Schedule 7 Outstanding Natural Landscapes Overlay Schedule [rcp/dp] Introduction

The factors in <u>B4.2.2(1)</u> have been used to determine the areas included in Schedule 7 Outstanding Natural Landscapes Schedule, and will be used to assess proposed future additions to the schedule.

WESI criteria

Environment Court decision Wakatipu Environmental Society Inc v Queenstown Lakes District Council C180/1999 [2000] NZRMA 59 included a set of factors for assessing landscape significance. These are included in policy <u>B4.2.2(1)</u>.

PC 78 (<u>see</u> <u>Modifications</u>)

[new text to be inserted]

		ONL De	scription					WESI Criter	ia		
ID	Name	Locatio	Landscape type,	Elements	Nat	ural Science F	actors	Aestheti	c Values	Expressivene	Transient
		n	Nature and Description	patterns, processes	Geological Topographi cal	Ecological	Dynamic	Memorability	Naturalness	ss	values
2	Ararimu Valley West	West Rodney	Hill Country Wild nature (hill country) Hill ridge sequence overlooking the Ararimu Valley that descends to the Ararimu stream, overlaid by a mixture of remnant native forest and shrubland on the higher slopes and ridge tops, and also following local stream corridors, intermixed with open pasture on the unit's margins.	Retention of indigenous vegetation reinforcing topography. Maintaining low levels of built modification.	High Clearly defined sequence of hills/ridges, steep slopes and remnant forest framing valleys and stream corridors. Relatively dramatic topography .	High Pronounce d sequence of native forest cover linked across major ridges and slopes together with stream corridors.	High Amalgam of strongly dissected to rolling terrain and native forest cover intermixed with lower lying stream corridors (Ararimu Stream) and areas of pasture to create a clearly defined structure and pattern.	High Combination of terrain and vegetation cover creating a clearly defined matrix, with a relatively high level of cohesion and continuity.	High Relatively intact sequence of regenerating forest cover and stream corridors, especially near and above the Ararimu Stream.	High Very clearly defined relationship between topography and vegetated land cover creating a quite distinctive and Auckland/ New Zealand landscape.	
3	Taylor Road, South of	West Rodney	Hill country Wild nature (hill	Retention of indigenous	High Very clear	High Pronounce	High Amalgam of	High Combination	High Relatively	High Very clearly	

	Helensville		country)	vegetation in	sequence	d sequence	rolling	of terrain and	intact	defined	
			Linear sequence	patterns	of stream	of native	terrain and	vegetation	sequence of	relationship	
			of stream	related to	corridors	forest	native forest	cover creating	forest cover	between	
			corridors and	underlying	and ridges	cover	cover	a clearly	and stream	topography	
			some more	topography.	that are	linked	intermixed	defined	corridors,	and land	
			elevated ridge	,	defined by	across	with lower	matrix, with a	especially	cover	
			land that is		pockets	ridges,	lying stream	relatively high	near the	creating a	
			notable for the		and bands	slopes and	corridors and	level of	headwaters	quite	
			presence of		of remnant	valleys,	areas of	cohesion and	of the	distinctive	
			remnant		native	together	pasture to	continuity.	Wharauroa	and	
			pockets and		forest	with	create a	,	Stream and	Auckland/	
			bands of native		dominated	stream	clearly		around the	New Zealand	
			forest.		by kauri,	corridors	defined		Kumeu River.	landscape.	
					puriri		structure				
					totara and		and pattern.				
					other						
					canopy						
					species.						
4	Lake Kereta	North	Lowland	Retention of	High	High		High	High	High	
		West	Wild nature	dune lake/	Very	Strong		Uncommon	Very obvious	Both lakes	
		Rodney	Cultured nature	wetland	strongly	linkage		lake basin	interaction	are clear	
			(lowland)	landscape	defined	between		sequence (at	between the	focal points	
			Impounded	and remnant	dune based	lakes and		the regional	underlying	within the	
			dune lakes	vegetation	terrain	raupo		level)	dune	basin	
			(two) framed by	with low	descending	wetland		associated	landform,	landforms	
			high inland	levels of	into two	with the		with very	the actual	that frame	
			dunes to the	subservient	lake basins,	surroundin		expressive	lakes and	them. This is	
			east and the	development	with native	g dune		landforms that	their	reinforced by	
			combined dune/	(houses,	vegetation	topography		are reinforced	wetlands,	the	
			pine forest	roads,	on their	, including		by the native	and the	surrounding	
			margins of	infrastructur	margins	that acting		vegetation	remnant	vegetation	
			Rangitira Beach	e).	and	as a		framing them:	terrestrial	and these	
			to the west;		between	backdrop		very marked	vegetation	elements'	

			containing raupo wetland. Also flanked by remnant native forest (kanuka dominated), particularly towards Kanae Road and down the coastal side of Lake Kereta, as well as some pasture.		the lakes reinforcing this topographi c variation, more notably toward Kanae Road.	to Rangitira Beach, and adjacent native vegetation.	interplay between both the lakes and vegetation and adjoining open pasture, as well as the pines behind Rangitira Beach.	overlying parts of this landscape. Parts of the Mahurangi Harbour contain marine (oyster) farms, but this does not compromise the harbour's current natural values overall.	contrast with adjoining farmland and the extensive pine forest behind Rangitira Beach.	
5	Lakes Ototoa and Kuwakatai	North West Rodney	Lowland Wild nature Cultured nature (lowland) Deeply incised and impounded dune lakes with raupo wetland flanked by native forest (kanuka dominated) margins and	Retention of dune lake/wetland landscape and remnant vegetation with low levels of subservient development as well as more modified	High Very strongly defined dune based terrain descending into deep lake basins, with marginal native vegetation	High Strong linkage between lakes and raupo wetland with the Lake Ototoa/ Patauoa Creek corridor	High Uncommon and dramatic lake basin sequence (at the regional level) associated with very expressive landforms that are reinforced by the	High Very obvious linkages from the remnant terrestrial vegetation to the lakes and raupo wetland then, via the Patauoa Creek, to the	High Both lakes are clear focal points within the basin landforms that frame them. Again, this is reinforced by the surrounding	

			steep slopes	pastoral and	reinforcing	and		vegetation	margins of	vegetation	
			·	•	the			across them:	_	and these	
			containing open	vegetated		enclosing			the Kaipara		
			pasture.	landscape.	topographi	native		very marked	Harbour.	elements'	
					c variation	vegetation.		interplay		contrast with	
					around the			between the		adjoining	
					lakes and			lakes and		farmland.	
					their			vegetation			
					stream			with			
					corridor via			surrounding			
					Patauoa			open pasture.			
					Creek to						
					the Kaipara						
					Harbour.						
6	Papakanui spit	North	Harbour &	Retention of	Very High	High	Very high	High	Very High	Very high	Very high
		West	estuary Wild	remote	Extensive/	Combinatio	Confluence	Very	A unified	The dune	Interplay of
		Rodney	nature (coastal)	natural	massive	n of	of ocean and	distinctive,	landscape	and inlet	coastline and
			South Kaipara	duneland.	duneland	massive	harbour	uncommon	dominated	features are	the open
			Head duneland,		formations	dune	highlighted	and highly	by natural	a very	waters of the
			Papakanui		combined	formations,	by the	expressive	elements,	eloquent	Tasman Sea,
			sand spit and		with	salt marsh	signature	coastal	features and	expression of	including
			Waionui Inlet		Wainui	and	landforms of	landscape that	processes	the coastal	variation
			extending north		Inlet and	mangroves	the dune	combines	that mark	processes at	resulting from
			of Rangitira		extensive	around	system and	natural	the	work at this	atmospheric
			Beach and		mangroves	Wainui	inlet.	elements with	confluence	key junction	conditions,
			dominated by a		/ salt marsh			dynamic	of the	between the	time of
			massive dune		creating a	on the		processes.	Tasman Sea	open seas	day/year, tide
			system that		dramatic	edge of the		p. occsses.	and Kaipara	and harbour.	and wildlife.
			denotes the		natural	Kaipara			Harbour in a	dia narboar.	Sea birds
			south head of		feature at	Harbour,			very		prevalent.
			the Kaipara		the mouth	creating a			dramatic and		prevalent.
			Harbour mouth.		of the	cohesive			dynamic		
			marbour mouth.			natural			fashion: a		
					Kaipara						
					Harbour.	landscape.			wild, remote		

					Extends from Ocean to inner Harbour edge.				and natural landscape. Although part of the backdrop to this landscape includes pines and farmland its		
									sheer scale and internal coherence prevent the level of naturalness being overly compromise d.		
7	Muriwai/ Rangatira Beach (North of Muriwai Settlement	North West Rodney	Coastal Wild nature (coastal) Very linear and extensive open beach on the edge of the Tasman Sea, extending as far inland as its dune system	Retention of remote beach environment and dune backdrop	High Very extensive and open ocean beach together with a clearly articulated dune system that is a prominent	High Very extensive beachfront and dune system interacting with the open expanse of the Tasman Sea.	High Strongly expressed coastal processes evident in sequence of dune and beach landforms, and their dramatic interaction with the	Very High Arising from the combination of the beach's expansive aesthetic sheer length, together with openness, remoteness and wildness.	High/Moder ate Despite the incursion of a pine forest backdrop and the Muriwai settlement, the unit's naturalness is derived from an amalgam of	Very High Very obvious combination of natural elements and dynamic natural processes in particular related to the beach/dune corridor	High Interplay of coastline and open waters of the Tasman Sea, including variations resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/year, tide and wildlife. Sea birds

					feature of		ocean.		its natural		prevalent.
					the				elements,		'
					Auckland				the dynamic		
					Region's				& obvious		
					west coast,				natural		
					a highly				processes at		
					distinctive,				play along		
					landscape.				the beach &		
									its relative		
									remoteness		
									and wildness		
									Parts of the		
									Bay contain		
									marine		
									(oyster)		
									farms, but		
									this does not		
									compromise		
									the		
									coastline's		
									current		
									natural		
									values		
									overall.		
8	Kaukapakapa	North	Hill country	Regenerating	High	High		High	High	High	
	River	West	Wild nature	indigenous	Prominent	Native		Prominent	Combination	Strong	
	Escarpment	Rodney	Cultured nature	vegetation	escarpmen	forest		landform	of natural	amalgam of	
			(hill country)	reinforcing	t covered in	linked with		reinforced by	landform	natural	
			A prominent	topography.	native	river		its native	and natural	elements	
			escarpment		forest.	margins		vegetation	vegetation	that, in	
			feature covered			including		cover that	cover closely	conjunction	
			in remnant			low lying		contrasts with	linked to the	with the	

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			forest, including			pasture	the low lying	tidal river	adjoining	
			several stream			and	flats and	margins.	river edge	
			corridors and			meanderin	farmland		are strongly	
			catchments that			g river	either side of		suggestive of	
			extend down to,			corridor.	the		a natural	
			and include,				Kaukapakapa		endemic	
			part of the				River.		landscape –	
			Kaukapakapa						contrasting	
			River.						with	
									adjoining	
									pine forestry	
									and	
									farmland.	
9	Kaukapakapa	North	Hill country	Remnant	High	High	High	High	High	
		West	Wild nature (hill	and	Prominent	Intact	Sequence of	Native forest	Complex	
		Rodney	country)	regenerating	sequence	indigenous	remnant	and	interplay of	
		,	An extensive	indigenous	of rolling	vegetation	forest	shrubland	native forest	
			sequence of hill	vegetation	hills and	(kahikatea	interspersed	sequence,	and open	
			country and	reinforcing	ridges	particularly	through	linked to and	pasture with	
			ridges extending	topography.	including	prominent)	farmland and	framing	the forest	
			down into	Pastoral	stream	on hills and	open pasture.	stream	dominating	
			stream valleys	landscape	corridors.	framing	Combination	corridors.	the higher	
			and gullies -	with		riparian	of landcover		slopes and	
			defined by a	remnant		corridors	structuring the		ridges	
			mixture of	pockets of		and	landscape.		framing both	
			remnant native	indigenous		catchments	iarrascape.		the farmland	
			forest, and	vegetation		Cateminents			and water	
			shrubland	with high					catchments –	
			intermixing and	aesthetic					stream	
			contrasting with	values.					corridors.	
			farmland both	values.					corridors.	
			within the unit							
			and on its							
			and on its							

			margins.								
10	Makarau Valley, North Helensville	North West Rodney	Hill country Wild nature (hill country) Combination of hill country ridges and escarpments descending into stream valleys that displays an intermixing of remnant native forest, shrubland and areas of open pasture.	Remnant and regenerating indigenous vegetation reinforcing topography. Pastoral landscape with remnant pockets of indigenous vegetation with high aesthetic values.	High Very clearly defined sequence of major hill ridges and stream escarpmen ts framing valleys and stream corridors. Relatively dramatic topography	High Pronounce d sequence of native forest cover linked across major ridges, slopes and escarpmen ts together with stream corridors.	High Amalgam of strongly dissected to rolling terrain and native forest cover intermixed with lower lying stream corridors and areas of pasture to create a clearly defined structure and pattern.	High Combination of terrain and vegetation cover creating a clearly defined matrix, with a relatively high level of cohesion and continuity.	High Relatively intact sequence of forest cover and stream corridors, especially near and above the Makarau River.	High Very clearly defined relationship between topography and land cover creating a quite distinctive and Auckland/ New Zealand landscape.	
11	Headland, Makarau River	North West Rodney	Hill country Wild nature (hill country) Wild nature (harbour & estuary) A distinctive headland promontory around which the Makarau River sweeps, defined by both	Intact indigenous vegetation extending to water edge.	High Prominent headland covered in native forest.	High Native forest linked with harbour margins including intertidal flats and mangroves at the mouth of the	Mod/High Qualities arising from the headland's projection out into the river corridor and the landmark combination of the headland's	High Prominent landform reinforced by its native vegetation cover that contrasts with the low lying coastal flats around the harbour mouth and the	High Combination of natural landform and natural vegetation cover closely linked to the river and coastal margins.	High Strong amalgam of natural elements that, in conjunction with the adjoining coastal edge, are strongly suggestive of a natural	High/mod Interplay of coastline and the open waters of the Kaipara Harbour and the mouth of the Makarau River, including variation resulting from

			its relatively			Makarau	steep	actual river		endemic	atmosphericco
			steep			River.	topography	corridor.		landscape	nditions, time
			topography and				with an			contrasting	of day/year,
			remnant forest/				intact area of			with	tide and
			shrubland cover				native forest,			adjoining	wildlife.
			which is				including			farmland.	Wilding:
			particularly				kauri,				
			pronounced				kahikatea				
			towards the				and totara.				
			apex of the								
			headland.								
			Linked with the								
			mangrove								
			colonies within								
			the river								
			corridor and the								
			river itself.								
12	Mataia	North	Hill country	Prominent	High	High	High	High	High/mod	High	High/mod
	Headland	West	Wild nature	coastal	Prominent	Native	Very marked	Prominent	Combination	Strong	Interplay of
		Rodney	Cultured nature	landform	headland	forest	amalgam of	landform	of natural	amalgam of	coastline and
			(hill country)	with largely	and	linked with	natural	reinforced by	landform	natural	the open
			Wild nature	intact cover	escarpmen	the Mataia	terrain and	its native	and	elements	waters of the
			(harbour &	of	t covered in	Creek	vegetation	vegetation	indigenous	that, in	Kaipara
			estuary)	indigenous	native	corridor	that provide	cover that	vegetation	conjunction	Harbour and
			Clearly defined	vegetation.	forest and	and	a backdrop	contrasts with	cover closely	with the	the mouth of
			coastal and		shrubland	escarpmen	to both the	the low lying	linked to	adjoining	the Mataia
			stream corridor		extending	t, and the	wider	coastal flats	coastal	coastal edge,	Creek,
			escarpment,		into and	Kaipara	harbour and	and intertidal	margins that	is strongly	including
			including the		along the	Harbour's	more	area that flank	retains a	suggestive of	variation
			margins of the		Mataia	intertidal	confined	it.	strong	a natural	resulting from
			Mataia Creek		Creek	flats and	Mataia Creek		endemic	endemic	atmospheric
			that are covered		corridor.	mangrove	corridor –		signature	landscape –	conditions,
			in remnant			colonies.	contrasting		despite the	contrasting	time of day/

			native forest				with the		presence of	with	year, tide and
			and shrubland				intertidal		an adjoining	adjoining	wildlife.
			facing the open				area and		sand mine	farmland and	Wading and
			water of the				adjacent		and open	sand	sea birds
			Kaipara				farmland.		rural	extraction	prevalent.
			Harbour.						pasture.	operations.	
13	Glorit Knoll	North	Hill country	Intact	High	High/mod		High	High	High	Mod
		West	Wild nature	indigenous	Prominent	Native		Distinct	Combination	Strong	Association
		Rodney	Cultured nature	vegetation	knoll	forest close		landform	of natural	amalgam of	with nearby
			(hill country)	retained on	landform	to Te		reinforced by	landform	natural	Harbour)
			A prominent, if	discrete	covered in	Karaka		its native	and natural	elements	
			small scale,	elevated	native	Creek and		vegetation	vegetation	that, in	
			knoll	knoll	forest.	harbour		cover that	cover closely	conjunction	
			feature covered	landform.		margins		contrasts with	linked to the	with the	
			in			including		the low lying	coastal	nearby	
			mature native			intertidal		coastal flats	margins.	coastal edge,	
			forest that			flats and		and intertidal		are strongly	
			overlooks part			mangrove		area that flank		suggestive of	
			of the central			colonies		it.		a natural	
			Kaipara Harbour			south of				endemic	
			and adjacent			the Hoteo				landscape –	
			coastal flats that			River.				contrasting	
			are now							with	
			extensively							adjoining	
			farmed.							farmland.	
			Together with								
			unit 15 local								
			landmarks								
			because of their								
			contrast with								
			the surrounding								
			rural								
			environment.								

14	Mt. Auckland and part of the Hoteo River	North West Rodney	Hill country Wild nature Cultured nature (hill country) The highest peak immediately inland of the Kaipara Harbour that is covered in mature remnant forest extending down to the Hoteo River, including a series of stream corridors.	Intact indigenous vegetation reinforcing locally prominent topography.	High Highest peak within the immediate Kaipara Harbour hinterland; a prominent feature overlooking the lower half of the harbour, its eastern coastal margins near the Hoteo River. Profile reinforced by extensive native forest across most of its slopes.	High Very clearly articulated amalgam of hill country and native forest extending down into local stream corridors and the margins of the Hoteo River.	High/mod A distinctive local landmark that contrasts with adjoining pine forest and nearby farmland to clearly express the endemic values of the area prior to European occupation and rural development .	High Evocative mix of hill country terrain and native forest associated with Auckland's natural heritage.	High Intact sequence of native forest, stream and river corridors.	High Very clear expression of natural elements and associated processes that capture some of the vernacular endemic landscape values of Auckland and the Kaipara Harbour's hinterland.	
15	South Hoteo	North	Hill country	Intact	High	High		High	High	High	High/mod
	River	West	Wild nature	indigenous	Prominent	Native		Prominent	Combination	Strong	Interplay of

		Rodney	Cultured nature (hill country) Wild nature (harbour & estuary) Headland / ridge feature overlooking the mouth of the Hoteo River in the Kaipara Harbour that is prominent because of its intact cover of remnant forest. Contrasts very markedly with	vegetation reinforcing locally prominent topography.	headland covered in native forest.	forest linked with harbour margins including intertidal flats and mangrove colonies at the mouth of the Hoteo River.	r ii v c c t c	andform reinforced by ts native vegetation cover that contrasts with the low lying coastal flats and intertidal area that flank t.	of natural landform and natural vegetation cover closely linked to the coastal margins.	amalgam of natural elements that, in conjunction with the adjoining coastal edge, are strongly suggestive of a natural endemic landscape – contrasting with adjoining farmland.	coastline and the open waters of the Kaipara Harbour and the mouth of the Hoteo River, including variation resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/ year, tide and wildlife. Wading and sea birds
16	Tauhoa River	North	margins. One of several local landmarks. Estuary	Sequence	High	High		High/mod	High	High	High
	Margins	West Rodney	Wild nature (estuary) Very extensive (long) series of headlands, promontories, inlets and bays which define	from river channel/ harbour waters through mangrove to terrestrial indigenous	Very complex but extensive sequence of headlands, coastal	Strong interconne ction between the Kaipara Harbour, river margins	t c f e c	Derived from the amalgam of coastal fringe elements that clearly evoke the coastal processes	Related to the combination of natural elements and processes with strong	Very clearly expressed confluence of natural terrain and vegetation interacting attractively	Interplay of coastline and the open waters of the Kaipara Harbour and more enclosed waters of the

			the Tauhoa	vegetation.	slopes and	and		associated	interconnecti	with the	Tauhoa River,
			River estuary	Pattern of	terraces	stream/		with the	on between	Tauhoa River	including
			and are	vegetation	that frame	inlet		Kaipara	the river	and its	variation
			reinforced by	cover in	а	corridors.		Harbour.	corridor,	margins to	resulting from
			bands of	relation to	multiplicity	Strong			intertidal	create a	atmospheri c
			remnant coastal	topography	of small	connection			flats and	distinctive	conditions,
			forest, native	and natural	scale inlets,	with			inlets,	endemic	time of day/
			shrubland and	processes.	stream	adjacent			streams and	coastal	year, tide and
			mangroves.	p. 0000000.	corridors	pockets of			coastal	landscape.	wildlife.
					and	coastal			ridges and	ianascape.	Wading and
					intertidal	vegetation			headlands.		sea birds
					flats. This	that frame			Treadianas.		prevalent.
					topography	much of					p. craicii.
					is	the CMA.					
					reinforced	Circ Civii II					
					by the						
					bands of						
					native						
					vegetation						
					more						
					intermitten						
					tly						
					scattered						
					around the						
					Tauhoa						
					River						
					margins.						
17	Hill Creek and	North	Hill country	Pattern of	High	High	High/mod	High	High	High	High
	Kahutaewao	West	Wild	remnant	Clearly	Very	Very clearly	Very clearly	Clearly linked	Clear	Interplay of
	Creek	Rodney	nature/Culture	vegetation	expressed	marked	aligned	expressed	network of	structure	coastline and
	Valley (Burma		d(Estuary and	interplayed	sequence	sequence	continuum	sequence of	natural	and	the open
	Road)		harbours) Wild	with pasture	of ridges	of native	of features	natural	features	patterning	waters
			nature/Culture	(respondent	and stream	forest,	from the top	elements and	largely	evoked by	of the Kaipara

			d nature (Hill	to	corridors	streams,	of the	features that	contained	the	Harbour
			country)	topography).	aligned	mangroves	peninsula	interacts with	within two	combination	and more
			Comprises a	,,	from	and other	catchment to	farmland to	main valley	of native	enclosed
			sequence of		northwest	coastal	the Tauhoa	evoke a	corridors and	forest,	waters of the
			north south		to south	edge	River.	readily	water	shrubland,	Tauhoa River,
			aligned ridges		east that	features		apparent	catchments	stream	including
			and headlands		drain into	that create		structure and	linked to two	corridors and	variation
			together with		the Tauhoa	a clear		patterning in	enclosed	coastal	resulting from
			the stream		River	continuum.		the landscape,	bays on the	features that	atmospheric
			corridors of Hiki		margins			which	edge of the	have a	conditions,
			and		incorporati			contrasts with	Tauhoa	degree of	time of day/
			Kahutaewao		ng a mix of			the relatively	River.	continuity	year, tide and
			Creeks		remnant			bare nature of		and natural	wildlife.
			extending down		Kauri			much of its		expression	Wading and
			to embrace the		forest, re-			rural		not apparent	sea birds
			mangrove		emergent			surrounds.		in much of	prevalent.
			colonies,		shrubland,					the	
			intertidal flats		mangroves					surrounding	
			and part of the		and					peninsula	
			Tauhoa River		intertidal					landscape.	
			corridor.		flats/						
					islands.						
18	Fitzgerald/Bur	North	Hill country	Intactness of	High	High	High/mod	High	High	High	
	ma, Run Roads	West	Wild	forest and	Prominent	Sequence	Amalgam of	Due to the	Derived from	Coherent	
	Ridge,	Rodney	nature/Culture	pattern of	elevated	of native	clearly	combination	the	mixture of	
	Ohakukura		d nature (Hill	remnant	coastal	forest and	expressed	of elevated	combination	natural	
	Peninsula		country)	vegetation	ridge and	stream	landform	terrain, and	of native	terrain and	
			Very prominent	interplayed	hill	corridors.	and native	bush	forest and	native	
			tract of hill	with pasture	landform		forest on	remnants, as	natural	vegetation	
			country and	respondent	together		ridge crest	well as local	landforms	that both	
			mostly native	to	with two		and high	stream	including	interacts	
			forest that	topography).	stream		slopes that	corridors that	both ridges	positively	
			directly		corridors		create a	intermix	and stream	with open	

			overlooks the extensive Tapora coastal flats and Kaipara Harbour, acting as a gateway to Tapora itself.		that are articulated by the presence of remnant native forest and shrubland along with some pasture.		distinctive feature among the wider surrounds of relatively bare pasture land.	pleasantly with open pasture and contrast markedly with the surrounding farmland.	gullies.	pasture and contrasts with the more bare farmland and exotic woodlots that otherwise largely prevail across the central Okahukura Peninsula.	
19	Oruawharo Heads, Okahukura Peninsula	North West Rodney	Harbour, headlands & estuary Wild nature/Culture d nature (Harbour and estuary) An amalgam of coastal headlands, ridges and slopes, largely covered in remnant native forest that	Intact remnant indigenous vegetation cover at river mouth/ harbours edge, responsive to landform.	Very high Clearly articulated sequence of coastal ridge and hill landforms reinforced by the native forest across them, together with the	High Amalgam of native forest, small lake and stream corridor connected with the intertidal bank and mangrove margins of the Oruawharo River.	High Very marked interaction of the coastal landforms and vegetation with the natural elements and processes of the adjoining tidal river system	High Very strong remnant landscape values that reflect the qualities of Auckland / the Kaipara Harbour as it once was, in a more natural state.	High Very obvious continuum of natural forest impounded lake and stream corridor with the river margins and its intertidal areas.	High Highly legible sequence of natural features that contrast with the much more open, and relatively bare, farmland that otherwise prevails south and	High Interplay of coastline and the open waters of the Kaipara Harbour and more enclosed waters of the Oruawharo River, including variation resulting from atmospheric conditions,

			culminate in the Oruawharo Heads, in conjunction with a large enclosed bay and mangrove colony that, together with intertidal banks extends out into the Oruawharo River.		river corridor and a strongly defined bay.					west of the Oruawharo Heads.	time of day/ year, tide and wildlife. Wading and sea birds prevalent.
20	Tapora Dune Islands and CMA	North West Rodney	Harbour & estuary Wild nature (Harbour & estuary) Very extensive area of low dune islands together with intertidal flats/banks, wetland / salt marsh, mangroves colonies and marginal coastal terraces that contain a mixture of wetland species,	Intact duneland landforms, barrier islands.	High Very extensive series of harbour flats, dunelands/ sand banks and islands with very extensive mangrove colony and salt marsh margins. Defines the entire end of the Tapora Peninsula	Very high Continuum of coastal edge and intertidal features that create a very extensive habitat and area of interaction with the main Kaipara Harbour.	Very high Sensitive sequence of inner harbour features that create the interface between the harbour and peninsula strongly influenced by conditions on the harbour itself and — in a dramatic sense - to the tidal,	High Amalgam of low lying coastal features that, as well as being very extensive and cohesive, promote the feeling of being in a very raw, exposed, wild coastal environment.	High Extensive amalgam of coastal features that are only affected to a limited degree by the more developed nature of adjoining farmland and the Tapora settlement, a landscape that has the feeling of being	High Exceptional combination of cohesive coastal elements that display a high level of naturalness and natural structure/ patterning, complementi ng the wider expanse of the Kaipara Harbour.	High Interplay of coastline and the open waters of the Kaipara Harbour, including variation resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/year, tide and wildlife. Wading and sea birds prevalent.

			manuka with some pampas.		and its interface with the Kaipara Harbour.		weather and day to day, conditions of both the harbour and the Tasman Sea.		remote and wild.		
21	West Te Arai Point	North East Rodney	Hill country Wild nature/Culture d nature (Hill country) Prominent amalgam of ridges and spurs as well as stream gullies that are reinforced and articulated by remnant native forest and shrubland. Rural development related to landuse.	Interplay between remnant vegetation and rural pasture reinforcing topography.	High Clear sequence of ridgelines and gullies, at the back of Te Arai Point and Pakiri Beach, including several stream corridors, which are reinforced by remnant indigenous vegetation.	Mod/high Related to remnant bush pockets and stream corridors.		High Clearly defined landform and sequence of ridges that is reinforced by native forest remnants; strong interplay between bush and open pasture on surrounding farmland creating a very marked structure and pattern.	High/mod Continuum of native forest/ shrubland linked with clearly defined stream corridors.	High Relates to both the amalgam of a clearly expressed landform and native forest/ shrubland remnants together with the marked interplay of bush and pasture.	
22	Pakiri Beach	North East Rodney	Coastal Wild nature (coastal) Pakiri Ocean Beach extending into dune	Natural duneland topography, strongly expressed coastal	High Very extensive and open ocean beach	High Clear dune, stream corridor and coastal terrace	High Strongly expressed coastal processes evident in	Very high Arising from the combination of the beach's expansive	High/mod Despite the incursion of the pine forest backdrop	Very high Very obvious combination of natural elements and dynamic	High Interplay of coastline and the open waters of the Pacific Ocean,

			system for most of its length together with some coastal terrace landforms at the southern	processes. Long uninterrupte d sweep of beach.	together with a clearly articulated dune system, the elevated	sequence interacting with the open sea of the Pacific Ocean. Also a	sequence of landforms and stream corridors, and their dramatic interaction	aesthetic sheer length, together with openness, remoteness and wildness.	and limited pockets of development the unit's naturalness is derived from an	natural processes, in particular related to the beach and dune corridor.	including variation resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/ year, tide and
			end near Pakiri Stream.		headlands of Eyres Point and Te Arai Point, as well as a small area of coastal terrace and	significant bird habitat.	with the ocean.		amalgam of its natural elements, the dynamic and obvious natural processes at play along the beach		wildlife. Sea birds prevalent.
					stream corridors near the Pakiri Stream in the south.				and its relative remoteness and wildness.		
23	North Te Hana – Tomorata Road	North East Rodney	Hill country Wild nature/Culture d nature (Hill country) Clearly expressed sequence of inland ridges and gully corridors,	Interplay between remnant vegetation and rural pasture reinforcing topography.	High Clear sequence of ridgelines and gullies, including several stream corridors that are	Mod/high Related to remnant bush pockets and stream corridors.		High Clearly defined landform and sequence of ridges that is reinforced by native forest remnants; strong interplay between bush	High/mod Continuum of native forest/ shrubland linked with clearly defined stream corridors.	High Relates to both the amalgam of a clearly expressed landform and native forest/ shrubland remnants	

			together with streams that are defined and merge with pockets of mature native forest		reinforced by remnant stands of mature totara and other native		and open pasture on surrounding farmland creating a very marked structure and		together with the marked interplay of bush and pasture.	
			dominated by totara.		species.		pattern.			
24	Pakiri Block Road	North East Rodney	Hill country Wild nature/Culture d nature (Hill country) Primary coastal ridge and inland sequence of spurs that define part of the backdrop to the Pakiri coastline and provide transition into the higher terrace landscapes around Tomorata. These landforms, together with the Putawa	Remnant indigenous vegetation reinforcing topography.	High Defining ridgeline and escarpmen t behind Pakriri including Putawa Stream corridor. High land defines backdrop to Pakiri.	Mod/high Related to remnant bush pockets and stream corridor.	High Clearly defined landform and sequence of ridges that is reinforced by the native forest remnants; strong interplay between bush and open pasture on surrounding farmland creating a very strong structure and pattern.	High/mod Continuum of native forest/ shrubland and stream corridor linked to nearby wetland remnants and dune system along Pakiri Beach.	High Relates to both the amalgam of a clearly defined landform and native forest/ shrubland remnants together with the marked interplay of bush and pasture.	

			Stream corridor							
			are reinforced							
			by remnant							
			pockets of							
			forest and							
			shrubland.							
25	Pakiri Foothills	North	Hill country	Intact	High	High	High	High	High	
		East	Wild	remnant	Clearly	Evident in	Very clearly	Redolent in	Clear	
		Rodney	nature/Culture	forest.	expressed	the very	expressed	the amalgam	articulation	
			d nature (Hill	Interplay	sequence	extensive	amalgam of	of remnant	of the hill/	
			country)	between	of hills,	matrix of	ridge and	forest and	ridge/ valley/	
			An extensive	remnant	ridges,	remnant	valley terrain,	shrubland,	lowland	
			sequence of	vegetation	localised	forest and	combined with	together	topographic	
			hills and ridges,	and rural	stream	shrubland	an extensive	with the	sequence	
			valleys and	pasture,	catchments	inland of	tracts of	sequence of	reinforced by	
			stream corridors	reinforcing	and valleys	Pakiri	native forest	stream	the amalgam	
			intermixed with	topography.	that are	Beach,	and shrubland	corridors	of large	
			both large tracts	1 0 1 7	reinforced	linked with	that	that link the	tracts of	
			of mature		by the	the smaller	interweave	ridges and	bush across	
			native forest		array of	scale	with pastoral	higher slopes	more	
			and re-		forest	sequence	margins to	with valley	elevated hills	
			emergent		across	of remnant	create a	lowlands and	and slopes.	
			shrubland closer		higher	forest	distinctive and	the terrace	Pockets of	
			to Pakiri Beach		slopes and	pockets	endemic	landscapes	forest on	
			and pockets of		along	and stream	landscape.	immediately	some	
			more clearly		stream	corridors		inland of	steeper	
			defined		courses.	within, and		Pakiri Beach.	slopes and	
			remnant forest			closer to,			following	
			(totara			the			stream	
			dominated)			Tomarata			corridors.	
			inland. Bands of			Valley.				
			remnant forest			,				
			follow many							

26	Rahuikiri Road, Pakiri	North East Rodney	local stream corridors and tributaries. Lowland Wild nature/Culture d nature (Lowland) Wetlands with areas of open water. Undeveloped margins with significant	Intact wetland and vegetation cover.	High A discrete wetland/ forest remnant within part of the wider coast that has otherwise been	High Both the wetland and semi- mature forest pocket are linked with a tributary of the Pakiri	High/mod A distinctive 'relic' of the area's native/ natural landscape heritage.	High A relatively intact amalgam of wetland and semi- mature forest that contrasts with the open pasture and drained	High Distinctive precisely because it is a remnant that reveals the past ecological heritage and sequence of the Pakiri	
			indigenous vegetation dominated by		drained and modified.	wider coastal domain of		that surround it.	hinterland.	
			flax, cabbage trees, manuka etc surrounded			Pakiri Beach.				
			by open pasture and river							
			margins inland of Pakiri Beach.							
			An isolated lowland forest							
			and wetland remnant.							
27	Mt.	North	Hill country	Dramatic	Very high	Very high	High	High	High	
	Tamahunga	East	Wild	landform	Very	Extensive	Prominent due	Large intact	Clearly	
		Rodney	nature/Culture	feature with	prominent	area of	to	area of	defined,	
			d nature (Hill	intact	hill feature	intact	combination	indigenous	large scale,	

			country) Very prominent tract of hill country and mostly native forest focusing upon the Department of Conservation Reserve around Mt Tamahunga.	indigenous vegetation cover and remnant vegetation with pasture fingering into edges.	surrounded by steeply dissected ridges and stream valleys – strategicall y located inland of both Omaha and Pakiri.	mature remnant indigenous forest, including multiple stream catchments and corridors.		of clearly defined terrain and very extensive, continuous forest cover.	forest and upper catchment areas.	hill feature covered by an extensive area of native forest that displays a high degree of integrity. Contrasts markedly with	
				edges.	•					_	
						corridors.					
					Pakiri.					with surrounding farmland and	
										areas of pine forest.	
28	Coastline from	North	Coastal	Coastal	Very high	High	Very high	Very high		Very high	High
	Pakiri River to	East	Wild nature	landforms	Very steep	High	Dramatic	Arising from		Highly	Interplay of
	Omaha Cove	Rodney	(coastal)	with	and clearly	ecological	confluence	the dramatic		expressive	coastline and
			Highly dramatic	remnant	defined	values in	of land and	landform and		landform	the open
			and dynamic	indigenous	amalgam of	relation to	water at, and	its dynamic		and	waters of the
			landscape	vegetation	cliffs and	the waters	either side	interaction		interaction	Hauraki Gulf,
			comprising	cover.	steep	around	of, Cape	with the open		with the sea;	including
			steep coastal	Interplay	slopes	Goat Island	Rodney	waters of the		strong	variation
			cliffs and a main	between	above a	Marine	including the	Pacific Ocean		backdrop to	resulting from
			ridge line	remnant	rocky	Reserve	main	(very		the southern	atmospheric
			descending to rock shoals and	vegetation and rural	coastline and shoals.	but not in relation to	cliff/ridge sequence	exposed).		end of Pakiri Beach and	conditions, time of
			coves, including	pasture,	allu siloais.	the	that affords			also to the	day/year, tide
			Goat Island,	reinforcing		landward	a backdrop			settlement	and wildlife.
			that face the	topography.		area.	to southern			of Leigh.	Wading and
			open waters of	Coposiapily.			Pakiri Beach.			J. 20.811.	sea birds
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			Hauraki Gulf. Cape Rodney is a major point of transition between Auckland's more sheltered Gulf waters and the open seas of the Pacific Ocean.								
29	Ti Point	North East Rodney	Wild nature(Coastal) Wild nature/Culture d nature (Estuary & harbour) Dramatic peninsula landform with outer coastal cliffs and gently shelving harbour margins on the north eastern side of the Whangateau Harbour, including interplay of remnant coastal	Coastal landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation.	High Distinctive peninsula landform defined along its outer coastal margins by a sequence of dramatic steep cliffs and rock shoals including Matheson's Bay.	High Clearly defined matrix of native forest descending into coastal margins, including mangrove colonies, bays and rock shelves with associated variable habitat.	High Very dramatic landform, with cliffs that dynamically interact with the Hauraki Gulf. A sequence of headlands and bays framing the Whangateau Harbour that have a clear structure and pattern, which is positively reinforce by	Very high An unusual, coastal, landscape that clearly expresses the Auckland/ New Zealand vernacular with its amalgam of terrain, vegetation and interaction with both open seas and harbour waters.	High Natural qualities are clearly evident in the amalgam of landforms, native forest remnants and their relationship with both the Whangateau Harbour and Hauraki Gulf, contributing to a very endemic landscape.	Very high Very clearly defined peninsula landform, cliff and headland/ba y sequence that combine with the interaction of native forest with pasture to create a very clearly articulated terrestrial landscape which is framed and enhanced by	High Interplay of land, harbour and the open waters of the Hauraki Gulf, including variation resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/ year, tide and wildlife. Wading and sea birds prevalent.

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			native forest				vegetation			the open sea	
			with pasture, as				patterns.			and	
			well as							adjoining	
			pōhutukawa.							harbour.	
			This landscape								
			enjoys a								
			dynamic								
			interaction with								
			the open waters								
			of the Hauraki								
			Gulf but also								
			frames and								
			encloses the								
			northern end of								
			the								
			Whangateau								
			Estuary								
			landscape.								
30	South of	North	Hill country	Interplay	High	High	High	High	High	High	
	Rodney Road,	East	Wild	between	Prominent	Large areas	Very	Derived from	Strong	Very strongly	
	Leigh	Rodney	nature/Culture	remnant	ridgeline	of intact	expressive	the	interconnecti	articulated	
			d nature (Hill	vegetation	backdrop	native	relief that is	combination	on between	landform	
			country)	and rural	to Leigh	forest	reinforced	of high and	native forest	combined	
			Dissected hill	pasture	Matakana	combined	by the larger	extensive	remnants	with	
			country rising	reinforcing	and the	with	stands of	main ridges	and stream	landcover	
			up to high level	topography.	Whangatea	stream	native forest	combined with	corridors	that has an	
			sequence of	,	u Harbour,	corridors	in high	the patterning	down to the	apparent	
			ridges that		part of a	and their	ground near	created by	Whangateau	structure	
			frame the		wider	vegetated	Rodney Road	their interplay	Harbour and	and pattern	
			coastal		sequence	margins.	and directly	with stream	Leigh/Mathe	derived, in	
			landscapes of		of hill		above the	valleys and the	son's Bay.	particular,	
			Leigh and		country		settlement	interaction of	,	from the	
1			Omaha,		that		of	native forest		interplay of	

			displaying large blocks of remnant forest interwoven with pasture some exotic woodlots and some low density residential development.		extends from inland of Leigh to the Omaha and Dome Forests.	Whangateau.	with often quite large areas of pasture.		forest and pasture.	
31	Pukematakeo (near Omaha)	North East Rodney	Hill country Wild nature/Culture d nature (Hill country) Very conical knoll / hill feature flanked by a series of steep ridges and stream corridors south of Omaha Forest that contain the Omaha valley and western margins of the Omaha flats, incorporating an attractive mixture of remnant native forest and	Interplay between remnant vegetation and rural pasture, reinforcing topography – local landform feature.	High Distinctive conical/ knoll hill country landscape.	High Very clearly articulated hill and ridge sequence that is attractively reinforced by pockets of forest remnants and stream corridors.	High Appealing interplay of landforms and native remnant vegetation, together with part of the Matakana River and its margins that evoke a distinctively New Zealand landscape.	Mod/high Connection of remnant forest stands with River and stream corridors, and their margins.	High Very clearly articulated combination of terrain, vegetation and stream corridors creating a landscape that has a strong structure and pattern.	

			pasture.								
32	Dome Forest	North East Rodney	Hill country Wild nature/Culture d nature (Hill country) Sizeable area of steeply dissected hill country containing a sequence of prominent ridges that are covered in mature remnant forest.	Intact indigenous vegetation reinforcing landform.	High Prominent, steeply dissected hill country.	High Large area of intact mature remnant indigenous forest.		High Prominent due to combination of clearly defined terrain and very extensive, continuous forest cover.	High Large intact area of indigenous forest and upper catchment areas.	High Clearly legible tracts of native forest that display a high integrity, contrasting with surrounding exotic pine forest and farmland.	High
33	Omaha Kahikatea Swamp Forest	North East Rodney	Lowland Wild nature/Culture d nature (Lowland) Wild nature/Culture d nature (Estuary) Significant remnant indigenous kahikatea forest on the edge of the Whangateau Harbour	Intact indigenous vegetation reinforcing landform.		Very high Rare (as the only such forest sequence remaining within the Region) and highly valued example of lowland coastal forest dominated by	High Strongly articulated forest remnant that clearly defines the eastern side of part of the Whangateau Harbour.	High Highly distinctive and unusual remnant vegetation/ lowland feature.	High Intact and cohesive band of native lowland forest closely lined with the adjacent harbour.	High A prominent and cohesive feature that distinctively defines part of the wider harbour landscape and the backdrop to Omaha.	High Relationship with tidal processes of Whangateau Harbour. Variation resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/ year, tide and wildlife. Presence of wading and sea birds.

			including extensive intertidal areas, some mangroves and salt marsh.			kahikatea at the edge of an intertidal sequence of marshland, mangrove and salt marsh flats.					
35	Northern end Mangatawhiri (Omaha) Spit	North East Rodney	Coastal Wild nature(Coastal) Wild nature/Culture d nature (Estuary & harbour) Northern dunes, distal spit and southern side of Whangateau Harbour entry channel. A defining feature for both the harbour and the northern end of Omaha Beach.	Coastal landforms with remnant vegetation. Prominent spit landform feature framing entrance to Whangateau Harbour.	High Distal spit feature linked with wider ocean beach and harbour mouth.		High Defining feature at the junction between and enclosed Whangateau Harbour and the relatively open waters of Omaha Bay.	Mod/ high Archetypal spit landform at the junction of the harbour and open sea.	High Open dune landform and indigenous vegetation cover (manuka).	High Dynamic feature projecting out into the CMA creating a gateway to the Whangateau Harbour.	High Combination of dune spit and tidal harbour and Omaha Bay including variation resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/ year, tide and wildlife. Presence of wading and sea birds.
36	Matakana River – Kawau Bay Coastline	North East Rodney	River mouth & coastal Wild nature(coastal)	Coastal landforms with remnant	High Coastal sequence of	High Coastal margins, including	High Powerful framing of Matakana	High Primarily due to framing of Matakana	High Sequence of coastal margins	High Primarily relates to the sequence of	High Interplay of land, Kawau Bay /

			Wild nature(Hill	indigenous	headlands,	shallow	River mouth	River mouth	including	headlands	Matakana
			country)	vegetation.	river	intertidal	(in	and Kawau	shallow	enclosing the	River mouth
			Sequence of	.0	margins,	areas of	conjunction	Bay by a	intertidal	Matakana	and the open
			headlands, river		slopes and	the	with unit 38)	combination	areas with	River and	waters of the
			margins, slopes		ridges	Matakana	by a	of headlands	some	series of	Hauraki Gulf,
			and ridges		defining	Estuary and	combination	and steep	mangrove	bays	including
			containing bays		bays and	both Millon	of	slopes.	colonies,	together	variation
			that are further		back	and	headlands,	'	stream	with the	resulting from
			enhanced and		dropped by	Prospect	steep slopes		corridors and	marked	atmospheric
			defined by		inland	Bay, are	and		native forest.	prevalence	conditions,
			rolling hill		rolling hill	linked with	extensive			of native	time of day/
			country inland		country.	stream	native forest			forest	year, tide and
			and a complex		,	corridors	while Millon			remnants	wildlife.
			mixture of			and	Bay and			that further	Wading and
			remnant native			pockets of	Prospect Bay			articulate	sea birds
			forest,			coastal	are also			the coastal	prevalent.
			shrubland, open			vegetation	strongly			edge and	
			pasture and the			that extend	defined by a			some stream	
			margins of local			inland.	similar			corridors –	
			settlements.				combination.			contrasting	
			This							with the	
			combination							waters of	
			defines the							both Kawau	
			northern and							Bay and the	
			eastern side of							Matakana	
			the Matakana							River.	
			River and much								
			of the northern								
			side of Kawau								
			Bay.								
37	Tawharanui	North	Hill country	Interplay	Very high	High	Very high	Very high	High	Very high	High
	Peninsula	East	Wild	between	Dramatic	Combines	Derives from	Very powerful	Very marked	Dramatic	Interplay of
		Rodney	nature/Culture	Remnant	projection	the native	the	amalgam of	predominanc	combination	land, Kawau/

			d nature	vegetation	of the	bush	combination	coastal and	e of	of landforms	Omaha Bays
			(Hillcountry)	and rural	peninsula	remnants	of the	hinterland	relatively	and	and the open
			Wild	pasture,	out into the	across the	peninsula's	landscapes	undeveloped	landcover.	waters of the
			nature(Coastal)	reinforcing	Hauraki	entire	projection	that have a	coastal and		Hauraki Gulf,
			Spectacular	topography.	Gulf	peninsula	out into the	high degree of	inland		including
			peninsula		defining	with the	Hauraki Gulf	cohesion,	landscapes,		variation
			coastal		both	mainland	and a	structure/	including		resulting from
			landscape that		Omaha and	island	scenically	patterning, as	Tawharanui		atmospheric
			combines		Kawau	refuge of	diverse array	well as	Regional		conditions,
			headlands,		Bays.	Tawharanui	of coastal	considerable	Park.		time of day/
			steep cliffs and		Combinatio	Regional	landscapes	diversity.	Includes		year, tide and
			shoals with		n of rolling	Park and a	that are		forest,		wildlife.
			ocean beaches		topography	variety of	complement		wetlands,		Wading and
			and attractively		and a	coastal	ed by the		dune		sea birds
			contained bays,		highly	habitats.	forest		margins,		prevalent.
			while its inland		varied		wetlands and		cliffed		
			reaches		coastal		rolling hill		shorelines		
			comprise a		margin that		country of		and rock		
			rolling sequence		includes		the coastal		shoals.		
			of ridges and		dramatic		hinterland.				
			valleys that are		cliff lines,						
			covered in a		headlands						
			mixture of bush		and ocean						
			(including		beaches.						
			Hubbard's								
			Bush), pasture								
			some low								
			density								
			development								
			and some small								
			scale pine								
			woodlots.								
38	Matakana	North	Coastal	Coastal	High	High	High	High	High/mod	High	High

	River South	East Rodney	Wild nature (coastal) Very prominent headland feature and steep coastal cliffs above rock shoals that, together with an extensive margin of remnant native forest, defines the southern side of the mouth of the Matakana River (together with unit 36) and also provides a natural point of division between the settlements of	landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation.	Very prominent headland feature and steep coastal cliffs above rock shoals defining the entry to Matakana River.	Continuous band of remnant native coastal forest that has significant integrity and is firmly linked with the CMA and its rock/ cliff margins despite the incursion of some housing.	Amalgam of dramatic headland and coastal cliffs with shoals and continuous band of native forest that, together with the headland of unit 36 defines and encloses the narrow entry to the Matakana River.	Dramatic topography and coastal forest together with the river mouth contrasting with the much more expansive and open waters of Kawau Bay.	The combination of natural terrain and native forest, in conjunction with the river and bay create a natural coastal landscape despite the presence of housing around Brick Bay Drive.	Very prominent and clearly articulated landform and coastal margins that complement both the River mouth and wider bay landscapes	Interplay of land, Kawau Bay/ Matakana River and the open waters of the Hauraki Gulf, including variation resulting from atmospheric conditions, time of day/ year, tide and wildlife. Wading and sea birds prevalent.
39	Scandrett Regional Park – Martins Bay	North East Rodney	Coastal Wild nature (coastal) Very prominent headland with steep sedimentary	Coastal landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation	High Very prominent headland landform with sedimentar		High Dramatic projection out into the sea at the southern end of Kawau	High Very dramatic headland feature.		High Dramatic interplay between headland/ peninsula landform	High/ mod Interplay of land, Kawau Bay and the open waters of the Hauraki Gulf, including

			cliffs and rock		y cliffs and		Bay; a			and both	variation
			shoals at base.		rock shoals		defining			Kawau	resulting from
			Band of		contrasting		feature.			Bay and the	atmospheric
			remnant coastal		with the					Hauraki Gulf.	conditions,
			forest (Including		expanse of						time of day/
			some pines)		Kawau Bay						year, tide and
			around its		and the						wildlife.
			periphery, and		wider						Wading and
			above Martins		Hauraki						sea birds
			Bay.		Gulf.						prevalent.
40	Mahurangi	North	Coastal	Coastal	Very high	High	High	Very high	High	Very high	High
	East Regional	East	Wild	landforms	Very	Clearly	Very	A very	Natural	Very clearly	Interplay of
	Park	Rodney	nature(coastal)	with	distinctive	defined	dramatic	distinctive,	qualities are	defined	land, harbour
			Wild	remnant	peninsula	matrix of	landform,	dynamic and	clearly	peninsula	and the open
			nature/Culture	indigenous	landform	native	with cliffs	memorable	evident in	landform,	waters of the
			d Nature	vegetation.	defined	forest	that	landscape that	the amalgam	cliff and	Hauraki Gulf,
			(Estuary)	Interplay of	along its	descending	dynamically	clearly	of landforms	headland/	including
			Wild	pasture	outer	into coastal	interact with	expresses the	native forest	bay	variation
			nature/Culture	within	coastal	margins,	the Hauraki	Auckland/	remnants	sequence	resulting from
			d	vegetated	margins by	including	Gulf while	New Zealand	and their	that combine	atmospheric
			nature (Hill	landscape.	a sequence	mangrove	the	vernacular	relationship	with the	conditions,
			country)		of dramatic	colonies,	sequence of	with its	with both	interaction	time of day/
			Dramatic large		sedimentar	bays and	headlands	amalgam of	the	of native	year, tide and
			peninsula		y cliffs and	rock	and bays	terrain,	Mahurangi	forest with	wildlife.
			landform with		shoals	shelves	framing the	vegetation and	Harbour and	pasture to	Wading and
			outer coastal		while the	that clearly	Mahurangi	interaction	Hauraki Gulf/	create a very	sea birds
			cliffs and gently		main ridge	articulate	Harbour	with both	contributing	clearly	prevalent.
			shelving		and gently	the	have a clear	open seas	to a very	articulated	
			harbour margins		rolling land	processes	structure	and harbour	endemic	terrestrial	
			on the eastern		across the	underlying	and pattern	waters.	landscape.	landscape	
			side of the Te		peninsula	this	that is			which is	
			Kapa River,		descends	landscape.	positively		Parts of the	framed and	
			including a very		into an		reinforced by		Те Кара	enhanced by	

			marked		attractive		pattern of		Estuary	the open sea	
			interplay of		sequence		vegetation.		contain	and	
			remnant native		of shallow		regetation		marine	adjoining	
			forest with		bays and				(oyster)	harbour.	
			pasture, as well		headlands				farms, but	narbour.	
			as põhutukawa,		within the				this does not		
			along the outer		Mahurangi				compromise		
					Harbour.				the		
			coastal edge.		пагроиг.				harbour's		
			This landscape								
			enjoys a						current		
			dynamic						natural		
			interaction with						values		
			the open waters						overall.		
			of the Hauraki								
			Gulf but also								
			frames and								
			encloses the								
			outer reaches of								
			the Mahurangi								
			Harbour.								
41	Te Kapa River	North	Harbour &	Interplay	High	High		Very high	High/mod	High	Mod/ high
	headwaters	East	estuary	between	Sequence	Gently		Very clearly	Amalgam of	Clear pattern	Interplay of
	(Mahurangi)	Rodney	Wild	remnant	of stream	shelving		structured and	forest	and	land and
			nature/Culture	vegetation	valleys	harbour		patterned	remnant	structure	harbour
			d nature	and rural	extending	margins		array of forest	stream	emerging	including
			(Estuaries &	pasture,	down to	including		remnants	corridors,	from the	variation
			harbours)	reinforcing	the Te Kapa	an		intermixed	coastal	interplay of	resulting from
			Wild	topography.	River and	extensive		with pasture	margins and	bush	atmospheric
			nature/cultured		Mahurangi	mangrove		and the	mangrove	remnants	conditions,
			nature		Harbour.	colony		enclosed	colonies	with pasture	time of day/
			(lowlands)		Open basin	connected		waters of the	linked to	and its gently	year, tide and
			A very appealing		landform	to a		Te Kapa River.	harbour and	rolling	wildlife.
			harbour/ rural		oriented to	sequence			gently	landform	Wading and

			landscape,		and	of stream			shelving	with the	sea birds
			combining		enclosing	corridors			intertidal	harbour	prevalent
			gently rolling		river/	and			area.	margins,	
			and enclosed		harbour.	remnant				attractively	
			slopes that lead			forest on				enclosed by	
			down to the			margins.				surrounding	
			shallow margins							ridges and	
			of the							peninsulas	
			Mahurangi							which	
			Harbour around							creates an	
			the Te Kapa							attractive	
			River;							tension	
			combining							between the	
			remnant native							enclosed	
			forest with open							land and	
			pasture,							more open	
			mangroves and							harbour.	
			the harbour								
			waters.								
42	Scotts Point &	North	Harbour &	Coastal	High	High	High	High	High/mod	High	High
	Casnell Island	East	estuary	landforms	Very linear	Presence of	Interplay of	Combination	Clearly	Both the	Interplay of
		Rodney	Wild	with	peninsula	native	peninsula	of the	expressed	peninsula	land and
			nature/cultured	remnant	landform,	forest	landform	experience of	harbour	and island	harbour
			nature (Hill	indigenous	and island	combined	and native	going to the	landforms	are very	including
			country) Wild	vegetation.	(flanked by	with	forest	end of Scotts	and	clearly	variation
			nature/cultured	Interplay of	shoals and	coastal	including	Point out in	sedimentary	articulated	resulting from
			nature (Estuary)	pasture	cliffs)	margins	Casnell	the middle of	peninsula/	elements	atmospheric
			Very clearly	within	jutting out	and	Island with	the harbour	island	within the	conditions,
			defined	vegetated	into the flat	intertidal	the flat plain	and of seeing	combined	wider	time of day/
			headland and	landscape.	plain of the	area of the	of the	both the	with	harbour	year, tide and
			island that jut		Mahurangi	Те Кара	harbour and	peninsula and	vegetation	landscape.	wildlife.
			out into the		Harbour.	River	the gently	island	cover in the	Their	Wading and
			Mahurangi				shelving	projecting out	center of the	presence is	sea birds

			Harbour, further				margins of	into the	harbour's	strongly	prevalent
			defined by				the Te Kapa	Mahurangi	water	reinforced by	prevalent
			extensive native				River's	Harbour. A	expanse.	the relatively	
			forest,				intertidal	natural focal	expanse.	steep relief	
			intermixed with				area. Quite	point of the		of both	
			pockets of				dramatic	harbour.		features and	
			pasture and				projection of	marbour.		vegetation	
			'				Scotts Point			•	
			open space, and				out into the			along their	
			low density							spine/ crest.	
			residential				harbour.				
42	\A/aat	N a mt la	development.	Internale:	Hich	Hieb	11:	Mam, bish	11:	Mam, bish	High
43	West	North	Hill country Wild	Interplay	High	High	High	Very high	High	Very high	High
	Mahurangi	East	_	between	Very	Sequence	Very	Very clearly	Amalgam of	Signature	Interplay of
	Harbour	Rodney	nature/cultured	remnant	extensive	of mature	dramatic	articulated	forest	Auckland	land and
			nature (Hill	vegetation	sequence	remnant	sequence of	sequence of	remnant	landscape	harbour
			country) Wild	and rural	of incised	native	terrain and	hill and river	stream	combining	including
			nature/cultured	pasture,	stream	forest	remnant	valley	corridors,	key elements	variation
			nature (Estuary)	reinforcing	valleys	intermixed	forest	topography	coastal	of bush,	resulting from
			A very	landform.	extending	with	interacting	combined with	margins and	coastal	atmospheric
			distinctive		down to	pasture,	with, and	forest	mangrove	fringe,	conditions,
			coastal		the	together	framing both	remnants and	colonies	enclosed	time of day/
			landscape,		Mahurangi	with	stream	natural coastal	linked to	harbour with	year, tide and
			combining		Harbour,	stream	valleys and	margins to	harbour and	streams/	wildlife.
			ridges, river and		including a	corridors	the harbour,	create a very	the Hauraki	river and	Wading and
			stream valleys,		sequence	leading	including the	clearly	Gulf. Very	bush clad	sea birds
			bays and		of	down to	Mahurangi	structured and	strong sense	escarpments	prevalent.
			harbour		headlands	shallow	River up to	patterned hill	of structure		
			headlands to		and bays	bays and	Warkworth.	country and	and		
			create a		that	extensive	River	harbour	sequence		
			complex		dramaticall	mangrove	escarpments	landscape. The	both		
			harbour		y define	colonies.	and ridges	whole	physically		
			topography that		the	Includes	combined	landscape has	and		
			is defined and		harbour	enclosed	with	a strong	perceptually.		

			enframed by large pockets of native forest — includes the Mahurangi River up to Warkworth and its bush clad escarpment.		margins.	water area of the Mahurangi Harbour.	vegetation to strongly define individual catchments.	endemic signature.	Parts of the Mahurangi Harbour contain marine (oyster) farms, but this does not compromise the harbour's current natural values overall.		
44	Mahurangi -	North	Hill country	Coastal and	Very high	High	Very high	Very high	High	Very high	High
	Waiwera	East	Wild	hill country	Very	Extensive	Very	Very clearly	Amalgam of	Signature	Interplay of
		Rodney	nature/cultured	landforms	extensive	sequence	dramatic	articulated	forest	Auckland	land, estuaries
			nature (Hill	with	sequence	of mature	sequence of	sequence of	remnant	landscape	and the open
			country) Wild	remnant	of incised	remnant	terrain and	hill and river	stream	combining	waters of the
			nature/cultured	indigenous	stream 	native	extensive	valley	corridors,	key elements	Hauraki Gulf,
			nature (Estuary)	vegetation	valleys	forest	remnant	topography	coastal	of bush,	including ·
			Wild nature	and pattern	extending	intermixed	forest	combined with	margins and	coastal	variation
			(Coastal))	of pasture	down to	with	interacting	forest	mangrove colonies	fringe, enclosed	resulting from
			A very distinctive, even	reinforcing	Mahurangi	pasture,	with, and framing both	remnants and natural coastal	linked to	harbour with	atmospheric conditions,
			'signature',	topography.	Harbour,	together with	local stream	margins to	harbour and	streams/	time of day/
			coastal		including a	stream	valleys and	create a very	the Hauraki	river and	year, tide and
			landscape (at		sequence	corridors	the Puhoi/	clearly	Gulf. Very	bush clad	wildlife.
			the regional		of	leading	Waiwera	structured and	strong sense	escarpments	Wading and
			level),		dramaticall	down to	Rivers,	patterned hill	of structure		sea birds
			combining the		y cliffed	shallow	including the	country and	and		prevalent.

			deep river		headlands	bays and	prominent	harbour	sequence		
			valleys of the		and bays,	extensive	headland of	landscape. The	both		
			Puhoi and		together		Wenderholm	whole	physically		
					with	mangrove					
			Waiwera Rivers,			colonies.	Regional	landscape has	and		
			together with		forested	Includes	Park and	a strong	perceptually.		
			other enclosed		ridges and	enclosed	Mahurangi	endemic	5		
			coastal		slopes that	water areas	Heads.	signature.	Parts of the		
			estuaries that		strongly	of both			Mahurangi		
			feed into the		define the	rivers –			Harbour		
			Hauraki Gulf.		Waiwera	culminating			contain		
			Framed by a		and Puhoi	in			marine		
			dramatic		River	Wenderhol			(oyster)		
			sequence of		margins.	m Regional			farms, but		
			headlands,			Park.			this does not		
			sedimentary						compromise		
			cliffs, coastal						the		
			ridges, and						harbour's		
			native forest						current		
			extending well						natural		
			inland. Also						values		
			includes						overall.		
			mangrove								
			colonies and a								
			patchwork of								
			open pasture.								
45	Kaipara Flats	North	Hill country	Interplay	High	High	High	High	High	High	
		East	Wild	between	Prominent	Sequence	Very clearly	Very	Cohesive	Very	
		Rodney	nature/cultured	remnant	hill feature	of remnant	articulated	distinctive	interplay of	distinctive	
			nature (Hill	vegetation	surrounded	forest and	hill landform	interplay of	re- emergent	endemic	
			country)	and	by lowland.	shrubland	combined	terrain with	forest with	signature	
			Wild nature	rural		extending	with a clear	forest and	forest strips	arising from	
			(Lowland)	pasture,		into totara	landscape	stream	following	the amalgam	
			Pronounced hill	Reinforcing		and	patterning	corridor	individual	of landforms	

			feature with a	topography.		kahikatea	created by	remnants	streams.	and native	
			mixture of			forest	the	intermixed		forest/	
			remnant native			along	vegetation.	with pasture.		shrubland	
			forest and			stream		Strong		contrasting	
			shrubland			corridors		contrast		with	
			extending down			within		between the		predominant	
			and into a series			Kaipara		focal hill		ly lowland	
			of stream			Flats.		landform and		farmland and	
			corridors within					surrounding		pasture.	
			the Kaipara					alluvial flats.		(Pines on	
			Flats (totara and							southern	
			kahikatea in							side of the	
			lowlands).							hill	
										excluded.)	
46	Upper Puhoi	Central	Hill country	Interplay	Very high	High	High	High	High	High	
	Valleyt	Rodney	Wild	between	Very clearly	Extensive	Amalgam of	Combination	Intact	Very clearly	
			nature/cultured	remnant	defined	sequence	dramatic	of terrain and	sequence of	defined	
			nature (Hill	vegetation	sequence	of native	terrain and	vegetation	forest cover	relationship	
			country)	and rural	of major	forest	native forest	cover creating	and stream	between	
			Very dramatic	pasture,	hill ridges	cover	cover	a clearly	corridors.	topography	
			and dissected	reinforcing	and stream	linked	intermixed	defined		and land	
			hill country with	topography.	escarpmen	across	with lower	matrix, with a		cover	
			a complex		ts framing	major	lying stream	high level of		creating a	
			sequence of		valleys and	ridges,	corridors and	cohesion and		quite	
			stream corridors		stream	slopes and	areas of	continuity.		distinctive	
			in which mature		corridors.	escarpmen	pasture to			and	
			native forest		Dramatic	ts together	create a			Auckland/	
			dominates the		topography	with	clearly			New Zealand	
			higher slopes			stream	defined			landscape.	
			and ridge crests			corridors.	structure				
			flanking lower				and pattern.				
			lying pasture.								
			Includes the								

47	Upper Waiwera Road	Central Rodney	bush covered escarpment following the Puhoi River. Hill country Wild nature/cultured nature (Hill country) Rolling hill country and several stream corridors with remnant forest and shrubland	Interplay between remnant vegetation and rural pasture, reinforcing topography.	High Prominent sequence of rolling hills and ridges including stream corridors.	High Intact indigenous vegetation (kahikatea particularly prominent) on hills and framing riparian corridors	High Sequence of remnant forest interspersed through farmland and open pasture. Combination of landcover structuring the	High Native forest and shrubland sequence also framing stream corridors.	High Complex interplay of native forest and open pasture with the forest dominating the higher slopes and ridges	
			intermixed with pasture.			and catchments	landscape.		framing both the farmland	
			pasture.						and water	
									catchments/	
									stream corridors.	
48	Wainui Road	Central	Hill country	Indigenous	High	High	High	High	High	
		Rodney	Wild	forest	Prominent	Intact	Sequence of	Native forest	Combination	
			nature/cultured	remnants	hill and	indigenous	remnant	and	of variable	
			nature (Hill	reinforcing	ridge	vegetation	forest	shrubland	relief and	
			country)	topography.	landforms,	on hills and	interspersed	sequence	focal nature	
			Rolling hill		sequence	along	through	also linked to	of the ridge	
			country with		of rolling	riparian	farmland and	stream	crests	
			remnant		hills and	corridor.	open pasture.	corridor.	accentuated	
			forest and		ridges		Combination		by the native	
			shrubland		extending		of landcover		forest	
			intermixed with		down to		structuring the		remnants;	
			pasture on its		significant		landscape.		native forest	

			periphery; also includes bush following Weiti Stream corridor.		stream corridor.					also defines stream corridor.	
49	Sunnyside Road, Coatesville	Central Rodney	Lowlands Wild nature/cultured nature (Lowlands) Wild nature/cultured nature (Hill country) Quite detailed/ distinctive combination of native forest on ridge and hill crests combined with bush along stream corridors, contrasting with pasture and surrounding farming/ rural residential land uses.	Indigenous forest remnants reinforcing topography. Interplay with pasture.	High Fine grained sequence of stream corridors, escarpmen ts and ridges.	Mod/ high Combinatio n of stream corridors, including wetlands, linked with a sequence of remnant and re- emerging forest pockets.		High Very strong interplay of natural features and patterns with the more open pasture of adjoining rural residential development around Coatesville, creating a distinctive, enclosed natural/ cultural landscape.	High/ mod Sequence of readily apparent forest around stream corridors extending up onto higher slopes and ridges to create a network of natural forest elements.	High Evident patterning of natural and cultural landscape components that imbues the landscape with a strong sense of structure and character. Strong sense of place.	
50	Shakespeare Regional Park and Coastline	Central Rodney	Coastal Wild nature (Coastal) Wild nature/cultured nature (Lowland) Wild	Coastal landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation	High Very dramatic profile of coastal headland	High Enclosed coastal waters connected with re-	High Interaction of open sea with headland cliffs with	High Strongly expressed interplay between bush and stream	High/mod Strong sense of natural sequence from the bays into	High Very clearly defined natural patterns and sequence	High Highly atmospheric interaction with both the Hauraki

			nature/cultured nature (Hill country) Combination of strongly defined peninsula headland landform and remnant forest intermixed with pasture descending to wetlands and gently shelving coastal margins around Army Bay and Okoromai Bay while the	and pattern of pasture reinforcing topography.	and clearly etched cliff lines contrasting with the more gentle profile of ridges and valleys descending towards beaches and intertidal flats of Army/ Okoromai Bay.	emergent wetlands stream corridors and bush remnants, significant revegetatio n. Birdlife abundant.	more sheltered inner bays. Strongly expressed patterns and landscape structure with the Regional Park's landscape contrasting quite markedly with nearby urban development and the	gullies and on some ridge crests with surrounding pasture and marked interaction between the coastal cliffs and the sea.	wetlands and up-stream corridors into bush areas.	providing positive counterpoint with the Regional Park's areas of pasture. Very strong interaction between land and sea expressed in the cliff margins particularly.	Gulf, affected by weather and light conditions, time of year/day. Abundant coastal birdlife, proximity to Tiritiri Matangi.
51	Okura Estuary Headlands	Central Rodney	northern coastlines of the headland are emphatically defined by very steep cliffs and shoals. Coastal Wild nature (Coastal) Wild nature/cultured	Coastal/ estuarine landforms with	High Interplay of sedimentar y cliffs to	High Clear sequence of open	High Strong river focal point flanked by	High Clearly expressed river corridor	High/mod Linked sequence of coastal	High Clearly expressed river corridor	High Highly atmospheric coastal waters
			nature (Lowland)	remnant indigenous	the south with	water, intertidal	attractive amalgam of	contained by a sequence of	waters, intertidal	supported by adjacent	affected by climate, time

			Wild	vegetation	shallower	flats, shell	flats, shoals,	natural	flats and	landforms	of day and
			nature/cultured	and pattern	intertidal	banks, salt	cliffs and	elements that	shell banks,	and native	year, also
			nature (Hill	of pasture	area	marsh,	native forest.	is both	marshland,	forest	notable for
			country)	reinforcing		wetland	mative forest.	distinctive and	wetland and	margins to	coastal and
			• • •	_	merging with	and native		harmonious	native forest.	create a	forest birdlife.
			Strongly defined	topography.		forest.			native forest.		iorest birdine.
			river corridor		forested			irrespective of		reasonably	
			flanked by		slopes and	Tidal and		the existing		cohesive	
			sedimentary		ridge	forest bird		Okura		whole that	
			cliffs to the		profile to	habitats.		settlement		contrasts	
			south (Okura)		the north.			and adjoining		with	
			and native					farm land.		surrounding	
			forest across							development	
			slopes and							, exotic	
			coastal ridges to							forestry and	
			the north							rural land	
			framing a							uses.	
			mixture of open								
			water, sand/								
			mud flats and								
			mangroves.								
1	Paremoremo	North	Hill country	Indigenous	High	High		High	High	High	
	Escarpment	Shore	Wild nature	forest	Geological	Intact and		Very strongly	Intact	Very strong	
	·		(Hill country)	remnants	sequence	reasonably		articulated	sequence of	amalgam of	
			Wild nature	reinforcing	very clearly	extensive		combination	stream	landform	
			(Estuary	topography.	defined,	sequence		of elevated	corridor	and forest	
			& harbour)	' ' ' '	prominent	of re-		landform and	(including	cover	
			Highly legible		ridge	emergent		forest cover	mangrove	providing	
			escarpment		descending	native		that contrasts	margins) and	strong	
			landform still		to stream	forest.		with	native forest.	counterpoint	
			mainly		corridor;			surrounding		to adjacent	
			dominated by		including			rural, rural		landuse	
			native forest		part of			residential and		(urban to	
			together with		Paremorem			prison/		rural).	

			enclosed upper reaches of Paremoremo		o Stream.			institutional development.			
			Stream at its								
			base.								
53	Lucas Creek	North	Hill country	Indigenous	High	High		High	High	High	High
		Shore	Wild nature	forest	Geological	Intact and		Very strongly	Intact	Very strong	
			(Hill country)	remnants	sequence	reasonably		articulated	sequence of	amalgam of	
			Wild nature	reinforcing	very clearly	extensive		combination of elevated	stream corridor	landform and forest	
			(Estuary & harbour)	topography.	defined, prominent	sequence of re-		landform and	(including	cover	
			Highly legible		ridge	emergent		forest cover	mangrove	providing	
			escarpment		descending	native		that contrast	margins) and	strong	
			landform still		to stream	forest.		with	native forest.	counterpoint	
			mainly		corridor;			surrounding		to adjacent	
			dominated by		including			rural		land uses	
			native forest		part of			residential and		(urban to	
			within the		Lucas			Albany Village		rural).	
			enclosed upper		Creek.			development.			
			reaches of the								
			Lucas Creek								
			water								
			catchment.								
54	Long Bay	North	Coastal	Coastal	High		High	High	Significant	High	Mod/ high
		Shore	Wild nature	landforms	Very		Interaction	Strongly	area of	Very clearly	Highly
			(Coastal)	with both	dramatic		of open sea	expressed	remnant	defined	atmospheric
			Dramatic	remnant	profile of		with	interplay	native forest	natural	interaction
			sequence of	indigenous	coastal		headland	between cliffs,	above	patterns and	with both the
			sedimentary	vegetation	headland		cliffs.	rock shoals,	Vaughans	sequence	Hauraki Gulf,
			headlands and	and	and clearly			beaches and	Stream.	providing	affected by
			cliffs, backed by	revegetation	etched cliff			the open sea		positive	weather and
			rolling pastoral	within	lines and			of the Hauraki		counterpoint	light
			ridges and	Grannies Bay	rock shoals			Gulf		with the	conditions,

			basins, interspersed with beaches and stream corridors.	reinforcing the natural topography.	from Piripiri Point to Long Bay. Backed by the main coastal ridge above Granniies Bay extending out to Piripiri Point, with subsidiary ridges and basins intersperse d with small beach areas.		culminating in the interaction of Piripiri Point.		Regional Park's areas of pasture. Very strong interaction between land and sea expressed in the cliff margins particularly.	time of year/day.
55	West Coast Awhitu Peninsula	Franklin	Hill country & coastal Wild nature (coastal) Wild nature/cultured nature (hill country) Dynamic coastline underpinned by	Coastal and coastally derived landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation and pattern of pasture	Very high Very dramatic dune formations and dune gully systems oriented to the coast.	High Sequence of dunes, gullies, lakes and dramatic beach/dune front on the edge of the Tasman Sea.	Very high Exceptionally dramatic, dynamic distinctive landscape.	High Sequence of dunes, streams, lakes and remnant forest.	High Obvious relationship between coastal processes that have formed the underlying topography	High Highly atmospheric west coast qualities. Wild remote qualities strongly expressed.

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			massive dune	reinforcing					and bush	
			formations that	dramatic					remnants	
			includes major	topography.					and lake/	
			coastal ridges						stream	
			and headlands,						corridors	
			steep valleys						that are also	
			and gullies						clearly	
			around lakes						evident.	
			and wetlands,							
			often further							
			defined by							
			remnant native							
			forest. A raw							
			and wildly							
			scenic							
			landscape.							
56	Lakes	Franklin	Lowland	Natural lakes	High		High	High	High	High
	Whatihua,		Cultured nature	and wetlands	Dune		Key focal	Water	Clearly	Wildlife,
	Rotoiti and		(lowland)	in pastoral	impoundm		points within	bodies and	articulates	waterbody
	Puketi		Perched dune	landscape.	ent		wider dune	wetland	the nature of	mirrors
			lakes located on		expressed		and pastoral	margins with	duneland	change in
			the inland side		in wetland/		landscape.	raupo	formation	weather and
			of Kariotahi		waterbody		Contrast with	margins.	and low lying	time of day.
			Beach's dune		formation.		surrounding		dune	,
			formations and				open rural		impounded	
			coastal ridge,				farmed		water	
			largely				landscape.		bodies.	
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1			surrounded by							
			surrounded by pasture but also							
			pasture but also							
			pasture but also including							
			pasture but also							

			vegetation.								
57	Kariotahi Coastline	Franklin	Coastal Wild nature (coastal) Raw and wild West Coast beach characterised by its very extensive linear profile and black sand beachfront backed by eroding coastal cliffs and dune remnants. Extends to top of coastal ridge only.	Long extent of beach and dunes with relatively undeveloped rural backdrop extending only to top of coastal ridge.	High Black sand beach and cliff/steep slope backdrop.		High Extreme coastal processes evident.	High Archetypal west coast linear beach.		High Dramatic, dynamic coastal landscape, including erosion processes.	High/ med Related to west coast climatic qualities, tidal/ west coast sun set qualities and birdlife. Wild remote qualities strongly expressed.
59	West Ramarama and Bombay (Two sites)	Franklin	Hill country Cultured nature (hill country) Attractive sequence of remnant native forest and stream corridors contrasting with surrounding pasture and market gardens, that reinforces	Interplay of indigenous forest remnants and pasture, reinforcing topography.	High Discrete elevated landform with rock formations and volcanic features.	Mod/ high Native forest remnants and stream corridors.		High Structure and pattern created by forest remnant and stream corridors intermixing with pasture on elevated volcanic landform.	Mod/ high Mainly related to bush and streams.	High Landforms clearly reflect volcanic origins while bush and streams cohesively reinforce natural topography. Strong sense	

			the rolling to							of pattern	
			incised nature							and	
			of the local rural							structure.	
			landscape.								
60	Ponga Road	Franklin	Hill country	Interplay of	High	High		High	High	High	
			Cultured	indigenous	Strong	Extensive		Very marked	Strong sense	Very	
			nature/wild	forest	elevated	areas of		naturalness	of	apparent	
			nature (hill	remnants	relief as	native		values and	naturalness	greywacke	
			country)	and pasture,	part of	forest,		strong	evident in	hill landform	
			Extensive	reinforcing	wider hill	native		interplay of	the forest	overlain with	
			sequence of	topography.	sequence.	shrubland		underlying	and	shrubland/	
			mature and			and stream		topography	shrubland	forest/	
			regenerating			corridors.		with areas of	areas,	stream	
			native forest,					bush and	together	corridor	
			combined with					more	with the	sequence.	
			strongly					peripheral	terrain.		
			articulated					pockets of			
			stream corridors					pasture.			
			that reinforce								
			the natural								
			qualities of this								
			rolling to								
			dissected hill								
			country								
			landscape.								
62	Hunua Ranges	Franklin	Hill country	Interplay of	High	High	High	Very high	High	Very high	High
		(Part in	Cultured	intact	Strong	Extensive	Interaction	Very marked	Strong sense	Very	Native birdlife.
		Manuka	nature/wild	mature	elevated	areas of	of	naturalness	of	apparent	Including sea
		u area)	nature (hill	indigenous	relief as	native	the waters of	values and	naturalness	greywacke	birds along the
			country)	forest and	part of	forest,	the Firth of	strong	evident in	hill landform	Firth coastline.
			Second major	forest	wider hill	native	Thames with	interplay of	the forest	overlain with	Tidal
			hill range	remnants	sequence.	shrubland	the rocky	underlying	and	scrub/	variations and
			flanking	with pasture,		and stream	coastline at	topography	shrubland	forest/	Weather

			Auckland's metropolitan area: dominated by native forest and water catchments focusing upon lake reservoirs and strong connection with the margins of the Firth of Thames. Combines relatively high relief with significant areas of native forest & maturing	reinforcing topography. Strong engagement between the hill country and native forests with the waters of the Firth of Thames. Awareness of the Coromandel Peninsula containing the Firth's sea surface.	Sequence of headlands and coves, and stony beaches framing the Firth of Thames.	corridors.	the eastern end of the Hunua Ranges.	with areas of bush and more peripheral pockets of pasture. Very pronounced interaction between the Firth of Thames and the hill country margins that enclose and engage with it. Clearly visible Coromandel Peninsula across	areas, together with the terrain. Largely natural sea area, although existing marine farming is clearly visible within the Firth of Thames near Matingarahi Point.	stream corridor sequence. Dramatic interaction of hillcountry with the Firth of Thames, and enclosure of that sea body by both the Hunua and Coromandel Ranges.	conditions altering the state of the Firth of Thames water area.
			vegetation; only low levels of built modification (houses)								
63	Orere Point - Waimangu	Manuka u	(houses). Harbour & estuary Wild nature (coastal) Strongly defined, cliffed, coastal landscape that is backed by	Coastal landforms. Interplay of indigenous forest remnants and pasture, reinforcing topography.	High Sequence of gently shelving beaches with shelves with cliff faces		High Dramatic interaction with the waters of the Firth of Thames, especially within	High Archetypal east coast coastline with series of bays and headlands and cliffs backed by stream	High Series of tracts of native bush and remnant forest extending down to the edge of the	High Combination of elevated coastal edge/ topography and remnant bush patterns	High Sea birds along the Firth coastline. Tidal Variations and weather conditions altering the

			significant areas of tall, predominantly native, vegetation, which interacts very strongly with the Firth of Thames. Some low density, subservient housing at Orere Point.	Strong engagement between the headlands and native forest remnants with the waters of the Firth of Thames. Awareness of The Coromandel Peninsula	leading into ridges pronounce d.		Tapapakanga Regional Park and the engagement of its series of cliffed headlands with the Firth of Thames.	corridors and bush remnants.	Firth; Relatively undeveloped beachfronts and cliff-line.	(pōhutukawa) creating a clear landscape structure along the Firth of Thames coastline.	state of the Firth of Thames water area.
				Containing the Firth's							
				sea surface.							
65	Mataitai Forest	Manuka u	Hill country Cultured nature/wild nature (hill country) Dissected hill country that combines a highly significant tract of native forest, shrubland and stream corridors with pockets of pasture on the	Interplay of indigenous forest remnants and pasture, reinforcing topography.	High Strong elevated relief as part of wider hill sequence.	High Extensive areas of native forest, native shrubland and stream corridors.		Very high Very marked naturalness values and strong interplay of underlying topography with areas of bush and more peripheral pockets of pasture.	High Strong sense of naturalness evident in the forest & shrubland areas, together with the terrain.	Very high Very apparent greywacke hill landform overlain with shrubland/ forest/ stream corridor sequence.	

			hill country								
			margins.								
66	North	Manuka	Hill country	Interplay of	High	High		Very high	High	Very high	
	Clevedon	u	Cultured	indigenous	Strong	Extensive		Very marked	Strong sense	Very	
			nature/wild	forest	elevated	areas of		naturalness	of	apparent	
			nature (Hill	remnants	relief	native		values and	naturalness	greywacke	
			country)	with pasture,	southern	forest,		strong	evident in	hill landform	
			Dissected hill	reinforcing	end of	native		interplay of	the forest	overlain with	
			country	topography.	range	shrubland		underlying	and	shrubland/	
			overlooking		(only)	and stream		topography	shrubland	forest/	
			Clevedon Village		extending	corridors.		with areas of	areas,	stream	
			that combines		north, part			bush and	together	corridor	
			a steep		of wider hill			more	with the	sequence.	
			sequence of		sequence.			peripheral	terrain.	Backdrop to	
			ridges and					pockets of		Clevedon.	
			stream corridors					pasture.			
			with an								
			extensive area								
			of remnant								
			native forest								
			and shrubland								
			that contrasts								
			with								
			surrounding								
			pastoral								
			farmland and								
			exotic forestry.								
67	Duder	Manuka	Harbour &	Coastal	High	High	High	High	High/mod	High	High
	Reigional Park	u	estuary	landforms	Very	Littoral	Firth of	Strongly	Combination	Obvious	Atmospheric
			Wild nature	with pockets	distinctive	zone linked	Thames,	discrete	of tidal,	promontory	coastal
			(coastal)	of remnant	and	with salt	diverse	landform	intertidal,	framing	landscape,
			A very	indigenous	discrete	marsh and	intertidal	standing out	marshland	adjoining	intertidal
			prominent	vegetation	headland	native	formations	from coast –	and coastal	beaches and	values and

			headland landform mostly covered in pasture but with pockets of remnant coastal forest descending down to Umupuia Beach and a sequence of wetland salt marsh, intertidal flats and beach north of the mouth of the Wairoa River.	among pasture, reinforcing topography.	topography framing tidal flats, beaches, salt marsh and alluvial plain.	forest pockets. Rocky/ cliff and intertidal margins around peninsula landform.	around prominent headland landform.	promontory.	elements.	flats.	connection with the Firth of Thames as well as more localised bird life.
68	Maraetai- Umupuia Coast Road	Manuka u	Coastal Wild nature (coastal) Sequence of headlands and rocky bays with steep backdrop of largely forested ridge slopes with some pasture framing the edge of the Firth of Thames. Parts of the	Coastal landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation reinforcing topography.	High Very marked sequence of coastal bays and shoals, headlands, cliffs and ridges.	High Forested coastline and hill country backdrop.	High Firth of Thames coastal edge.	High Very strong amalgam of a cliffed coastal edge with remnant coastal forest (pōhutukawa) creating a strong sense of structure and pattern.	High Derived from the combination of terrain and remnant native forest interacting with the Firth of Thames.	High Very apparent landform sequence and patterns associated with its forest cover and some pasture.	High Strongly atmospheric values derived from the Firth of Thames.

			coastal edge are								
			strongly cliffed.								
			Very little								
			obvious								
			modification.								
69	Omana	Manuka	Harbour &	Coastal	High		Mod/ high	High	High/ mod	Mod/ high	High
	Regional Park	u	estuary	landforms	Sequence		Coastal	Unmodified	Sequence of	Landform	Tidal and
	(Field Check		Wild nature	with	of		processes	headland	intertidal	sequence	atmospheric
	required)		(coastal)	remnant	sedimentar		interaction	defining break	flats/ beach/	reinforced by	conditions
			Sequence of	indigenous	y coastal		with Tamaki	between	salt marsh	interplay of	combined with
			clay sandstone	vegetation	landforms		Strait and	settlements of	wetland	pasture and	climate/
			cliffs with sandy	reinforcing	from		the intertidal	Maraetai and	eroding	bush-	diurnal effects
			beach fringe	topography.	intertidal		beach areas.	Beachlands.	coastal cliffs	undeveloped	on Tamaki
			and tidal flats.		flats to				and native	coastal	Strait.
			Mixture of		coastal				bush	landscape	
			pasture and		ridge.				remnants.	between	
			bush remnants							settlements	
			defining the							either side.	
			coastal edge.								
			Some small								
			scale rural								
			development in								
			proximity but								
			main settlement								
			limited to								
			margins of								
			Maraetai and								
			nearby								
			Beachlands								
			outside the								
			ONL.								
70	Trig Road,	Manuka	Hill country	Interplay of	High	Mod/ high		High	High/ mod	High	
	Whitford	u	Cultured nature	indigenous	Escarpment			Visually	Combination	Clear	

			(hill country) Whitford escarpment including remnant vegetation and pasture down to stream that combines significant areas of maturing vegetation interspersed with pasture.	forest remnants and pasture, reinforcing topography.	landform and stream (defines bottom boundary in places)	riparian and bush habitat.	prominent escarpment backdrop further defined by bush thereon and stream at foot.	of stream corridor, escarpment landform and bush remnants.	sequence created by combination of stream corridor, landform and ridge above stream, bush remnants and interplay with surrounding pasture and rural residential development	
71	Mangemanger oa Creek Escarpment	Manuka u	Harbour & estuary Wild nature (estuary & harbour) Very clearly defined river valley with a continuous ridgeline backdrop dominated by remnant native forest. (Not including	Coastal landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation reinforcing topography.	High Very clearly articulated river corridor landform with internal flats and steeply rising backdrop of coastal ridge to the west.	High Combinatio n of water, mangrove, salt marsh, natural landform sequence and coastal forest remnants.	High Visually prominent reinforced by continuity of natural elements throughout the stream corridor and their contrast with the adjoining metropolitan edge.	High Sequence from water to salt marsh then mangroves and native forest.	High Remnant natural system clearly evident, contrasting with both urban and rural residential context.	Mod/ high Ephemeral climatic and diurnal/ factors combined with birdlife.

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			eastern stream								
			bank above mid								
			corridor).								
			Providing								
			counterpoint to								
			nearby urban								
			edge and rural								
			residential								
			development to								
			the southeast.								
7.	2 South Titirang	i Waitake	Harbour &	Coastal and	High	High	High	High	High	High	High
		re	estuary	foothill/	Clearly	Forest		Dramatic	Well defined	Very strong	Presence of
			Wild nature	ridge	expressed	habitat,		interplay of	coastal	conjunction	wildlife and
			(estuary	landforms	sedimentar	coastal		kauri	features	of harbour	around
			& harbour)	with	y landforms	margins		dominated	including	landscape	harbour edge.
			Cultured	remnant	including	and		coastal forest	cliffs bays	and enclosed	A combination
			nature/ wild	indigenous	incised	wetlands.		with Manukau	and wetlands	bays defined	of
			nature (hill	vegetation	bays and			Harbour and	linked with	by tall	atmospheric
			country)	reinforcing	steep			bays. Very	surrounding	coastal	and diurnal
			Amalgam of	topography.	cliffed			endemic/	coastal	forest (re-	variations
			incised		harbour			Auckland	forest.	emergent	contributes to
			sedimentary		margins			landscape		kauri) on	local
			coastline with		extending			(strong sense		steeply rising	character.
			remnant		into			of place).		ridges and	character.
			wetlands		hinterland			or place).		cliffs.	
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			wetlands framed by remnant kauri (predominant) forest including some limited residential development but excluding		hinterland ridges.					cliffs.	

			major								
			residential								
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73	Waitakere	Waitake	Hill country	Coastal and	High	High	Very high	Very high	High	Very high	High
	Ranges and	re	Wild	inland ranges	Strong	Extensive	Signature	An iconic	Strong sense	Very strongly	Highly
	Coastline		nature/cultured	landforms	elevated	areas of	West Coast	Auckland	of	articulated	atmospheric
			nature (hill	with largely	relief as	native	landscape	landscape that	naturalness	greywacke	interaction
			country) Wild	intact	part of	forest,	combined	is very strongly	evident in	hill	with both the
			nature(estuary	remnant	wider hill	native	with very	linked to the	the forest	landforms	Tasman Sea
			& harbour)	indigenous	sequence	shrubland	extensive	identity of the	together	and water	and Manukau
			Wild	vegetation	extending	and stream	native	wider region.	with the	catchments	Harbour,
			nature(coastal)	reinforcing	into both	corridors,	forest/	Very marked	terrain linked	overlain with	affected by
			A truly iconic	topography.	the	combined	ranges	naturalness	to both	forest and	weather and
			landscape		dramatic	with	landscape.	values and	Tasman Sea	coastal	light
			insofar as it is		west coast	enclosed		strong	and	margin	conditions,
			strongly and		"black	harbour,		interplay of	Manukau	sequences.	time of year/
			uniquely		sand"	and very		underlying	Harbour		day. Abundant
			associated with		beaches	exposed		topography	margins.		coastal and
			the Auckland		and cliffs,	Tasman		with areas of			forest birdlife.
			Region and		and	Sea, coastal		bush and			
			includes a very		sedimentar	margins.		more			
			extensive		y Manukau	Natural		peripheral			
			sequence of		Harbour	sequence		pockets of			
			reemerging to		coastal	includes		pasture.			
			mature native		edge.	bays,		Dramatic			
			forest on hill			wetlands,		sequence of			
			country			stream		coastal			
			including			corridors,		landscapes.			
			Manukau			dune					
			Harbour			landforms,					
			margins, water			and native					
			catchments and			forest;					
			lakes and a			home to a					

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			dynamic,			wide range					
			dramatic West			of					
			Coast. Excludes			indigenous					
			major areas of			species.					
			settlement e.g.								
			Piha.								
74	Rangitoto,	Hauraki	Islands	Retention of	Very high	Very high	High	Very high	High	Very high	High
	Motutapu,	Gulf	Wild nature	indigenous	Signature	Very	Dramatic,	Very unusual	Very	Dramatic	Highly
	Motuike,	Islands,	(coastal) Wild	vegetation,	volcanic	distinctive	evocative	and distinctive	extensive	combination	atmospheric
	Motukorea	Aucklan	nature/cultured	both intact	landform of	and rare	conical	combination	forest cover	of island	interaction
	(Browns),	d Area	nature (hill	and	Rangitoto,	(being the	landform of	of island	across	landforms	with both the
	Tiritiri Matangi		country)	remnant,	together	only	Rangitoto	landforms and	Rangitoto	volcanic	Hauraki Gulf
			Iconic Hauraki	reinforcing	with the	example of	combined	vegetation	and Tiritiri	features,	and Tamaki
			Gulf Island	topography.	crater/cone	its kind	with the	cover across	Matangi	forest cover	Strait, affected
			landscapes –	Interplay of	/ lava flow	within the	crater form	Rangitoto	combined	and bush	by weather
			strongly	pasture and	island	Region)	of	that, in	with forest	intermixed	and light
			identified with	remnant and	landform of	coastal	Motukorea	conjunction	pockets on	with pasture	conditions,
			the Auckland	regenerating	Motukorea	forest	and sheer	with	Motuihe and	contrasting	time of year/
			Region as a	indigenous	together	sequence	uplifted cliffs	peripheral	Motutapu	with the	day. Abundant
			whole - that	vegetation	with the	across the	of Motutapu,	cliffs and rock	extending	surrounding	coastal
			include two	important on	sedimentar	lava flows	Motuihe and	shoals create a	down to the	Hauraki Gulf	birdlife.
			major volcanic	Motutapu	y profiles of	of	Tiritiri	dramatic NZ	coast create	– results in a	
			features and	and	Motutapu,	Rangitoto,	Matangi	island	a strong	landscape	
			other	Motuihe.	Motuihe	together	contrast very	landscape.	sequence	that is very	
			sedimentary	Landform	and more	with the	markedly	Gulf islands	and sense of	Expressive	
			island landforms	strongly	northern	more	with the	play a strong	naturalness.	and contains	
			that are highly	expressed	Tiritiri	isolated	waters of the	part in	A very	multiple	
			distinctive and	and – in the	Matangi.	pockets of	Hauraki Gulf.	Auckland's	endemic NZ	landmarks.	
			provide the	case of		native		identity.	landscape.		
			focus for a	Rangitoto		forest on			Very limited		
			multitude of	and Browns		Motutapu			development		
			views toward	Islands		and			on the		
			the Hauraki Gulf	-iconic		Motuihe			islands,		

			from the	because of		linked			mainly		
			eastern	the unique		often with			related to		
			shoreline of the	and different		the coastal			public access		
			Auckland	ways in		edge.			and use (or		
			Region.	which they		Strong			with heritage		
				reveal		connection			values on		
				Auckland's		between			Rangitoto).		
				volcanic		the					
				heritage.		restored					
						coastal					
						forest on					
						Tiritiri					
						Matangi					
						and its					
						coastal					
						periphery.					
75	Rakino Island	Hauraki	Islands	Retention of	High		High	High	High	High	High
	islet landform	Gulf	Wild nature	coastal	Series of		Very	Very	Essentially	Dramatic	Highly
	and	Islands,	(coastal)	landforms	prominent		dramatic	prominent	comprising a	interface	atmospheric
	headland	Aucklan	Sequence of six	and remnant	rock/ cliff		interaction	features in	very raw and	between	interaction
		d	headlands and	pōhutukawa.	headlands		between the	their own right	natural	land and sea	with the
		Area	islets that are		and islets		headlands	that define	sequence of	expressive of	Hauraki Gulf,
			dominated by		that flank		and islets	much of	landform	coastal	affected by
			bare exposed		and		extending	Rakino's	features that	processes,	weather and
			rock and cliffs		enclose the		out into the	periphery but	interact	which has a	light
			flanking bays		bays		Hauraki Gulf.	also	directly with	very raw,	conditions,
			and areas of		around		Exposed, raw	attractively	the CMA and	wild	time of year/
			pasture and		Rakino		and	enclose some	contrast with	character	day. Abundant
			rural residential		Island,		elemental	of its bays. The	Rakino's	that	coastal
			development.		including		interaction	northern	more	contrasts	birdlife.
					part of the		of these	headlands are	developed/	with the	
					very		features with	part of a	pastoral	more	
1	1				prominent		the sea and	dramatic	hinterland	sheltered,	

76	The Noises	Hauraki Gulf Islands, Aucklan d Area	Islands Wild nature (coastal) Sequence of islets in exposed outer Hauraki Gulf waters.	Retention of interplay between undeveloped coastal landforms and vegetation cover that reinforces topography.	northern headland sequence that terminates that end of the island. High Sequence of small scale rocky islands and islets directly exposed to the waters of the outer Hauraki Gulf.	High Due to isolated location and landform the islands are associated with Gulf bird life and fish stocks, a series of very natural coastal landforms.	High Dramatic interaction between the cliffed, jagged and raw profile of the Noises and the seas that surround them. Remote; wild and elemental.	sequence of cliffs that face the outer Hauraki Gulf. High Very dramatic and dynamic interplay between these natural landforms and the waters of the Gulf. A landmark series of islands on the edge of the outer Gulf that comprise part of a gateway to it.	High Totally undeveloped with a character that expresses both natural processes and evokes a strong sense of being divorced from human activity.	protected nature of adjoining bays and coves. High A landmark group of small islands and islets that mark the point of transition between the inner and outer Hauraki Gulf both visually and physically an archetypal small island sequence.	High Highly atmospheric interaction with the Hauraki Gulf, affected by weather and light conditions, time of year/ day. Abundant coastal birdlife.
77	Waiheke Island northern headland, Hakaimongo Point to Onetangi Bay	Hauraki Gulf Islands, Aucklan d Area	Islands Wild nature (coastal) Wild nature, Cultured nature (hill country) Headland and rocky coastal	Coastal landforms with remnant indigenous vegetation, particularly pohutukawa	Very high Very prominent series of headlands and points that define the		High Combination of landmark coastal headlands and rocky shorelines, with	High Part of a prominent coastal sequence, within which the headlands and rock	High Combination of remnant native forest with the raw coastal edge comprising cliffs and	Very high Signature features within the wider coastline that define its individual	High Highly atmospheric interaction with the Hauraki Gulf, affected by weather and

			landforms including areas of remnant forest and pasture, steep cliffs and rock shoals framing larger bays along the north western coastline of Waiheke Island.	reinforcing topography.	margins of some north-western Waiheke's more prominent ocean beaches. Comprising a dramatic sequence of cliffs, rock shoals, small coves, native forest remnants and rolling pasture within the immediate hinterland.		remnant forest above that contribute to the dramatic and highly expressive landscape of north- western Waiheke. Very dynamic interaction of the headlands with the exposed waters of the Hauraki Gulf.	promontories are signature features that define much of the interaction with the Gulf.	rock shoals that interact directly with the open sea.	parts and that are key landmarks in their own right.	light conditions, time of year/ day. Abundant coastal birdlife.
78	Waiheke Island eastern end	Hauraki Gulf Islands, Aucklan d Area	Islands Wild nature (coastal) Wild nature, Cultured nature (hill country) Very extensive	Coastal landforms with intact and remnant indigenous vegetation, reinforcing	Very high Very extensive sequence of coastal headlands, cliffs and	Very high Very pronounce d sequence of native forest, vegetated	High Very dramatic interaction between the sea and Waiheke	High Amalgam of dramatic coastal sequences (especially around	High Extensive forest tracts combined with stream corridors, largely	Very high Very distinctive and memorable sequence of landforms	High Highly atmospheric interaction with the Hauraki Gulf, affected by

			sequence of rolling to steep hill country and rocky/ embayed coastline at the eastern end of Waiheke Island, including large areas of remnant native forest intermixed with open pasture and vineyards, and a convoluted shoreline. (Includes the Stoney Batter historic defence features and landscape	topography.	bays extending into rolling hill country then the steeper confines of the Puke Range that acts as a backdrop to most of the eastern end of Waiheke Island.	stream corridors and forested to open coastal margins, including the edge of Te Matuku Bay with its enclosed inlet and mangroves on the southern island shoreline.	Island culminating in the headlands of Thumb Point and Kauri Point backed by a clearly articulated sequence of hill country, including native forest remnants (kauri, taraire, puriri and totara) and more open pasture/ vineyards.	Tikitikiatongi Point, Hooks Bay, and Thumb Point) and forest/ pasture hinterland that displays a clearly articulated structure and pattern. Puke Range forms a prominent backdrop to most of the eastern end of the Island.	natural and often very dramatic coastal margins and the inlet of Te Matuku Bay — interacting directly with the seas of the Hauraki Gulf. The coastal edge is little developed and often conveys feelings of remoteness, wildness and near	and natural/pastoral landcover flanked by a wild and highly scenic coastal edge. The Puke Range acts as a centre piece for the eastern end of Waiheke Island upon which the natural continuum of hills and ridges around it are focused.	weather and light conditions, time of year/day. Abundant coastal birdlife.
			landscape context).						near wilderness.		
79	Waiheke Island Awaawaroa Bay & valley	Hauraki Gulf Islands, Aucklan d Area	Islands Wild nature(coastal) Wild nature(hill country) Wild nature(estuarie s) Valley corridor including	Interplay between indigenous vegetation and pasture reinforcing topography.	High Valley corridor incorporati ng hills on its margins extending in a linear fashion down to	High Quite contained, but continuous sequence of native forest and wetland following		High Continuous sequence of natural landcover and processes dominate the valley corridor and create a strong sense	High/ mod Significant sequence of natural features and processes that dominate the valley/ bay	High Very strong sense of a natural continuum that is reinforced by the enclosing hills which frame the	

			flanking hills and ridges that extends down to Awaawaroa Bay including mangroves and coastal flats. Also comprises a sizeable area of native remnant forest and regeneration.		Awaawaroa Bay and its intertidal flats.	the Awaawaroa Stream corridor down to the tidal flats and mangroves of the Bay.		of linkage between Awaawaroa Bay and its valley hinterland.	landscape despite the presence of pockets of residential development and open pasture on the lower valley's western flanks. Parts of the Bay contain marine (oyster) farms, but this does not compromise the coastline's current natural	valley and a strong sense of interconnecti on between the valley corridor and the bay at its base. A strong sense of continuity from forest and wetland to the bay margins within this tightly framed landscape.	
									values overall.		
80	Waiheke Island South Coast headlands (Whau Point to Awaawaroa Bay	Hauraki Gulf Islands, Aucklan d Area	Islands Wild nature (coastal) Wild nature/cultured nature (hill country) Headland and rocky coastal	Coastal landforms and remnant indigenous vegetation.	High Very prominent series of headlands and points that define the	Mod/ high Remnant pockets of native forest linked with rocky to cliffed	High Very marked interaction between the headland sequence and Tamaki Strait, with	High Very pronounced series of cliffed and rocky headlands backed by	High/ mod Despite the prevalence of open pasture and some houses in the coastal hinterland, a	High Clearly articulated sequence of headlands and coastal cliffs, backed by bush and	High Highly atmospheric interaction with the Tamaki Strait, affected by weather and

			landforms		margins of	coastal	individual	often steeply	mixture of	pasture that	light
			including areas		some of	margins	headlands	rolling pasture	remnant	strongly	conditions,
			of remnant		southern	and small	framing the	and native	forest and	define this	time of year/
			forest and		Waiheke's	bays.	major inlets	forest	the cliffed/	part of	day. Abundant
			pasture, steep,		more	22,51	of Rocky and	remnants that	rocky	Waiheke	coastal
			sedimentary		prominent		Awaawaroa	interact	coastline	Island's	birdlife.
			cliffs and shoals		beaches –		Bays.	positively with	itself imbues	southern	on dire.
			framing larger		Rocky and		bays.	one another.	the wider	edge and	
			bays along the		Awaawaroa			one unother:	landscape	reinforce the	
			southern		Bays.				with	indented	
			coastline of		Comprising				significant	'sunken	
			Waiheke Island		a				naturalness.	valley'	
			overlooking the		prominent				naturaniess.	profile of	
			Tamaki Strait.		sequence				Some bays	much of this	
			Talliaki Strait.		of				contain	coastline.	
					sedimentar				existing	coastille.	
					y cliffs,				marine		
					shoals,				(oyster)		
					-				farms, but		
					bays, native				this does not		
					forest				compromise		
					remnants				the coastline's		
					and rolling				current		
					pasture within the				natural		
					immediate				values		
					hinterland.				overall.		
81	Waiheke	Hauraki	Islands Wild	Coastal		Very high		High	Very high	High	High/mod
91		Gulf			High			•		_	•
	Island, Whakanewha		nature	landforms,	Natural	Extensive		Very extensive	Unusually	Clear	Highly
	vviiakailewiid	Islands, Aucklan	(estuaries) Wild	wetlands and indigenous	sequence of rolling	sequence of remnant		and continuous	cohesive and extensive	amalgam of natural	atmospheric interaction
		d Area	nature/cultured	vegetation.	hill country	forest and		sequence of	amalgam of	features and	with Rocky
		u Alea	nature (hill	vegetation.	linked with			forest/	_		
<u> </u>			nature (niii		iirikea with	regeneratin		iorest/	coastal	processes	Bay, affected

			country) Wild		both a	g		shrubland	forest,	that	by weather
			nature(Wetland		wetland	shrubland,		connected	wetland and	differentiate	and light
)		basin	together		with an	coastal	s the	conditions,
			Sequence of		landform	with		extensive	margin	Regional	time of year/
			· •		and the	multiple		wetland and	features	Park for the	day combined
			rolling hill			•			combine		with abundant
			country covered		gently	stream		Rocky Bay's shallow		more open	
			in native forest		shelving	corridors			with intact	pastoral and	birdlife along
			and		margins of	that drain		intertidal area	natural	rural	the coastal
			regenerating		Rocky Bay	into the		creating a	processes to	residential	shore, as well
			shrubland		including	extensive		strong feeling	lend the	landscapes	as within the
			extending down		shell banks	wetland		of cohesion	Regional	to the south,	wetland and
			into a large		and	along the		and integrity.	Park a	as well as	forest.
			raupo wetland		intertidal	southern		Contrasts	distinctive,	residential	
			basin; also		flats.	edge of the		strongly with	endemic,	landscapes	
			linked with the			regional		nearby	natural	across Rocky	
			wetland and			park		farmland and	character.	Bay and	
			intertidal			–also linked		residential		closer to	
			margins of			with the		development.		Onetangi.	
			Rocky Bay.			Bay's					
						intertidal					
						margins.					
82	Waiheke	Hauraki	Islands	Coastal	High		High	High/ mod	High	High	Mod
	Island	Gulf	Wild nature	landforms	Prominent		Very	Distinctive	Relatively	Landform	Highly
	southwestern	Islands,	(coastal)	and remnant	and		exposed and	features of the	unmodified	remnants	atmospheric
	rocks	Aucklan	Small island	vegetation.	discrete,		clearly	coastal	coastal	that are	interaction
	and islands	d	features (four)		albeit		articulated	landscape	landforms	clearly a	with the
		Area	that sit at the		relatively		island	associated	that allied	product of	Tamaki Strait
			entry to Putiki		small island		features that	with southern	with some	coastal	and Sergeant
			and Rocky Bays		features		contribute to	Waiheke and	native	processes	Channel,
			as well off		that are		the indented	Motuihe.	vegetation	which help	affected by
			Church Bay and		notable for		character of		cover and	to articulate	weather and
			within Sergeant		their		Waiheke and		rock shelves	the wider	light
			Channel, near		uplifted		Motuihe's		have a	interaction	conditions,

			Motuihe.		profiles and		larger island		distinctive	between	time of year/
					some		landforms,		Hauraki Gulf	land and sea	day.
					vegetation		including the		character.	in an	
					surrounded		dynamic			expressive	
					by the sea.		Interaction			manner.	
							between the				
							sea and				
							those				
							islands'				
							coastal				
							margins.				
83	Waiheke	Hauraki	Islands	Coastal	High	Mod/ high	High	High	High/ mod	High	High
	Island Te	Gulf	Wild nature	landforms	A very	Relatively	The coastline	An amalgam	Cohesive	Strongly	Highly
	Wharau Bay	Islands,	(coastal) Wild	and remnant	prominent	large	interacts	of a quite	sequence of	defined	atmospheric
	Coastal Ridge	Aucklan	nature/cultured	vegetation,	Ridgeline	sequence	very directly	dynamic and	native forest	landform,	interaction
	& Slopes	d	nature (hill	particularly	and Slopes	of native	with the	dramatic	cover and	including	with Te
		Area	country)	pōhutukawa.	that,	forest and	waters of	coastline that	shrubland	part of the	Wharau Bay
			Combination of		enclose Te	shrubland	Tamaki Strait	is further	directly	skyline ridge	and part of
			a ridge and		Wharau	directly	especially	articulated	linked with	that extends	Tamaki Strait
			slopes that		Bay. The	connected	and its	and reinforced	the beach	out towards	affected by
			contain and		cliffed/	with the	landform is	by its	and rocky	Park Point,	weather and
			define Te		rocky	coastal	further	backdrop of	shoreline	creating a	light
			Wharau Bay		coastal	edge and	expressed by	native forest/	that interact	strong sense	conditions,
			combined with		edge is	Tamaki	the areas of	shrubland.	with the	of cohesion	time of year/
			coastal cliffs and		reinforced	Strait.	native		CMA. An	despite	day.
			rock shoals		by a		vegetation		important	peripheral	
			framed by a		swathe of		across it.		'remnant'	residential	
			rolling		native				within	development	
			hinterland and		forest and				western		
			large areas of		shrubland.				Waiheke.		
			native forest/		Across the						
			shrubland.		coastline's						
					main						

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					slopes						
					(adjacent						
					to some						
					future						
					residential						
					sites).						
84	Pakatoa Island	Hauraki	Islands	Retention of	High	High	High	High	High	High	High
	& Tarahiki	Gulf	Wild nature	interplay	Series of		Very	Both the	Essentially	Dramatic	Highly
	(Shag) Island	Islands,	(coastal)	between	prominent		dramatic	eastern	comprising a	interface	atmospheric
		Aucklan	Eastern	coastal	rock/ cliff		interaction	headland and	very raw and	between	interaction
		d Area	coastline of	landforms	headlands		between the	Tarahiki Island	natural	land and sea	with the
			Pakatoa Island,	and	at the		headlands	are notable for	sequence of	expressive of	eastern
			together with	indigenous	eastern		and island	their cliffs,	landform	coastal	Hauraki Gulf,
			Tarahiki (Shag)	vegetation.	end of		extending	shoals and	features that	processes,	affected by
			Island		Pakatoa		out into the	dramatic uplift	interact	which has a	weather and
			comprising a		Island and		eastern	from the	directly with	very raw,	light
			sequence of		a nearby		Hauraki Gulf.	waters of the	the CMA.	wild	conditions,
			headlands that		island that		Exposed, raw	Hauraki Gulf.	The cliff/	character	time of year/
			are dominated		clearly		and	This is, to a	bush	that	day. Abundant
			by bare exposed		express the		elemental	degree,	sequence at	contrasts	coastal
			rock and cliffs –		natural		interaction	accentuated	the eastern	with	birdlife.
			contrasting with		geological		of	by the native	end of	- in the case	
			areas of		and		these	vegetation on	Pakatoa	of Pakatoa -	
			pasture, pines		weathering		features with	both features.	contrasts	the more	
			and visitor		processes		the sea and		with its more	sheltered,	
			accommodation		associated		weather.		pastoral/	protected	
			on the rest of		with all of				developed	nature of	
			Pakatoa.		the Hauraki				hinterland	adjoining	
					Gulf				and pines.	bays and	
					Islands.				,	coves.	
85	Ponui Island	Hauraki	Islands	Retention of	High	High/ mod	High/ mod	High	High/ mod	High	High
		Gulf	Wild nature	coastal	Large	Strong	Very	Very large	Very clear	Extensive	Highly
		Islands,	(coastal) Wild	landforms	island	interconne	exposed,	island that	sense of	and	atmospheric

		Aucklan	nature/cultured	and interplay	flanked by	ction	indented	expresses	connection	relatively	interaction
		d Area	nature (hill	between	an almost	between	coastline	many of the	between	cohesive	with the
		47.1.04	country)	indigenous	continuous	forest	that	endemic	Pounui's	combination	eastern
			Very extensive	vegetation	sequence	remnants	interacts	values of the	forest	of remnant	Hauraki Gulf,
			island feature,	and rural	of natural	stream	dramatically	Hauraki Gulf	/shrubland	forest, open	affected by
			comprising a	pasture	beaches,	corridors	with the	through the	/wetland and	pasture and	weather and
			natural	reinforcing	bays, rock	and natural	waters of the	combination	stream	natural	light
			sequence of	topography.	shoals,	coastal	eastern	of its largely	environment	coastal	conditions,
			coastal	topography.	cliffs and	margins of	Hauraki Gulf,	natural coastal	s and the	margins	time of year/
			headlands,		headlands	Ponui	an	edge and the	natural	contribute to	day. Abundant
			cliffs, bays and		linked with	Island	interaction	strongly	sequence of	a landscape	coastal
			beaches framed		a rolling	ISIAIIU	that is often	patterned/	promontorie	that displays	birdlife.
			by and inland		series of		accentuated	structured	s, cliffs, and	many of the	birdille.
			backdrop of						_ ·	hallmarks of	
			•		ridges and		by the cliffed	interplay	bays that define its	the	
			rolling hill		stream		margins and	between its			
			country that		valleys in		headlands of	open pasture	coastal edge	archetypal	
			contains a		the coastal		the island's	and native	and	Hauraki Gulf	
			mixture of		hinterland.		coastline.	forest	interaction	landscape.	
			remnant native		The			remnants.	with the		
			forest and open		landform				Hauraki Gulf.		
			pasture.		pattern is						
					compleme						
					nted by						
					areas of						
					forest						
					remnants,						
					stream						
					corridors						
					and						
					wetlands.						
86	Kawau Island	Islands,	Islands	Retention of	High	High	High	High	High	High	High
		Rodney	Wild	coastal	Archetypal	Α	Very	A very	A strong	Kawau Island	Interplay of
		Area	nature(coastal)	landforms	split	regeneratin	dramatic	prominent	endemic	has a very	Kawau Island

	mostly in native shrubland, but		forest.						
	terrain covered		pockets of						
	rolling inland		and						
	framed by		shrubland						
	small beaches:		native						
	inlets, bays and		covered in	marsh.					
	headlands,		and slopes	and salt		Bay.			
	harbours,		of ridges	mangrove		edge of Kawau		in the east.	
	sequence of		sequence	areas of		around the		particularly	
	complex		gentle	including		for views from		the island,	
	comprises a		by a more	another,		centrepiece'		of the rest of	
	coastline that		dominated	with one	Kawau Bay.	distinctive	interior.	across much	prevalent.
	western		landscape	interact	gateway to	prominent and	Island's	sequence	birds
	sheltered		hinterland	that	as the	very	of the	vegetative	wildlife. Sea
	much more		nts, with	harbours	of the island	landscape. A	forest cover	and the	year, tide and
	together with a		environme	intertidal	prominence	island	shrubland/	coastlines	time of day/
	coastline,		coastal	shallow	with the	Auckland's	extensive	contrasting	conditions,
	eastern		embayed)	and	combined	values of the	and	both	atmospheric
	cliffed and rocky		and	corridors	Hauraki Gulf	endemic	landforms	including	resulting from
	very exposed		indented	stream	outer	natural/	the natural	processes,	variation
	dynamic and		(deeply	including	waters of the	expresses the	cs, as well	and	including
	comprising a		western	coastline,	the open	clearly	contrasting characteristi	its elements	Hauraki Gulf,
	Highly variable island landscape	cover.	cliffs and shoals) and	and extensive	eastern coastline and	eastern coastline that	with their	character derived from	and the open waters of the
	& harbours)	vegetation	(dynamic	landscape	Kawau's	Auckland's	both coasts,	landscape	Kawau Bay
	nature(estuary	indigenous 	eastern	forest	between	proximity to	evident in	profile and	enclosed
	Wild	and	between	g coastal	junction	island in close	signature is	distinctive	with both and

	Island and	Rodney	Wild nature	coastal	Dramatic		Starkly	Very		Appeal is	Interplay with
	islets	Area	(coastal)	landforms	small island		exposed	pronounced		largely	the outer edge
			Dramatic and	and	landforms		islands that	contrast with		derived from	of Kawau Bay
			highly attractive	indigenous	that		interact	the waters of		the contrast	and the open
			island landforms	vegetation.	combine		dramatically	the		between	waters of the
			that combine		cliffs and		with outer	surrounding		these well	Hauraki Gulf,
			sheer cliffs and		rock shoals		Kawau Bay	inner and		defined	including
			rock shoals with		with		and the	south		islands and	variation
			sheltered coves		attractively		more open	channels to		their sea	resulting from
			and beaches		enclosed		waters of the	and from		surrounds; in	atmospheric
			backed by		and		Hauraki Gulf.	Kawau Bay:		the case of	conditions,
			pōhutukawa		sheltered		Contrast of	sometimes		Moturekarek	time of day/
			and other re-		sand		sheer	appear to be		a Island this	year, tide and
			emergent		beaches		uplifted	offshoots of		is reinforced	wildlife.
			coastal		that are		landforms	Kawau Island		by the	
			vegetation (high		further		with parts of	and the		contrast	
			values despite		defined by		Moturekarek	Martins Bay		between a	
			pines on		a backdrop		a island that	coastline.		pronounced	
			Moturekareka).		of coastal		are barely			northern	
					vegetation.		above sea			headland	
							level.			and a series	
										of	
										attractively	
										enclosed	
										coves and	
										beaches	
										backed by	
										coastal	
										vegetation.	
88	Aotea, Great	Hauraki	Islands	Retention of	Very high	Very high	Very high	Very high	Very high	Very high	High
	Barrier Island	Gulf	Wild nature	coastal	Spectacular	Very	Dramatic	Highly	A landscape	Very obvious	Highly
	(Includes	Islands,	(coastal) Wild	landforms,	array of hill	extensive	interaction	distinctive and	dominated	interaction	atmospheric
	Kaikoura,	Aucklan	nature/cultured	indigenous	country to	tracts of	between Gt.	memorable	by natural	of cohesive	interaction

Broken &	d Area	nature (estuary	vegetation	coastal	native	Barrier's	amalgam of	features and	natural	with the outer
Rakitu (Aria)		& harbours)	and interplay	landforms	forest that	rugged,	landforms,	processes, in	features and	Hauraki Gulf
Islands		Wild	between	– from the	are	often raw	vegetation,	which, for	processes	and Pacific
		nature/cultured	vegetation	central	relatively	and wild,	habitats and	the most	which	Ocean,
		nature	and	spine of Gt.	free of	coastline and	coastal	part, human	contribute to	affected by
		(lowlands) Wild	landform/	Barrier	pests and	the open	environs that	development	a truly	weather and
		nature/cultured	topography.	Island to a	weeds, and	seas of the	have a	and activities	vernacular	light
		nature (hill		complex	which lend	outer	profoundly	have a	native/	conditions,
		country)		mixture of	this island	Hauraki Gulf	natural,	secondary	natural	time of year/
		Very extensive		estuaries,	landscape a	and Pacific	largely	role. An	landscape.	day. Abundant
		island landscape		bays, ocean	profoundly	Ocean.	untouched	often wild,		coastal and
		that captures		beaches,	NZ identity.		quality. A key	remote and		terrestrial
		many of the		cliffs and	Extensive		relic of New	wilderness		birdlife.
		qualities of pre-		rock shoals.	estuarine		Zealand's	landscape.		
		European New			and		natural			
		Zealand,			wetland		heritage.	Some bays		
		embracing a			habitats			contain		
		spectacular			linked to			existing		
		array of coastal			both the			marine		
		(ocean beach			dominant			(mussel)		
		and bays/ coves			forest and			farms, but		
		to rocky, cliffed,			more			this does not		
		scarps and			exposed			compromise		
		headlands)			coastal			Great		
		landscapes and			margins.			Barrier's		
		lowland to hill						current		
		country						natural		
		environments						values		
		that include						overall.		
		wetlands and								
		very large tracts								
		of coastal								
		forest. The								

		centre of the								
		island is								
		dominated by a								
		spine of								
		spectacular hills,								
		ridges and								
		bluffs.								
89	Hauturu, Little	Islands	Retention of	Very high	Very high	Very high	Very high	Very high	Very high	High
	Barrier Island	Wild nature	indigenous	A very	Very	Dramatic	Highly	A landscape	Very obvious	Highly
		(coastal) Wild	vegetation	insular	extensive	interaction	distinctive and	totally	interaction	atmospheric
		nature/cultured	cover and	landform	tract of	between	memorable	dominated	of cohesive	interaction
		nature (hill	interplay	that is	native	Little	amalgam of	by natural	natural	with the outer
		country)	between	notable for	forest that	Barrier's	landforms,	features and	features and	Hauraki Gulf
		Discrete and	vegetation	its starkly	is free of	rugged,	vegetation,	processes. A	processes	and Pacific
		intact island	and	uplifted	pests and	often raw	habitats and	wild, remote,	which	Ocean,
		landscape that	landform/	and conical	weeds,	and wild,	coastal	wilderness	contribute to	affected by
		captures the	topography.	profile,	which lends	coastline and	environs that	landscape of	a truly iconic	weather and
		qualities of pre-		amplified	this island	the open	have a	truly national	native/	light
		European New		by steep	landscape a	seas of the	profoundly	significance.	natural	conditions,
		Zealand,		coastal	profoundly	outer	natural, now		landscape	time of year
		embracing a		margins	primordial	Hauraki Gulf	untouched		that is	day. Abundant
		spectacular		and the	NZ identity:	and Pacific	quality. A key		unique	coastal and
		array of rocky		native	directly	Ocean.	relic of New		within the	terrestrial
		coastal		forest	linked to		Zealand's		Region as a	birdlife.
		landscapes and		across	the		natural		pristine	
		steep hill		virtually all	exposed		heritage.		island/	
		country		of Little	coastal		J		coastal	
		environments		Barrier.	margins				landscape	
		that are covered			and open				and	
		with an			sea.				environment	
		extensive tract								
		of indigenous								
		coastal forest. A								

Schedule 7 Outstanding Natural Landscapes Overlay Schedule

	very				
	pronounced				
	uplifted island				
	landform with a				
	distinctive				
	conical shape				
	and very limited				
	coastal edge.				