



Introduction to Waikanae Beach Reserve

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The Waikanae Beach Recreation Reserve stretches from the mouth of the Waikanae Creek along the coast to Midway. The foreshore reserve continues on past Midway adjacent to the road reserve of the Centennial Marine Parade. This proposed management plan only covers that part of the reserve that runs from the Waikanae Creek to Grey Street. The area described as **the reserve** for the purposes of this proposed plan is enclosed by Awapuni Road, the coast and Grey Street.

This proposed management plan describes how the reserve is to be managed for the use and enjoyment of recreational users. It is concerned with the long-term aims of the reserve management. It is based upon the reserve's qualities and expected public use. The means of achieving the aims are set out in the form of objectives and policies for the day to day management of the reserve, which are derived from the provisions of the Reserve Act 1977.

Attached to the Plan is a development proposal which sets out the immediate priorities for providing facilities as a part of an ongoing works programme. This is a design solution which will require budget approval from Council for its implementation.

The contents of the Plan have emerged from the suggestions and ideas from individuals and organisations who have responded to the Council's invitation to participate in its preparation. The Plan will require updating as circumstances require to ensure its contents continue to meet local needs.