Other information

- The reserve site features a seawall along the beach adjoining the north-eastern boundary and a small foreshore access ramp to the north. A masonry groyne extends toward the coast at the far northern end of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Work with mana whenua to raise awareness of the cultural values of the reserve and protect places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement. This could include the installation of interpretive signage.
2. Seek to maintain the mature trees (avoiding modification such as topping, canopy thinning, etc.) and seeking to further plant areas adjoining the coastal environment to filter stormwater runoff.
3. Investigate maintaining the Council-owned seawall and ocean access at the coastal edge of the various parcels that provide public access.
4. Work with Watercare, who own several adjoining coastal parcels, to protect the park's conservation and recreational values, particularly in maintaining public access along the shoreline.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Milford Reserve – Suburb Map: Milford, Map ID 04

24 Craig Road, Milford



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 75 DP 12137	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Part Lot 75 DP 12137	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Lot 71 DP 12137	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 73 DP 12137	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 74 DP 12137	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 72 DP 12137	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 70 DP 12137	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
8	Lot 1 DP 163726	Recreation reserve
9	Part Lot 46 DP 12137	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Maritime Site - Swimming Pool - Milford Swimming Pool - Ye Olde Pirate Shippe (CHI No. 258) recorded at the park.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by open grassed area, concrete courts/pathways and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Organised sports and recreation
- Conservation
- Nature based activities
- Play space - community

Other information

- The reserve features a seawall adjoining its eastern boundary. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- The Marine Biosecurity team notes that the reserve adjoins Milford Marina, where recreational vessels, seawalls, and haul-out/hardstand areas present high-risk pathways and establishment sites for non-native marine species.
- Some coastal erosion is occurring between the car park area and the beach at north end.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- Background information on the park's history, including its ecological values, can be found in the Milford Reserve Management Plan (1985, amended 2006).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to maintain the park for recreation activities, including beachside picnics, children's play and use of the basketball and volleyball courts, including possible additional nature play elements.
2. Work with mana whenua to raise awareness of the cultural values of the reserve and protect sites of interest, including places where artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement, which could include the installation of interpretive signage.
3. Seek to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation, conservation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section - Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
4. Consider opportunities that promote the reserve for community events and activations.
5. Aim to formulate planting plans for suitable parts of the reserve to improve stormwater absorption and dune stability.

6. Encourage ecological educational opportunities in the reserve.
7. Aim to eradicate weeds and pests from reserve.
8. Investigate maintaining Council-owned seawall at coastal edge of site.
9. Aim to improve disabled access through the park to the beach.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
  - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Milford Cruising Club Incorporated
  - and the Young Mariners of New Zealand Incorporated – Awataha,
  - and accommodating educational activities, such as The Scout Association of New Zealand.

Montgomery Reserve – Suburb Map: Belmont, Map ID 04

R 21 Montgomery Avenue, Belmont



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 66 DP 43549	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by open grassed area, a playground and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Play space - community

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation, conservation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section - Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
2. Develop and implement planting plans for the park to improve stormwater absorption and provide shade and amenity.
3. Consider methods of further activating the reserve for public use and community events.
4. Investigate opportunities for creation of a community garden for food provision, education purposes and enhanced social connections.
5. Consider expanding recreational opportunities, including natural play.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Mount Victoria (Takarunga) Cemetery - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 12

R 24 Kerr Street, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Significant community partnerships

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 1 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 24804	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Archaeological Site - Grave (CHI No. 18533) recorded at the park.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Historic Structure - Cemetery – Public Graveyard (CHI No. 3231) recorded at the park

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Restoring Takauranga Hauraki has undertaken rat control in the reserve.
- Geological / outstanding natural area or feature - Mt Victoria volcano (Takarunga) - ID 117 recorded at the park.

Recreational values

- Pathways
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- Auckland Council Operations notes this reserve site contains historic graves.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Mount Victoria – Takuranga Reserve Management Plan (1994).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain amenity and character of cemetery site.
2. Work with volunteers to manage pests and weeds.
3. Work with mana whenua to appropriately protect sites of interest with the wider settlement around the historical pā on Takaranga.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Napier-Harley Reserve – Suburb Map: Hauraki, Map ID 12

R 39 Napier Avenue, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 195898	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 5 DP 59370	Local purpose (utility) reserve
3	Lot 4 DP 426552	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 518402	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)

Recreational values

- Conservation
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation

Other information

- This reserve site is adjoined by a saltwater wetland at southern end.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- A cycle/pedestrian connection from this reserve to Esmonde Road is a local board aspiration as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to construct an access path for use in wet weather.
2. Explore the potential to provide a connection through the park to deliver on the local board-approved greenway plan.
3. Develop and implement planting plans for the park, aiming to protect aquatic habitats and uphold water quality.
4. Work to reduce weeds and pests from reserve.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Narrow Neck Beach – Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, ID 06

R 2 Old Lake Road, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 559 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Part Allot 3 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 79499	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 1 DP 79499	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (20198: MILITARY CAMP, 245: PORTAGE, 19725: Building - Community) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8256 and SEA-M2-61) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Restoring Takauranga Hauraki has undertaken rat control in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Pathways
- Informal recreation
- Conservation
- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Education
- Play space - community

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The reserve includes existing interpretative signage that highlights its military history, helping visitors understand the site heritage.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Fort Takapuna and Narrow Neck Reserve Management Plan (2010).
- A masonry seawall runs along the eastern boundary of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Promote this coastal reserve as a multi-use venue, encompassing active and passive recreational uses.
2. Support efforts to enhance ecology and control pests and weeds.
3. Aim to activate the park for community events.
4. When responding to coastal hazards, consider **holding the line** as the preferred shoreline adaptation strategy for the short to long term (0–100+ years). This approach focuses on defending council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding so they can continue to be used for their intended purposes. As part of this strategy, investigate the ongoing maintenance of the seawall and boat ramp at the site's coastal edge.

5. Seek to maintain the seawall and existing boat ramp.
6. Work with mana whenua who have a special association with the area on how best to partner effectively to manage this park. This could include adding interpretative signage to the reserve to raise awareness of cultural/historic values of the site.
7. Work with mana whenua to appropriately protect sites of interest including places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement.
8. Seek to protect the reserve's open space areas for recreation, conservation, and visual amenity purposes. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the 'Authorisations for Park Use' provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
9. Seek to restrict further carparking on grass areas of reserve.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Wakatere Boating Club Incorporated.

Ngataringa Bay Reserves - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 14

R 23 Jim Titchener Parade, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 408306	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 3 DP 482894	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 2 DP 180495	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Part Harbour Bed Survey Office Plan 64512	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant Ecological Areas: Significant ecological areas (SEA-M1-60e and SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Saline: Mangrove forest and scrub (SA1 and SA1.2)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Restoring Takauranga Hauraki has laid baitlines for rats in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Conservation

Other information

- This reserve site is adjoined by a wetland and concrete walls built along the coastal boundaries.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to maintain open space character and uphold coastal views from reserve. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section - Volume 1, Policy 12 of this plan.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Ngataringa Park – Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 15

27A Lake Road, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Organised sport and recreation
- Significant community partnerships

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Closed landfill and/or identified contaminated land
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 171325	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 77578	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 1 DP 77578	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 77578	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Saline: Mangrove forest and scrub (SA1.2)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Forest & Bird has laid baitlines for rats in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Pathways
- Informal recreation
- Conservation
- Significant community partnerships
- Education
- Community leisure and recreation

Other information

- This reserve is a former landfill site.
- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.
- There is a stacked rock seawall around the coastal boundaries. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- Potentially contaminated land - some or all of the site may be affected by contamination. Ground intrusive activities may be constrained to ensure the health and safety of the public and limit environmental risks. Activities or developments may require asset owner approval before works can commence. Contaminated land management plans may exist and should be referred to.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- Ngataringa Park's service direction is outlined in the local board's adopted Service Assessment, which emphasises improving recreation and access, protecting environmental and heritage values, and supporting community use through quality infrastructure, guided by clear planning and strong partnerships.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Reserve Management Plan for Ngataringa Park and Dacre Park (2004).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation, conservation, and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to the "Authorisations for Park Use" section - Volume 1, Policy 12 of this plan.

2. Collaborate with the Closed Landfills Team (or a future equivalent) to assess and manage the closed landfill sites and contaminated fill areas. Contamination management may require temporarily closing certain parts of the reserve to the public or restricting activities for safety reasons.
3. Seek to provide interpretive signage and maps to educate the public about the geographic history of Ngataringa Park and surrounding areas, which were originally salt marshes and swamp land before land reclamation began in the 1870s.
4. Work with volunteers on pest control and planting initiatives in the park, in accordance with Policy 11.11 "Partnering and Volunteering" and Policy 11.14 "Trees, Plants, and Animals" in Volume 1, Part D of this plan. These efforts aim to enhance the park's ecological values, improve stormwater absorption, and filter runoff into the harbour.
5. Collaborate with mana whenua, who have a special association with the area, to effectively manage the park. This may include adding interpretive signage, public art, and Māori cultural elements to raise awareness of cultural values.
6. Investigate the maintenance of the seawall along the coastal edges of the site.
7. Promote the use of the reserve for a variety of active and passive recreational activities, including natural play.
8. Provide ongoing support to the community garden, where appropriate, to assist in its success.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

    - accommodating community wellbeing activities, such as the Ngataringa Organic Garden Society Incorporated,
    - accommodating ecological activities, such as Devonport Peninsula Trust - Devonport (Restoring Takarunga Hauraki Charitable Trust),
    - and accommodating recreational activities, such as the North Shore United Association Football Club Incorporated – Devonport.

Nile Reserve – Suburb Map: Milford, Map ID 05

R 39 Nile Road, Milford



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 166 DP 8886	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by open grassed area, a playground and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Play space - community

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- There is a desire for parking adjoining the reserve, with adjoining streets regularly congested with parked vehicles accessing the nearby schools and hospital.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation, conservation and visual amenity purposes.
2. Investigate methods of incorporating further opportunities for play, including natural play.
3. Develop and implement planting plans for the reserve to improve stormwater absorption, provide shade and enhance amenity.
4. Seek to preserve parking availability for reserve users by monitoring parking pressures, acknowledging that nearby hospital and school activity can occupy surrounding street parking.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Northboro Reserve – Suburb Map: Belmont, Map ID 05

R 39 Northboro Road, Belmont



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Fauna e.g. birds, skinks / lizards, fish

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 157908	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 4 DP 168878	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 6 DP 168878	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 5 DP 168878	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
5	Lot 16 DP 15100	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
6	Lot 14 DP 41132	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 1 DP 25049	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
8	Lot 15 DP 41132	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 69 DP 40536	Recreation reserve
10	Lot 71 DP 40536	Recreation reserve
11	Lot 72 DP 40536	Recreation reserve
12	Lot 5 DP 59719	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory feature (19852: Midden) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_3391, SEA_T_8180 and SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that the reserve is subject to Forest & Bird baitlines for rats.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Shared paths
- Pathways

Other information

- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.
- A coastal bridge adjoining this reserve is part of the Devonport-Takapuna Green Route connection.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to retain the reserve as an open space area for recreation, conservation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section - Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
2. Seek to promote and protect the reserve's mature vegetation, avoiding modification such as topping or canopy thinning wherever possible.
3. Aim to reduce weeds and pests in reserve.
4. Consider opportunities for natural play, with an ecological focus.
5. Develop and implement planting plans to provide further shade and amenity, improve ecological values, enhance stormwater absorption and filter runoff to the harbour.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Northcroft Esplanade Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 13

R 40 Northcroft Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 14 DP 35349	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 1 DP 54144	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Lot 2 DP 27250	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
4	Lot 2 DP 311595	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
5	Lot 2 DP 189195	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Saline: Mangrove forest and scrub (SA1.2)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that environmental group Pupuke Birdsong has undertaken rat control and intends to plant in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Play space - community

Other information

- This reserve is adjoined by a saltwater wetland area to north.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- There is a future pedestrian connection along the foreshore joining Auburn Road and Esmond Road. This could link into the local board-approved greenway plan.
- Some portions of the park's parcels have been subject to erosion and may now be in the common marine and coastal area (CMCA).

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation, conservation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
2. Explore opportunities to provide further connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenway plan.
3. Work with volunteers on pest control and planting on the park, in line with Policy 11.11 (Partnering and volunteering) and Policy 11.14 (Trees, plants and animals) in Volume 1, Part D of this plan aiming to enhance ecological values in the park, improve stormwater absorption and filter runoff to the harbour.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Norwood Road Esplanade Reserve – Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 06

R 39 Beresford Street, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 376021	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Part Lot 28A DP 4787	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 101 DP 317921	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 157036	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8238 and SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- This park is made up of isolated and disconnected esplanade reserves adjoining the Bayswater peninsula to the south that are inaccessible to the public.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- These reserve parcels are currently isolated from other Council-owned areas, with one offering coastal access from the street.

Management intentions

1. Advocate to protect the coastal trees onsite for amenity, stability, and biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Seek to add improved signage to the road frontage of the accessway parcel.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable

O’Neill's Cemetery Park – Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 08

R 122 Bayswater Avenue, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Significant community partnerships

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 13 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 10 DP 36683	Recreation reserve
3	Part Allot 13 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
4	Lot 9 DP 38803	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (6034: MIDDENS - AGRICULTURAL DRAINAGE SYSTEM, 13135: CEMETERY) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Historic Heritage Place feature (Middens R11_971) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_3391, SEA_T_8180 and SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Saline: Mangrove forest and scrub (SA1.2)
  - Saline: Saltmarsh-Sea rush oioi (SA1.3.)
  - Wetland: Machaerina sedgeland, (WL11)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers note that the reserve is part of Forest & Bird's rat-control programme and has also benefited from past planting in Paddy's Bush, the vegetated area to the west.

Recreational values

- Pathways
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- Significant community partnerships
- Shared paths

Other information

- O'Neills Cemetery is an inactive cemetery site.
- Adjoined by a large saltwater wetland area.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- There is a future greenway connection proposed here if the greenway can be extended from Hill Park to the west with consecutive Council-owned property titles.

Management intentions

1. Recognise the presence of historic grave sites.
2. Seek to protect the large trees around the boundaries of the site for amenity, enhanced terrain stability and greater biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
3. Investigate methods of working with mana whenua to appropriately protect sites of interest indicating Māori settlement.
4. Seek to manage weeds and pests on the site.
5. Explore opportunities to provide further connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

O'Neill's Park – Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 07

R 2 Bayswater Avenue, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

Informal recreation

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 6 DP 7002	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 5 DP 7002	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 4 DP 7002	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 7002	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 2 DP 7002	Recreation reserve
6	Lot 1 DP 7002	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed open space.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- A park sign states that the land was gifted as a local children's play area, and historical records show it formed part of the O'Neill family's landholdings and later subdivision. Therefore, any transfer of the land to council may simply have been for a nominal sum.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to promote the reserve's connections to other surrounding reserve spaces.
2. Investigate opportunities for the creation of a community garden for food provision, education purposes and enhanced social connections.
3. Work with the community to investigate opportunities for further recreational activation, including the option of developing a new play space.
4. Aim to increase public's awareness of the park, including further signage and developing additional park entrances.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Ōperetū / Fort Takapuna Reserve – Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, Map ID 04

170A Vauxhall Road, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori
- Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Other notable vegetation
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Significant community partnerships

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Crown

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Section 3 SO 355498	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Maori Heritage Area - Wahi Tapu Area - Wahi Tapu Area - Pa - Pa - Urupa - Urupa - Battle Site – Kainga (CHI No. 11785) recorded at the park.
- Archaeological Site – Miltary Fortification – Fort Takapuna (Operetu) (CHI No. 9555) recorded at the park.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Historic Structure – PILLBOX (CHI No. 136899), Historic Botanical Site - Tree - Moreton Bay Fig (CHI No. 19621), Historic Structure - PILLBOX - (CHI No. 13672), Historic Structure - FORT - Fort Takapuna/ Fort Cautley Military Complex (CHI No. 20117) are recorded at the park.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists describe this reserve as one of the top 10 ecologial reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8256 and SEA-M2-61) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report Restoring Takarunga Hauraki volunteers are undetaking rat control in this reserve.
- Outstanding Natural Feature (Narrow Neck structual discordance) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Notable Trees (Moreton Bay Fig) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Nature based activities
- Walking trails
- Pathways
- Significant community partnerships
- Informal recreation
- Education
- Conservation

Other information

- Auckland Council manages the recreation reserve to the south of the site, adjoining Vauxhall Road, and Department of Conservation (DOC) manages the historic reserve containing the old fort and the entire coastal edge, to the north and north-east of the site. The New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF) manages the land with the sports field to the east of the Auckland Council-managed land.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Fort Takapuna and Narrow Neck Reserve Management Plan (2010).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to work with mana whenua to acknowledge and protect the site's cultural heritage, landscape values, and significant views—particularly those

toward Rangitoto—through interpretive signage and storytelling that also deepens public understanding of the area's military history and cultural significance.

2. Seek to work with mana whenua to raise awareness of historic and cultural values within the reserve, including historical pā and places where artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement.
3. Strengthen collaboration with neighbouring landowners, including DOC and the NZDF, to ensure alignment on future development and restoration initiatives.
4. Work with NZDF and DOC, who manage the adjoining sites, to develop an ecological restoration program and improve connections, including mobility access, to enhance mutual benefits.
5. Investigate methods of increasing public awareness about matters that can detrimentally impact ecological values in the park. This can include installation of signage to educate park users on pest and weed control.
6. Consider expanding play opportunities, including natural play.
7. Explore ways to restrict carparking on the grassed areas of the park.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating community activities, such as the Devonport Peninsula Trust - Narrow Neck,
    - and accommodating senior advocacy activities, such as Grey Power North Shore Incorporated.

Patuone Park - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 14

R 69 Anzac Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks
- Advocacy parcels
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Section 2 SO 475100	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- A plaque within the park acknowledges Eru Patuone; “a noted chieftain of the Ngapuhi tribe.”

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed surface and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Nature based activities

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to manage this as an amenity area, protecting the existing sightlines through the park and providing for passive recreation.
2. Investigate methods of protecting the large, mature trees within the reserve, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Patuone Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID15

R 8 Greydene Place, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks
- Advocacy parcels
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 140386	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- This reserve is named after Eruera Maihi Patuone, a significant Ngāpuhi rangatira (chief) and peacemaker, who was a leading figure of the Ngāti Hao hapū and an influential advisor during early interactions between Māori and Europeans.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists have listed this reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological area (SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Saline: Mangrove forest and scrub (SA1.2)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest and Bird baitlines for rats, there is also an ongoing corporate volunteer project with Oceanbridge and environmental group Pupuke Birdsong involving planting and rat/possum trapping.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Shared path
- Conservation

Other information

- A coastal boardwalk is built through this reserve.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.

Management issues

- Some portions of the park's parcels have been subject to erosion and may now be in the common marine and coastal area (CMCA).

Management intentions

1. Aim to maintain and promote the reserve as a site for commuting connections and informal recreation.
2. Investigate ways of protecting the existing mature trees that provide terrain stability, enhanced amenity and shade to the walkway, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
3. Work with volunteers on pest management and ecological restoration in line with Policy 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and Policy 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of this plan, to protect and enhance the natural values within the park.
4. Develop and implement planting plans to improve stormwater absorption, improve ground stability and filter runoff to the harbour.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Philomel Reserve - Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 09

R 39 Philomel Crescent, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 28 DP 37884	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Forest & Bird baitlines for rats, also Restoring Takarunga Hauraki has undertaken planting in this reserve. The Rangatahi Project is also active on the site with funding from Auckland Council Climate Action Team and Restoring Takaranga Hauraki.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- This reserve is accessible from multiple entrances

Other information

- This reserve is adjoined by a large saltwater wetland.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The Devonport-Takapuna Green Route runs through O'Neils Cemetery Reserve, adjacent to Philomel Reserve. Philomel Reserve should support the functioning of the greenway network.

Management issues

- There is a future greenway connection proposed through the reserve if the greenway can be extended from Hill Park to the west with consecutive Council-owned property titles.

Management intentions

1. Consider opportunities that activate the park for casual public use.
2. Explore opportunities to provide connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.
3. Work with volunteers on pest management and ecological restoration in line with sections 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of this plan.
4. Consider opportunities for expanding play, including natural play.
5. Support planting initiatives in this reserve, especially adjacent to the coast to slow down sediment runoff to the ocean, protect aquatic habitats and improve water quality.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Plymouth Reserve – Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 10

R 9 Plymouth Crescent, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Fauna e.g. birds, skinks / lizards, fish

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Closed landfill and/or identified contaminated land
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Crown
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Allot 73 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 208 DP 42896	Recreation reserve
3	Allot 69 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 2 DP 65155	Recreation reserve
5	Allot 67 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
6	Lot 8 DP 372319	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
7	Allot 66 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
8	Lot 9 DP 372319	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
9	Allot 65 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
10	Allot 72 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
11	Allot 71 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
12	Lot 24 DP 46166	Recreation reserve
13	Allot 63 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
14	Allot 70 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
15	Allot 64 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
16	Lot 3 DP 183684	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists describe this reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_3356 and SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird baitlines for rats.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- This reserve is accessible from multiple entrances
- Play space - community

Other information

- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.
- Potentially contaminated land – some or all of the site may be affected by contamination. Ground intrusive activities may be constrained to ensure the health and safety of the public and limit environmental risks. Activities or developments may require asset owner approval before works can commence. Contaminated land management plans may exist and should be referred to.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The Devonport–Takapuna Green Route (a 6.5–8 km coastal pathway between Devonport and Takapuna) passes through this reserve and forms an important part of the wider greenway network. The reserve should continue to support the functioning of this route, which connects Takapuna Beach with the Devonport Ferry Terminal.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Explore further opportunities to provide connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.
2. Develop and implement planting plans for the park to enhance ecological values, improve stormwater absorption, filter runoff to the harbour, and provide further amenity.
3. Work with Closed Landfills Team (or future equivalent) to investigate and determine the management of closed landfill site such as this and contaminated fill areas. Contamination management may involve temporarily closing parts of the reserve to the public or restricting activities for safety reasons.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Probert Park - Suburb Map: Forrest Hil, Map ID 11

R 36 Merriefield Avenue, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 67 DP 67414	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA _T_8140) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to increase public awareness of the park through improved signage and vegetation thinning at the Meadowvale Street frontage.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Promenade Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 16

R 198 Hurstmere Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Other notable vegetation
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 202353	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 208407	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8140) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Geological / outstanding natural area or feature
    - Lake Pupuke volcano - ID 74 recorded.

Recreational values

- Water access
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The Navigation Bylaw 2021 specifies requirements on the lakes for certain water activities (including water skiing, diving, swimming, and using recreational vessels) and navigation safety and operating requirements (including licensing and permits, and restricted areas).
- This park is made up of one reserve parcel adjoining Lake Pupuke, disconnected from the street and other reserves.

Management issues

- This reserve parcel is currently inaccessible to the public as an isolated esplanade reserve between Henderson Park and Killarney Park.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- Install interpretive signage within the park that highlights its geological heritage and explains its relationships to Onepoto Domain and Tuff Crater – Te Ara o Matakamokamo, reinforcing the reserve's place within Tāmaki Makaurau's wider volcanic landscape.

Management intentions

1. Monitor potential options for connecting this reserve to other reserves adjoining Lake Pupuke as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Quarry Lake Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 17

R 2E Northcote Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Allot 701 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 147 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 149 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 148 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 150 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
6	Part Allot 89 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
7	Lot 151 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
8	Lot 152 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 153 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
10	Part Allot 73 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
11	Lot 3 DP 203328	Recreation reserve
12	Lot 155 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
13	Part Allot 89 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
14	Lot 154 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
15	Lot 156 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
16	Lot 157 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
17	Lot 158 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
18	Lot 159 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
19	Lot 160 DP 8074	Recreation reserve
20	Part Lot 161 DP 8074	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8140) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Outstanding Natural Feature (Lake Pupuke volcano) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Restoring Takauranga Hauraki has planted in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- Pathways

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The Navigation Bylaw 2021 specifies requirements on the lakes for certain water activities (including water skiing, diving, swimming, and using recreational vessels) and navigation safety and operating requirements (including licensing and permits, and restricted areas).
- Northcote Road is a legal road that provides access into the park and significant on road paid parking.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Lake Pupuke – Pupukemoana - Reserve Management Plan 2005.

Management issues

- Parts of this reserve are Crown owned land, through the Department of Conservation. There is a maintenance agreement being progressed through Land Advisory.

Management intentions

1. Explore opportunities to plant low-growing vegetative species in suitable parts of the reserve to improve stormwater absorption and slow down sediment runoff to the lake.
2. Investigate methods of removing weeds and pests from the reserve.
3. Seek to retain lake views and protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes.
4. Aim to encourage multiple uses of buildings and structures on reserve land.
5. Monitor potential options for connecting this reserve to other reserves adjoining Lake Pupuke as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.
6. Aim to limit watercraft storage on the reserve. In such cases where watercraft storage may be considered, this can be done so through the Landowner Approval and Community Leasing processes, or future equivalents.
7. Install interpretive signage within the park that highlights its geological heritage and explains its relationships to Onepoto Domain and Tuff Crater – Te Ara o Matakamokamo, reinforcing the reserve's place within Tāmaki Makaurau's wider volcanic landscape.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Auckland Canoe Polo Society Incorporated,

- the North Shore Canoe and Youth Club Incorporated,
- and the North Shore Rowing Club Incorporated.

Queens Parade Reserve – Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 17

Queens Parade, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Harbour Bed Survey Office Plan 20236	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Recorded in the Unitary Plan Historic Overlay – 1149 E.W. Allison Memorial and Clock and 1155 Commemorative Sea Wall.
- A Historic maritime site – CHARLOTTE - MORNING LIGHT - WAITEMATA - JOHN BRODIE RUSSELL - ENTERPRISE - ASPASIA - P.S. HAURAKI 1874 - P.S. MANAIA 1874 - S.S. HANNAH MOKAU 1878 (CHI no. 267) is recorded at the park
- A Historic structure - E.W. Allison Memorial and Clock (CHI no. 2412) is recorded at the park.

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by vegetated space adjoining the coast and a paved carparking area adjacent to the Devonport ferry terminal.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, dinghies
- Informal recreation
- Water access

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- A masonry seawall runs along the southern (coastal) boundary of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.

Management issues

- Some portions of the parkland have been subject to previous coastal erosion.

Management intentions

1. Seek to survey the eastern parcel of this reserve to remove the carpark and entrance to the ferry terminal building from the parkland.
2. Seek to bolster low-growing planting within this reserve to provide terrain stability and slow down sediment runoff into the ocean.
3. Seek to protect the large trees within the site for amenity, stability, and biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning etc.) where possible.
4. Investigate maintaining the seawall at the coastal edge of the site.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Quinton Park - Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 11

R 1 Sir Peter Blake Parade, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 415557	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 187 DP 4787	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Lot 188 DP 4787	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
4	Lot 189 DP 4787	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
5	Lot 1 DP 165058	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8237) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Conservation

Other information

- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The unformed area of Marine Terrace is maintained as part of the park but is legal road. While Auckland Council maintains this land, it is under the jurisdiction of Auckland Transport. The general policies and provisions of this plan will guide the local board's position and any future input into management or development of this area where it is sought.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Promote this reserve's connections to other surrounding reserves where possible.
2. Maintain and seek to bolster planting within this reserve to provide coastal stability and slow down sediment runoff into the ocean.
3. Seek to protect the large trees around the boundaries of the site for amenity, stability, and biodiversity, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning etc.) where possible.
4. Consider opportunities for further recreational activations, including provision of play.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Rahopara Pā – Castor Bay, Map ID 08

R 20 The Esplanade, Castor Bay



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori
- Wāhi tūpuna (ancestral sites) including historical pā and places where other artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 7 DP 8563	Historic reserve
2	Lot 8 DP 8563	Historic reserve

Cultural values

- Archaeological Site – Midden (Shell)- (CHI No. 5576), PA (HEADLAND) - Raahopara - Rahoparaoperetu Ps (CHI No. 9096) recorded at the park.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Historic Structures – BUILDING-MILITARY-Pillbox (CHI No. 13801), Fortification/Military - J.F Kennedy Memorial Park Gun Battery (CHI No. 18532), Coast Defence Battery - Castor Bay Observation Post - Castor Bay Battery and Camp (CHI No. 13743) are recorded at the park.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists listed this reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8242) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that environmental group Pupuke Birdsong has undertaken rat control in the reserve.
- Outstanding Natural Feature (Kennedy Park deformed Waitematā strata) within or adjacent to this parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- For the part of the parks historical background, refer to the previous Management Plan for J.F. Kennedy Memorial Park (1985).

Management issues

- The clifftop nature of this reserve puts the parkland at risk from coastal erosion over time and may be exacerbated by storm events.

Management intentions

1. Work with mana whenua to appropriately protect sites of interest including historical pā and other places where artefacts have been found indicating Māori settlement.
2. Explore further opportunities to provide connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.
3. Work with volunteers on pest management and ecological restoration in line with Policy 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and Policy 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan, in order to protect and enhance the natural values within the park.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Richards Reserve - Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 12

R 18 Richards Avenue, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 10 DP 32331	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed open space.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- The reserve is difficult to notice from the street due to its narrow frontage and limited visual permeability.

Management intentions

1. Seek to improve the park's street-front visibility through clearer, more consistent signage, including wayfinding at key entry points and improved sightlines from the road. Signage should help highlight the park's amenities and its connections to the wider network.
2. Work with volunteers on pest management and ecological restoration in line with Policy 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and Policy 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan, in order to protect and enhance the natural values within the park.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

  - accommodating cultural activities, such as the Shoreside Phoenix Arts Centre Trust.

Sandy Bay Reserve - Suburb Map: Bayswater, ID 12

R 7 Sandy Bay Road, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 26 DP 38171	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8180 and SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- Sandy Bay Road, that runs along the western boundary of the park, provides access to a Council-maintained boat ramp.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- This reserve forms part of a future greenway connection, but non-contiguous landownership has so far prevented it from linking through to the nearby O'Neill's Point Cemetery.

Management intentions

1. Consider opportunities that activate the park to encourage greater casual use.
2. Explore opportunities to provide connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.
3. Support planting initiatives in this reserve, particularly around the coastal boundary to slow down sediment runoff into the ocean, protect aquatic habitats and improve water quality.
4. Aim to improve the site's ecology through pest and weed control and allow salt marshes to reestablish by leaving coastal site edges unmown.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Secret Cove – Suburb Map: Stanley Point, Map ID 04

60A Stanley Point Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 9 DP 3651	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8236) within or adjacent to parkland.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Coastal access from the street

Other information

- There is a jetty/landing and foreshore access structure currently built on the coastal edge of the reserve.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain the access connection through the reserve from Stanley Point Road to the coast.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Seine Reserve – Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 13

R 12 Seine Road, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
2	Section 2 Survey Office Plan 622727	Recreation reserve
1	Section 1 Survey Office Plan 622727	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by open grassed area, a playground and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Community garden
- Play space - community
- Education

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified at the time of writing.

Management intentions

1. Aim to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation, conservation and visual amenity purposes. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
2. Support planting initiatives in this reserve, particularly around improving stormwater absorption.
3. Seek to add additional paths to improve year around accessibility.
4. Consider opportunities for further wheel play facilities.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating educational activities, such as Auckland Kindergarten Association - Forrest Hill,
    - and accommodating community wellbeing activities, such as Forrest Hill Community Garden Trust (Grow Forrest Hill).

Sir Peter Blake Reserve – Suburb Map: Bayswater, Map ID 13

23-27 Sir Peter Blake Parade, Bayswater



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 23387	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 3 DP 50556	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- This reserve is named after Sir Peter Blake, the renowned New Zealand sailor, environmentalist, and explorer. His achievements in global sailing and his later environmental leadership continue to inspire marine conservation efforts across Aotearoa.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed surface and paved carpark space.
- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8238 and SEA-M2-60b) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies

Other information

- Recognize that the reserve is adjacent to Bayswater Marina, where recreational boats can act as vectors for non-native marine species. Additionally, the adjoining seawall poses a risk for the establishment of these invasive species, necessitating vigilant management and preventive measures to protect the local marine ecosystem.
- The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- The reserve's proximity to Bayswater Marina increases the risk of non-native marine species arriving via recreational vessels, and the adjoining seawall provides habitat for their establishment. Ongoing monitoring and proactive management are needed to protect the local marine ecosystem.

Management intentions

1. Maintain the mature native trees and seek to bolster planting within this reserve to provide terrain stability and slow down sediment runoff into the harbour.
2. Encourage use of the park for water-based activities and education about the marine environment.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Smiths Bush Scenic Reserve – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 18

R 42 Akoranga Drive, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present

Recreation values

- Informal recreation

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 1 DP 31225	Scenic reserve 19(1)(a)

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8144) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Mild: Kahikatea forest (MF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that community environmental organisation Pupuke Birdsong Project have implemented rat control, infill planting and weeding in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Conservation
- Pathways

Other information

- This is the smaller of two areas of the original Smiths Bush area that was bisected by the Northern Motorway.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Onewa Domain and Smiths Bush Scenic Reserve Management Pan (1993) that covers this site and the adjacent reserve sites in the Kaipātiki Local Board area.

Management issues

- Increasing pedestrian activity will need to be balanced with protecting the reserve's scenic and visual amenity elements.

Management intentions

1. Seek to strengthen active transport connections through this reserve, including investigating opportunities to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.
2. Work with volunteers on pest management, litter control and ecological restoration in line with Policy 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and Policy 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan, in order to protect and enhance the natural values within the park.
3. Seek biosecurity advice on managing plant and animal pests without introducing kauri dieback.
4. Seek to use the reserve site as an ecological educational asset.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Spencer Esplanade Reserve – Suburb Map: Hauraki, Map ID 06

R 25 Spencer Terrace, Hauraki



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 352704	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA-M2-60a) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Conservation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- This reserve parcel is currently isolated from other Council-owned reserve areas and inaccessible to the public.

Management intentions

1. Explore opportunities to provide further connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenway plan.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

St Pauls Cemetery – Suburb Map:

Devonport, Map ID 13

100A Victoria Road, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 2 DP 464763	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Outstanding Natural Feature (Mt Victoria volcano (Takarunga)) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Pathways
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Conservation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- Auckland Council Operations team reports there are historic grave sites in this reserve.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain the amenity and character of the cemetery site.
2. Work with volunteers to support efforts to enhance the ecology of the mature trees and manage pests and weeds.
3. Work with mana whenua to appropriately protect sites of interest, including the historical pā site, on Takaranga / Mt Victoria.
4. Maintain the existing pedestrian access and seek to improve disability access connections to Takaranga / Mt Victoria.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Stanley Bay Beach Reserve – Suburb Map: Stanley Point, Map ID 05

R 147 Calliope Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Crown
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Allot 48 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
2	Allot 49 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Part Lot 93 DP 1055	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird rat control.

Recreational values

- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies

Other information

- A pontoon is usually located off this beach (dependant on resource consent status), and a concrete wall is located alongside the beach on the coastal boundary
- The reserve adjoins Auckland Transport–owned Stanley Bay Wharf, which is regularly exposed to vessel-borne marine pests, and it also borders the existing seawall.
- The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- Boat ramp and dingy lockers are present onsite.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.

Management issues

- Some portions of the park's parcels have been subject to erosion and may now be in the common marine and coastal area (CMCA).

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the mature pohutukawa on the park for amenity, shade and beachfront stability, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Work with volunteers to maintain weed and pest control, working with community groups and mana whenua.
3. When responding to coastal hazards, consider **holding the line** as the preferred shoreline adaptation strategy for the short to long term (0–100+ years). This approach focuses on defending council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding so they can continue to be used for their intended purposes. As part of this strategy, investigate the ongoing maintenance of the seawall along the site's coastal edge.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Stanley Bay Park – Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 06

R 166 Calliope Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Harbour Bed Deposited Plan 15479	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 159 Allot 31 Section 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Allot 47 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory feature (19713: Building - tennis club) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird rat control.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. Ngataringa Tennis Club Incorporated - Clubrooms/Seniors and Ngataringa Tennis Club Incorporated - Juniors
- Community leisure and recreation
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- This reserve is accessible from multiple entrances
- Play space - community
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment

Other information

- Auckland Council Operations team report that work is underway to make the reserve more usable through upgrade of the existing building adjoining the sports fields and tennis courts to include new toilets and changing facilities.
- To the north the park adjoins a large open space area managed by the New Zealand Defence Force
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- There is an existing tennis club proposal to expand tennis court activities in this reserve.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. When planning and managing future development, ensure that open space within the reserve is retained for public recreation, passive surveillance, and access to the adjoining beach. The seaward edges of the park should remain free of built development to protect sightlines and maintain informal access to the coast. Any future proposals for development are likely to require mana whenua engagement and public consultation. Refer to Volume 1, Policy 12: 'Authorisations for park use' of this plan.
2. Encourage sporting bodies to collaborate in using the park, including potentially sharing resources.
3. Seek to strengthen access connections with Jim Titchener Parade, adjoining the New Zealand Defence Force-owned land to the north of the reserve, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.
4. Investigate opportunities to work with Auckland Transport to improve active transport connections to Stanley Bay Beach Reserve.

5. Work with volunteers on pest control and planting in the park, in line with Policy 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and Policy 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of this plan to enhance the park's natural values, improve stormwater absorption and filter runoff to the harbour.
6. Seek to manage the reserve to provide for a variety of active sport and recreation uses, including potentially installing fitness activations.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Ngataringa Tennis Club Incorporated – Juniors and Seniors.

Stanley Point Cyril Bassett Lookout - Suburb Map: Stanley Point, Map ID 07

R 87 Stanley Point Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 7 DP 26846	Local purpose (plantation) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8236 within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird rat control.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation long term that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- The park offers picturesque views, particularly over the Waitematā Harbour towards the city centre.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to retain the focus of the park as an advantageous viewing spot for activities on the harbour, ensuring that visitors can enjoy the scenic views.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Stanley Point Esplanade Reserve – Suburb Map: Staney Point, Map ID 08

R 69 Stanley Point Road, Stanley Point



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 3 DP 79078	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 3 DP 180206	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 3 DP 164918	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 311987	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
5	Lot 2 DP 119348	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological area (SEA_T_8236) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest (WF4)
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird rat control.

Recreational values

- Conservation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- This park is made up of several isolated esplanade reserves that are currently inaccessible to the public.

Management issues

- These reserve parcels are currently isolated from other Council-owned areas and inaccessible to the public.

Management intentions

- None identified.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Sunnynook Bush – Suburb Map: Sunnynook, Map ID 05

R 32 Lyford Crescent, Sunnynook



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Fauna e.g. birds, skinks / lizards, fish

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 90 DP 82922	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
2	Lot 34 DP 155985	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 91 DP 82923	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 164640	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
5	Lot 2 DP 163954	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Regenerating: Broadleaved scrub/forest (VS5)
  - Pūriri Forest Ecosystem arm: Coastal broadleaved forest, (WF7)

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that community environmental organisation Pupuke Birdsong Project has undertaken planting in the reserve.

Recreational values

- Conservation
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Education
- This reserve is accessible from multiple entrances

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

- The park adjoins the north-western boundary of Sunnynook Primary School.

- There is enhanced greenway connections proposed to the south (accessing Sunnynook Park), south-east (accessing Linwood Reserve) and to the south-west (accessing Sunnynook Bus Station).

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- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Reserve Management Plan – Sunnynook Park (1997).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Explore opportunities to provide improved connections through the park, including investigating options to deliver on the local board-approved greenways plan.

2. Work with volunteers on pest management, litter control and ecological restoration to enhance the natural values within the park in line with sections 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan.

3. Seek biosecurity advice on managing plant and animal pests without introducing kauri dieback.

4. Seek to use reserve site as an ecological educational asset.

5. Explore opportunities for nature play.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Sunnynook Park - Suburb Map: Sunnynook, Map ID 06

90 Sunnynook Road, Sunnynook



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Other notable vegetation
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 103846	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
2	Lot 143 DP 48448	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 157 DP 52415	Recreation reserve
4	Lot 158 DP 52415	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 127 DP 49191	Recreation reserve
6	Part Lot 237 DP 64113	Recreation reserve
7	Part Lot 237 DP 64113	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
8	Lot 6 DP 64113	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 5 DP 64113	Recreation reserve
10	Lot 1 DP 64114	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
11	Lot 3 DP 64113	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
12	Lot 4 DP 64113	Recreation reserve
13	Lot 2 DP 64114	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Notable Trees (Gum) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. Scout Association of New Zealand - Sunnynook Scout Group, Glenfield Rugby League & Football Club & Associated Sports Incorporated, Royal New Zealand Plunket Trust - Sunnynook
- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Shared paths
- Play space - community
- Community events
- Fitness and exercise activities
- Significant community partnerships
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment

Other information

- Auckland Council Operations team report that the skate park is moving to Sunnynook Square.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The outdoor civic space adjacent to the playground and community centre is available for informal recreation activities.
- A sprinkler system has been installed to service the four sports fields.
- There are wheeled sports enhancements proposed around the skate bowl.
- This reserve is accessible from multiple entrances.

Management issues

- A detention pond has been constructed to temporarily store stormwater during major flood events. With a capacity of 50,000 cubic metres, it improves overall flood management and helps reduce the severity of flooding within the surrounding catchment.

Management intentions

1. Investigate the construction of sports field floodlights to expand the use of this reserve at night. This could also include the lighting of some perimeter areas to enhance the safety of users.
2. Investigate ways of protecting the mature trees around the site boundaries for amenity and biodiversity reasons, avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
3. Manage the park as a hub for active recreation, while also accommodating activities such as picnicking, children's play, pop-up activations, and community events. Any further development within the reserve may require public consultation, as outlined the 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
4. Support planting initiatives in this reserve, particularly around improving stormwater absorption.
5. Explore opportunities to improve active transportation connections throughout

the park, including provisions for wheeled sports, improved wayfinding signage, and delivering on the local board-approved greenways plan.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Glenfield Rugby League & Football Club & Associated Sports Incorporated,
    - accommodating community wellbeing activities, such as the Royal New Zealand Plunket Trust – Sunnynook,
    - and accommodating educational activities, such as The Scout Association of New Zealand.

Sunnynook Square – Suburb Map: Sunnynook, Map ID 07

R 130 Sunnynook Road, Sunnynook



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 124455	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed open space and paved concrete courts/pathways.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways

Other information

- Auckland Council Operations team report that the skate park at Sunnynook Park is being moved to this reserve.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- A future wheeled sports enhancement project is currently being developed in this reserve.

Management intentions

1. Seek to upgrade the playground and improve recreation facilities.
2. Investigate ways of improving the connection to the north of the reserve, where the reserve adjoins the shops.
3. Investigate the promotion of the park for casual community events and activations.
4. Seek lighting improvements for additional community safety around the Sunnynook shops.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Sylvan Park – Suburb Map: Milford, Map ID 06

R 17 Sylvan Park Avenue, Milford



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Other notable vegetation
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Significant community partnerships

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 12 DP 7524	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Lot 11 DP 7524	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 14 DP 7524	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
4	Lot 13 DP 7524	Recreation reserve
5	Part Lot 3 DP 1381	Recreation reserve
6	Part Lot 4 DP 1381	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
7	Lot 5 DP 53442	Recreation reserve
8	Part Lot 3 DP 1381	Recreation reserve
9	Part Lot 2 DP 47313	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
10	Lot 3 DP 171662	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
11	Lot 4 DP 53442	Recreation reserve
12	Lot 2 DP 171662	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
13	Lot 1 DP 171662	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
14	Part Lot 1 DP 71509	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
15	Lot 33 DP 49199	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory feature (13101: BUILDING - EDUCATIONAL) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council ecologists listed this reserve as one of the top 10 ecological reserves in the local board area.
- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8140, SEA_T_8141 and SEA_T_8142) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that environmental group Pupuke Birdsong have been implementing rat and possum control and past planting in the reserve.
- Outstanding Natural Feature (Lake Pupuke volcano) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- The parkland includes notable tree(s), including Karaka (grove). Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Forest Warm: Coastal broadleaved forest, (WF4)
  - Forest Warm: Pūriri forest, (WF7)
  - Wetland: Machaerina sedgeland, (WL11)
- This reserve contains remnants of a forest of ancient native trees, including pūriri and kohekohe that once covered much of Takapuna and Milford and is considered critically endangered by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN).

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Significant community partnerships
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Education
- Shared pathway
- Conservation
- Community events

Other information

- Auckland Council Operations team report that Sylvan Park is popular for wind-driven and paddle water sports. The reserve needs improved watercraft access to the water.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The Navigation Bylaw 2021 specifies requirements on the lakes for certain water activities (including water skiing, diving, swimming, and using recreational vessels) and navigation safety and operating requirements (including licensing and permits, and restricted areas).
- Some portions of the park's parcels on the lake edge are now submerged.
- The walkway that connects to Henderson Park is closed from September through December to protect wildlife during the breeding season.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Lake Pupuke – Pupukemoana - Reserve Management Plan 2005.
- There is possible pedestrian path improvements proposed to connect to Henderson Park as part of a local board-approved greenways plan.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Promote the reserve for daytime community and water sports events.
2. Aim to protect open space areas of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes, retaining lake views from the park.
3. Seek to avoid new structures on the reserve. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the Authorisations for Park Use provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
4. Work with volunteers on pest and weed control and planting on the park, in line with Policy 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Part D of Volume 1 of this plan. This work aims to protect the significant Puriri forest remnants and the park's natural values, as well as improve stormwater absorption and slow down sediment runoff to the lake.
5. Consider further opportunities for play, including natural play.
6. Aim to recognise the aspirations of mana whenua in the management of this park.
7. Install interpretive signage within the park that highlights its geological heritage and explains its relationships to Onepoto Domain and Tuff Crater – Te Ara o Matakamokamo, reinforcing the reserve's place within Tāmaki Makaurau's wider volcanic landscape.
8. Investigate maintaining the lake wall at southern boundary of site.
9. Aim to limit watercraft storage on the reserve. In such cases where watercraft storage may be considered, this can be done so through the Landowner Approval and Community Leasing processes, or future equivalents.
10. Aim to enhance recreational access to the lake from the reserve.
11. Investigate the construction of a formed path connecting Sylan Park and Henderson Park as part of the local board-approved greenways plan.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating educational activities, such as the Auckland Kindergarten Association – Milford,
    - and accommodating disability services activities, such as the New Dawn Partnership Incorporated.

Taharoto Park – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 19

13 Taharoto Road, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Allot 74 Takapuna PSH	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed open space and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation
- Organised sport and recreation – i.e. Lake Pupuke Tennis Club Incorporated, Takapuna City Association Football Club Incorporated, The Scout Association of New Zealand - Takapuna Scout Group and North Shore Brass Incorporated

Other information

- Two council-owned football fields are located to the east of the site and four tennis courts are in the northern corner of the reserve.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Taharoto Park Management Plan (1994).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to manage the reserve to provide for a variety of active sport and recreation uses.
2. Explore opportunities to provide a neighbourhood play space to meet the gap in play provision in the local area.
3. Develop a strategic succession planting plan for the mature reserve trees to increase the age and species diversity, maintaining and enhancing the reserve's natural character.
4. Seek to limit new commercial signage, including affixed on buildings and structures within the reserve. Any proposed signage may be subject to public consultation and/or may require resource consent. Refer to 'Signs, information and interpretation' section of plan – Volume 1, policy 11.13 of the plan.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities, such as the Lake Pupuke Tennis Club Incorporated
    - the Takapuna City Association Football Club Incorporated,
    - accommodating cultural activities, such as the North Shore Brass Incorporated,
    - and accommodating educational activities, such as The Scout Association of New Zealand.

Takapuna Aquatic Centre Building – Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 20

37 Killarney Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 3 DP 1558	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve
2	Part Lot 2 DP 1558	Local purpose (community buildings) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed open space, the aquatic centre building and associated paved carpark.

Recreational values

- Community leisure and recreation
- Informal recreation

Other information

- No further information.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Aim to encourage connectivity for pedestrians, cyclists and disabled persons with the adjacent Killarney Park.
2. Seek to maintain the perimeter vegetation for amenity.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Takapuna Beach Map 1– Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 21

R William Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Other notable vegetation
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 172522	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 1 DP 310793	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Allot 581 PSH OF Takapuna	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 167963	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
5	Lot 3 DP 18295	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
6	Lot 2 DP 310793	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
7	Lot 2 DP 183331	Recreation reserve
8	Lot 5 DP 170281	Recreation reserve
9	Lot 4 DP 170281	Recreation reserve
10	Part Lot 7 DP 121049	Recreation reserve
11	Part Lot 1 DP 50844	Recreation reserve
12	Part Lot 6 DP 121049	Recreation reserve
13	Section 2 SO 67932	Recreation reserve
14	Part Lot 3 DP 121049	Recreation reserve
15	Part Lot 1 DP 121049	Recreation reserve
16	Part Lot 19 DP 4872	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
17	Part Lot 18 DP 4872	Recreation reserve
18	Part Lot 17 DP 4872	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Takapuna Beach Map 2

R William Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Cultural values

- Landscapes/areas of cultural significance to Māori

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Other notable vegetation
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 6 DP 391353	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 359509	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 3 DP 89563	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Lot 3 DP 162492	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
5	Lot 5 DP 160923	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
6	Lot 6 DP 160923	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
7	Lot 3 DP 38971	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
8	Part Allot 30 Sec 1 PSH OF Takapuna	Local purpose (accessway) reserve
9	Lot 3 DP 164854	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- The beach reserve includes the Te Uru Tapu / Sacred Grove site, which holds significant spiritual value for Māori and must be protected.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (13933: MIDDEN, 986: SHED/BATHING HOUSE, 2115: Trees-Indigenous) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Notable Trees features (Pōhutukawa (4), Norfolk Island Pine, Pōhutukawa (15), Norfolk Island Pine (3), Pōhutukawa x12) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
  - Significant ecological area (SEA-M1-62, SEA_T_8251).

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies.
- Community leisure and recreation
- Significant community partnerships
- Informal recreation
- Education
- Conservation
- Organised sport and recreation - I.e. Takapuna Boating Club Incorporated – Clubrooms.
- Nature based activities
- Pathways
- Community events
- Play space - community
- Fitness and exercise activities
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment.

Other information

- This park is made up of parcels that include:
  - The popular main park area off The Strand
  - The parkland under the sacred pohutukawa and around the boat ramp at the north end of the beach
  - Isolated esplanade reserves along the beach
  - Accessway from Willaim Street to the beach - and unformed road ends of Bloomfield Spa.
- A masonry seawall, dinghy ramp and scour protection pad/spillway (located below the existing stormwater outlet) adjoin the coastal edge of this reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- An accessible beach mat is seasonally installed from Takapuna Reserve to the beach by a charity, although it could be relocated in future.
- During storm events, areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that in the longer term will temporarily limit the use of some areas.

- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- The unformed road ends of Bloomfield Spa are maintained as part of the park but are legal road. While Auckland Council maintains this land, it is under the jurisdiction of Auckland Transport. The general policies and provisions of this plan will guide the local board's position and any future input into management or development of this area where it is sought.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Takapuna Beach Reserve Management Plan (2013)

Management issues

- Some portions of the park's parcels have been subject to erosion and may now be located in the common marine and coastal area (CMCA).
- Future residential growth in the surrounding area is expected to increase the use of the reserve.

Management intentions

1. Maintain the park for informal recreation activities, including natural play opportunities catering to different ages and abilities.
2. Work with mana whenua to appropriately protect sites of interest including the historical pā and sites of potential Māori settlement. This includes the Te Uru Tapu site at the north of the beach that has a strong spiritual significance to mana whenua. Additionally, explore opportunities for interpretative signage to raise awareness of the associated cultural values.
3. Work with mana whenua who have connections to the park to manage the area effectively, recognizing the cultural importance of waka and canoe launching on the beach and associated events.
4. Support community and mana whenua-led ecological initiatives, including weed and pest control and coastal planting with native species endemic to the area, to strengthen habitat resilience, improve water quality and reinforce ecological integrity.
5. Seek to install stormwater detention features and replace impervious surfaces with permeable materials on reserve parcels to reduce runoff and support natural filtration before it reaches the ocean.
6. Seek to protect the trees onsite for amenity and beachfront stability, including those within Te Uru Tapu, avoiding modifications such as topping and canopy thinning where possible.
7. Aim to promote the use of this space for further public events.
8. Investigate improving disability access through the reserve and to the beach.
9. Investigate methods of promoting the use of the all-abilities playground onsite.
10. Seek to uphold the spacious character of the reserve for recreation and visual amenity purposes and maintain views over the Hauraki Gulf. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation, as outlined in the 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
11. Seek to restrict general vehicle access to the beach to protect the coastal ecosystem and prioritise pedestrian and mobility-focused access. Where viable, allow only essential operational vehicles, such as surf lifesaving or emergency services, to access the beach.
12. When responding to coastal hazards, adopt a "hold-the-line" approach for the

short to long term (0–100+ years). This involves defending council-owned assets and land from erosion and flooding so that key areas remain functional. As part of this approach, investigate the maintenance of the existing seawall at the reserve's coastal edge.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
  - accommodating recreational activities, such as Takapuna Boating Club Incorporated – Clubroom.

Takapuna Rose Gardens - Potters - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 22

R 42 Anzac Street, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Other notable vegetation

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 7 Block X DEEDS T 17	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory feature (2100: Tree) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Notable Trees (Monterey Cypress) within or adjacent to the parkland. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Informal recreation
- Community events
- Play space - community

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- The reserve site is the start of a linkage involving Waiwhahariki / Anzac Square, Hurstmere Green, and onwards towards Takapuna Beach.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to preserve and enhance the mature vegetation growing onsite for amenity and shade, avoiding modifications such as topping and canopy thinning where possible. Additionally, aim to bolster planting within the reserve to increase stormwater absorption.
2. Investigate ways of enhancing the proposed connection from the reserve into Waiwhahariki - Anzac Square and towards Takapuna Beach.
3. Aim to provide further natural play elements within the reserve, to create engaging and educational experiences for children.
4. Seek to maintain the reserve for openness and informal recreation, serving as a place for respite amid increasing development. Note that any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation, as outlined in the 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
5. Investigate opportunities to increase the amenity of the site, further emphasising the rose gardens.
6. Promote the use of this space for small scale events, fostering community engagement and enjoyment of the reserve.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Takāraro / Mount Cambria Reserve - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 12

R 33A Vauxhall Road, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Significant community partnerships

Hazards and constraints

- Closed landfill and/or identified contaminated land
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 4 DP 131812	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 5 DP 131812	Local purpose (museum and parking) reserve
3	Lot 3 DP 131812	Local purpose (tree nursery) reserve
4	Lot 2 DP 131812	Local purpose (accessway) reserve

Cultural values

- Sites of Significance to Mana Whenua (Takāraro) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (13114: BUILDING - ECCLESIASTICAL, 6832: PA (VOLCANIC HILL)) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Restoring Takauranga Hauraki has undertaken rat control in the reserve and Friends of Mt Cambria Museum has undertaken weeding and planting in the stone gardens behind the museum.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation
- Community garden
- Pathways
- Nature based activities
- Significant community partnerships

Other information

- Potentially contaminated land – some if not all of the site may be affected by contamination. Ground-disturbing activities may be limited to protect public health and the environment. Any activities or development may require asset-owner approval before works begin. Existing contaminated-land management plans should be referred to where relevant.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Reserve Management Plan for Mt Cambria Reserve (1996).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to provide for a wide variety of recreational uses within the reserve, ensuring it meets the diverse needs of the community.
2. Aim to protect open space areas of the reserve. Any development may be subject to public consultation, as outlined in the 'Authorisations for park use' section - Policy 12 of Volume 1 of this plan.
3. Provide ongoing support to the community garden, where appropriate, to assist in its success.
4. Support efforts to enhance the reserve's ecology by eradicating pests and weeds and undertaking further planting initiatives.
5. Work with mana whenua to raise awareness of the cultural values of the reserve and appropriately protect sites of interest, including those indicating Māori settlement.
6. Consider further opportunities for natural play, to create engaging and educational experiences for all ages.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating community wellbeing activities, such as the Devonport

Community Gardens Society Incorporated,

- and accommodating historical activities, such as the Devonport Historical and Museum Society Incorporated.

Thorne Bay Recreation Reserve - Suburb Map: Takapuna, Map ID 23

R 28 Minnehaha Avenue, Takapuna



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Significant ecological and biodiversity areas
- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast
- Geological and landscape features

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Crown
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Lot 16 DP 16529	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
2	Part Allot 83 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
3	Lot 3 DP 349323	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
4	Section 1 SO 68419	Recreation reserve
5	Lot 3 DP 370804	Subject to Local Government Act 2002
6	Section 3 SO 68419	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Significant ecological areas (SEA_T_8253, SEA-M1-62 and SEA-M1-62) within or adjacent to the parkland.
- Outstanding Natural Features (Takapuna Reef fossil forest and cliff lava exposures) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Informal recreation
- Conservation
- Water access

Other information

- This park is made up of several isolated esplanade reserves from the end of Tiri Road to beyond Minnehaha Avenue.
- The park forms part of the popular Milford to Takapuna walkway.
- The unformed area of Tiri Road is maintained as part of the park but is legal road. While Auckland Council maintains this land, it is under the jurisdiction of Auckland Transport. The general policies and provisions of this plan will guide the local board's position and any future input into management or development of this area where it is sought.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- A masonry seawall runs parts of the eastern (coastal) boundary of the reserve. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.

Management issues

- Some portions of the park's parcels have been subject to erosion and may now be in the common marine and coastal area (CMCA).

Management intentions

1. Maintain the park for informal recreation activities, including swimming and children's play.
2. Promote pedestrian access through this reserve, including potentially the construction of associated directional signage.
3. Work with mana whenua who have a special association with the area on how best to partner effectively to manage this park. This could include adding interpretative signage to reserve to raise awareness of cultural values.
4. Seek to install interpretive signage and maps that highlight the geological connection between the coast and Lake Pupuke, while showcasing Tāmaki Makaurau's volcanic landscape and the cultural and spiritual significance of wai (water) as taonga.
5. When responding to coastal hazards, consider **holding the line** as the preferred shoreline adaptation strategy for the short to long term (0–100+ years). This approach focuses on defending council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding so they can continue

to be used for their intended purposes. As part of this strategy, investigate the ongoing maintenance of the seawall along the site's coastal edge.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Torpedo Bay Reserve - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 19

R42 King Edward Parade, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

Water access

Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

Coastal hazards

Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

Other parks

Advocacy parcels

Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Allot 40 Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Subject to Local Government Act 2002

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (664: MONUMENT (HISTORIC), 12215: HISTORIC SHIPYARD/TIMBER MILL) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that this reserve is subject to Forest & Bird rat control.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, canoes
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities

Other information

- A boat ramp is located to the east of the reserve. Stairs provide access to the beach to the west of the reserve.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to protect the mature trees at the coastal edge of the reserve site for amenity and beachfront stability, including avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.
2. Seek to manage the reserve to provide for a variety of informal recreation uses.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Wairau Estuary Reserve - Suburb Map: Milford, Map ID 07

R 1 East Coast Road, Milford



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Water access
- Informal recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 170413	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 3 DP 113025	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve
3	Lot 1 DP 160137	Local purpose (esplanade) reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- Auckland Council Community Parks Rangers report that Milford Residents Association and environmental group Pupuke Birdsong have implemented rat control in the reserve, also Healthy Waters revegetation project using conservation volunteers for cleanups and planting.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Water activities - swimming and water access for watercraft e.g. Yachts, canoes, dinghies

Other information

- This park is made up of the land around the Milford Marina and isolated esplanade reserve parcels along the Wairau Estuary between Kitchner Road and Inga Road.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- This reserve is adjoined by a large saltwater wetland.
- Areas of the parkland are vulnerable to coastal erosion. Over time, this can impact on recreational use, park assets and facilities.
- Auckland Council's island and marine biosecurity programmes are relevant to this site. The programmes' focus on preventing the spread of plant, animal and marine pest species including the invasive seaweed exotic caulerpa – by raising awareness, educating and undertaking surveillance and compliance on the rules designed to protect our islands and marine environment from pests. Boat operators are encouraged to have adequate pest control and to regularly check gear and boats for signs of pests before heading out. Maintaining a clean hull with year-round maintenance will also reduce pressure on facilities in peak periods.

Management issues

- The western side of the reserve provides poor pedestrian safety and amenity, requiring people to walk behind parked vehicles with no clear separation between the pedestrian route and vehicle area.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain the existing vegetation along the estuary edge for stability and to filter stormwater runoff into the estuary. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
2. Work with volunteers on pest management, litter control and ecological restoration in line with sections 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan, in order to protect and enhance the natural values within the park and improve water quality within the estuary.
3. Investigate maintaining the seawall and boat ramp at the coastal edge of the site.
4. Improve the footpath on the western side of the reserve to provide a safer, clearly defined pedestrian route that is more separated from vehicle access.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:

- accommodating recreational activities, such as the Milford Mariners Incorporated.

Wairoa Road Reserve - Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, Map ID 08

R 1 Wairoa Road, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Part Reclaimed Land Deposited Plan 693	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory feature (19722: Sporting Facility) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- Reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed area and mature specimen trees.

Recreational values

- Education
- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Organised sports and recreation

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain the existing vegetation along the estuary edge for stability and to filter stormwater runoff into the estuary. Any further development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
2. Work with volunteers on pest management, litter control and ecological restoration in line with sections 11.11 'Partnering and volunteering' and 11.14 'Trees, plants and animals' in Volume 1, Part D of the plan, to protect and enhance the natural values within the park and improve water quality within the estuary.
3. Investigate maintaining the seawall and boat ramp at the coastal edge of site.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
  - accommodating recreational activities, such as the North Shore Croquet Club Incorporated
  - and accommodating community wellbeing activities, such as the Royal New Zealand Plunket Trust – Devonport.

William Souter Reserve - Suburb Map: Forrest Hill, Map ID 15

R 39 William Souter Street, Forrest Hill



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Terrestrial and wetland ecosystems present
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space

Hazards and constraints

- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks
- Advocacy parcels
- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 11 DP 106603	Recreation reserve
2	Lot 43 DP 46010	Recreation reserve
3	Lot 11 DP 116073	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- This reserve is predominantly occupied by grassed open space and mature specimen trees.
- The following ecosystems are present within the parkland:
    - Regenerating: Mānuka, kānuka scrub, (VS3)

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Nature based activities
- Play space - community

Other information

- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Seek to maintain and enhance the access connection through the reserve.
2. Develop and implement planting plans for the park, including protecting mature vegetation, riparian planting for channel bank stability, and vegetation to improve stormwater absorption, sediment control, and overall park amenity.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable.

Windsor Reserve - Suburb Map: Devonport, Map ID 19

R 2 Victoria Road, Devonport



List of values associated with park

Heritage values

- Historic sites including archaeological sites, structures, gardens and trees

Natural values

- Other notable vegetation
- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Connection
- Informal recreation
- Community leisure and recreation facilities
- Play space
- Event

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Lot 1 DP 110322	Local purpose (library and civic) reserve
2	Lot 2 DP 110322	Recreation reserve
3	Part Allot 22C Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve
4	Part Allot 22C Sec 2 PSH OF Takapuna	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- No detailed information held.

Heritage values

- Cultural Heritage Inventory features (13230: Tree - Exotic, 3234: MONUMENT, 20373: Midden, 11722: Naval Station - Shipyard, 279: SURVEY DATUM POINT - FLAGPOLE, 235: DEFENCE - SHED SITE (TORPEDO BOAT), 12218: Historic Naval Depot - Civilian Shipyard, 4: HULK, 13138: STRUCTURE - PLAQUE) within or adjacent to the parkland.

Natural values

- The parkland includes notable tree(s), including Moreton Bay Fig and Canary Island Date Palm. Notable trees are scheduled for additional protection in the Unitary Plan. Notable Tree Overlay rules apply for works in the parkland.

Recreational values

- Water activities - swimming and water access for small craft e.g. Kayaks, waka ama, dinghies
- Community leisure and recreation
- Devonport Library building is located on the northern portion of the site
- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Community events
- Play space - community
- Nature based activities
- The reserve supports a large urban residential catchment

Other information

- Auckland Council's island and marine biosecurity programmes report this reserve is adjoined by a seawall that is a high incident establishment area for marine non-native species. The Weiti Estuary to Devonport Shoreline Adaptation Plan (2025) sets out the long-term strategy for managing coastal processes affecting this reserve and other land along the Devonport Peninsula. For more detail, see page 46.
- Auckland Council Operations team reports that this reserve is very busy with events.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous draft Reserve Management Plan for Windsor Reserve (1999).

Management issues

- No issues identified.

Management intentions

1. Preserve and enhance the existing mature vegetation around the Devonport Library building where appropriate, including avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.)
2. Consider opportunities that promote the reserve for community events.
3. Seek to maintain open areas of the reserve park for casual recreation use. It is noted that development of the reserve may be subject to public consultation. Refer to 'Authorisations for park use' section – Volume 1, policy 12 of this plan.
4. Consider providing further natural play opportunities.
5. Maintain access routes and seek to enhance disabled access within the reserve.
6. When responding to coastal hazards, consider **holding the line** as the preferred shoreline adaptation strategy for the

short to long term (0–100+ years). This approach focuses on defending council-owned land and assets from erosion and flooding so they can continue to be used for their intended purposes. As part of this strategy, investigate the ongoing maintenance of the seawall and breakwater along the site's coastal edge.

Leases and licences

- Not applicable

Woodall Park - Suburb Map: Narrow Neck, Map ID 09

R 2 Old Lake Road, Narrow Neck



List of values associated with park

Natural values

- Park with stream running through or that is adjacent to the coast

Recreation values

- Informal recreation
- Play space
- Organised sport and recreation

Hazards and constraints

- Coastal hazards
- Closed landfill and/or identified contaminated land
- Other hazards or constraints

Mapping features

- Other parks

Advocacy parcels

- Road

ID	Appellation	Land status
1	Section 6 Block VI Rangitoto SD	Recreation reserve
2	Part Lot 2 DP 19288	Recreation reserve

Cultural values

- Refer to mana whenua for more information about cultural values associated with the reserve.

Heritage values

- No heritage values identified at the time of writing.

Natural values

- The site is predominantly vegetated. Land use to the south-western corner includes part of the Waitematā Golf Course.

Recreational values

- Informal recreation
- Pathways
- Organised sport and recreation
- Nature based activities

Other information

- The reserve is mostly vegetated and is located on a former landfill site.
- A car park is located along the north-eastern boundary of the site, while a building housing squash courts and other recreational activities, together with adjoining outdoor tennis courts, is situated at the south-eastern corner.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to inundation from stormwater runoff.
- During storm events areas of the parkland may be subject to coastal inundation that will temporarily limit the use of some areas.
- The local board has indicated its intention to pursue the development of a skate park within the reserve to respond to community demand, particularly for youth recreation. The local board is currently investigating potential locations for the new skate facility within the park, as well as facility size and technical and safety considerations. The local board acknowledges that this is an important decision for the community. Any submissions received about the skate park through this LPMP public notification process will be shared with the relevant planning workstream, and the local board will engage with the community and affected stakeholders once preferred option(s) have been identified, and prior to any decisions being made in relation to the skate facility.
- For the parks historical background, refer to the previous Reserve Management Plan for Woodall Park (1997).

Management issues

- The reserve occupies a former landfill site, which influences its ecological values and results in land use constraints.
- Future enhancements to wheeled sports and basketball activities are currently being developed in this reserve.

Management intentions

1. Protect the visual amenity and openness of the vegetated areas of the reserve by limiting development and maintaining public recreation use, visual connections into the reserve, and access to the beach. Any future development may require further assessment and appropriate engagement and consultation, including with mana whenua where required, and be subject to relevant authorisations under this plan and applicable statutory requirements. This may include the 'Authorisations for Park Use' provisions in Volume 1, Policy 12 of the plan.
2. Seek to protect the mature trees onsite for amenity and shade, including avoiding modification (topping, canopy thinning, etc.) where possible.

3. Seek to support pest control programs and further planting to improve stormwater absorption, including planting of native vegetation along the waterway adjacent to the tennis court.
4. Pursue opportunities to enhance recreational provision within the reserve, including natural play and a new skate park, subject to relevant further assessments and consultation.
5. Collaborate with Closed Landfills Team (or future equivalent) to investigate and determine the management of the closed landfill site and contaminated fill areas. Contamination management may involve temporarily closing parts of the reserve to the public while any works or restricting certain activities for safety reasons while work is being undertaken.
6. When considering future park development proposals, take account of the design proposals in local board-approved spatial, concept or master plans for the park. Also consider periodically reviewing this plan to ensure proposals remain relevant and reflect the changing needs of park users.

Leases and licences

- Contemplated leases and licences within existing footprints for:
    - accommodating recreational activities undertaken by the Waitematā Golf Club Incorporated within Area A, being the golf course area occupying the south-western part of Woodall Park. It is noted that Area B occupies much of the adjoining Alison Park.

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