

## Appendix 4 Surf breaks

[The regional coastal plan [rcp] provisions are not operative until the Minister of Conservation has formally approved the regional coastal plan part of the Auckland Unitary Plan.]

All provisions in this appendix are regional coastal plan [rcp].

ID	Name	Location	Break Type	Seabed Composition	Description
1	Te Arai Beach (including Pacific Road access point 'Black Swamp')	East Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good wave quality suitable to all skill levels. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Good access.
2	Pakiri Beach (North - 'Forestry')	East Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good wave quality suitable to all skill levels. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Good access.
3	Pakiri Beach (South)	East Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good wave quality suitable to all skill levels. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Good access.
4	Goat Island	East Coast	Reef break	Rock/sand	Semi exposed reef break. Relatively inconsistent. Good to high wave quality suitable to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with little development. Good access.
5	Daniels Reef	Leigh, East Coast	Reef break	Rock	Exposed reef break. Relatively consistent. High wave quality suitable to experienced surfers. Good access.
6	Boulders	Leigh, East Coast	Reef breaks	Rock/sand	Exposed variable reef breaks. Frequently surfable. Good to high wave quality suitable to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with a lack of development. Difficult access.

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7	Omaha Beach and Bar	East Coast	Beach break, bar break, groyne breaks	Sand	Semi exposed beach, bar and groyne breaks. Provides wave quality suitable to learners relatively consistently. Occasionally provides good wave quality suitable to competent surfers. High amenity values and good facilities. Good access.
8	Tawharanui	East Coast	Beach break	Sand/ patches of rocky reef	Exposed beach break. Relatively consistent. Average to good wave quality suitable to all skill levels. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Good access.
9	Orewa Beach and Bar	East Coast	Beach break, bar break	Sand	Sheltered beach and bar breaks. Inconsistent. Wave quality highly suitable to and valued by learners and novices. High amenity values and good facilities. Good access.
10	Red Beach	East Coast	Beach break	Sand	Sheltered beach break. Inconsistent. Wave quality highly suitable to and valued by learners and novices. Good facilities and access.
11	Long Bay Reef	East Coast	Reef breaks	Rock	Sheltered reef break. Inconsistent but good wave quality suitable for competent surfers. Difficult access
12	Milford Beach and Reef	East Coast	Reef and beach breaks	Rock and sand	Sheltered reef break. Inconsistent. Good wave quality suitable for novice to competent surfers. Highly valued and utilised urban surf break. Good access.
13	O'Neills Reef	Takapuna, East Coast	Reef/po int break	Rock	Sheltered reef break. Inconsistent. Good wave quality suitable for novice to competent surfers. Highly valued and utilised urban surf break. Good access.

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14	North Reef (Takapuna)	Takapuna, East Coast	Reef break	Volcanic reef	Sheltered reef break. Inconsistent. Good wave quality suitable for novice to competent surfers. Highly valued and utilised urban surf break. Good facilities and access.
15	Takapuna Beach and South Reef	East Coast	Beach and reef breaks	Sand and rock	Sheltered beach and reef breaks. Inconsistent, poor to average wave quality, however highly valued and utilised urban surf break. Suitable for learners to competent surfers. Good facilities and access.
16	Orere Point	East Coast	Point break	Boulders/ cobbles	Sheltered point break. Inconsistent. Good wave quality suitable to novice to competent surfers. Good access.
17	Rimmers Road	West Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Adequate access.
18	Muriwai Beach (South)	West Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable to competent to experienced surfers. High amenity value and good facilities. Good access.
19	Maori Bay	West Coast	Beach break, reef break	Sand, rock	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Good facilities and access.

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20	Te Henga (Bethells Beach)	West Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Good facilities and access.
21	O'Neill Bay	West Coast	Beach break, rip reform break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Access requires 10-15 minute walk.
22	Anawhata	West Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Adequate access.
23	Whites Beach	West Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. 'Wilderness' experience with lack of development. Difficult access.
24	Piha	West Coast	Beach break, bar break	Sand	Exposed beach break and bar break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suited for competent to experienced surfers. High amenity values and good facilities. Good access.

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25	Karekare	West Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Good access.
26	Whatipu	West Coast	Inner harbour , beach break	Sand	Sheltered inner harbour beach break. Infrequent. Average wave quality suitable to competent surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with lack of development. Adequate access
27	Kariotahi Beach	West Coast	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Good access.
28	Whangapoua (Okiwi)	Great Barrier Island	Bar break	Sand	Exposed bar break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. High wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with low level of development. Access across estuary mouth.
29	Awana Bay	Great Barrier Island	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach break that is frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable for competent to experienced surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with low level of development. Good access.
30	Palmers Beach and Kaitoke Beach	Great Barrier Island	Beach break	Sand	Exposed beach breaks that are frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high quality wave suitable to competent surfers. Offers a 'wilderness' experience with low level of development. Adequate access.

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31	Medlands Beach/Shark Alley	Great Barrier Island	Beach break, reef break	Sand/rock	Exposed beach and reef breaks that are frequently suitable for wave riding. Good to high wave quality suitable to competent surfers. Good access.
32	Onetangi Beach	Waiheke Island	Beach break	Sand	Sheltered beach break. Low to average wave quality suitable for learners to competent surfers. Good access.
33	Palm Beach	Waiheke Island	Beach break	Sand	Sheltered beach break. Low to average wave quality suitable for learners to competent surfers. Good access.