

Application for Auckland Council Regional Parks

## Camping Pass

The Camping pass must be obtained through the Auckland Council Contact Centre and paid in full. Please note:

- The Camping pass will be mailed out to the address provided on the application.
- The pass **cannot be used** to book in advance, customers are advised to check availability and book before leaving for the park. If you wish to book ahead, you can do so up to 6 months ahead using our normal booking terms and conditions.
- The Camping pass is not valid at Auckland Council Holiday Parks (Orewa, Martins Bay & Whangateau), Kaipātiki Reserve, Muriwai Regional Park and the Piwakawaka Ecostructure year-round.
- Can only be used in vehicle based and remote / back country campgrounds.
- The Camping Pass cannot be used at designated Certified Self-contained (CSC) Parking areas and Overnight parking areas.
- The Camping Pass is **non-refundable once used**.
- See the Codes and Conditions listed below, as well as the ‘Allowable size and access’ table at the end of this document, for additional information.

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|--------------------------|-------------|--|------|--|---------------------|--|
| Passholder name          | First names |  |      |  |                     |  |
|                          | Family name |  |      |  |                     |  |
| Contact address          |             |  |      |  |                     |  |
|                          |             |  |      |  |                     |  |
| Contact numbers          | Day         |  | Home |  | Mobile              |  |
| E-mail                   |             |  |      |  | Date of application |  |
| Emergency contact person | Full Name:  |  |      |  | Contact phone       |  |

**Please fill in the appropriate details in the table below.**

|  | Number of persons | Unit cost per 12 months (1 Oct 2023 - 30 Sept 2024) | Total per line |
|--|-------------------|---|----------------|
| Number of Adults                           |                   | @ \$170 per Adult (Includes ‘GST)                   |                |
| Number of Children (5 - 17 years)          |                   | @ \$65 per Child (Includes ‘GST)                    |                |
| Number of Pre-schoolers (under 5)          |                   | No charge   | -              |
| Total person numbers for your camping pass |                   | Total camping pass fees                             |                |

| Names of Camping pass users: |            | Adult, Child or Pre-school |
|------------------------------|------------|----------------------------|
| Family name                  | First name |                            |
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**Payment:** VISA  MASTER CARD  EFTPOS

**NOTE:** For security reasons, **do not** include your credit card or eftpos details on this form.

Please include a daytime phone number and a Parks representative will call to confirm your payment.

Payment amount \$\_\_\_\_\_

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|------------------------|-------|
| <i>OFFICE USE ONLY</i> |       |
| PASS NUMBER            | ..... |
| EXPIRY DATE            | ..... |
| RECEIVED/ AUTH BY      | ..... |

Please send a signed application to one of the options and retain a copy for your own records:

MAIL  
 Auckland Council Regional Parks  
 Auckland Council  
 Private Bag 92300  
 Auckland 1142

EMAIL  
[regionalparks@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz](mailto:regionalparks@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz)

# General Camping Pass

## Conditions of use

### Locations, occupants and periods of use passholders are permitted to stay in:

- Designated vehicle-based campgrounds and remote / backcountry campgrounds only.
  - Based on the appropriate mode and size conditions allowed for that location. Restrictions apply (see table at the end of this document).
- Certified Self-contained (CSC) vehicles must have a current NZS 5465 Self-containment certificate to stay in a vehicle-based campground.
  - Based on the appropriate campervan, vehicle, caravan, 5th wheeler or campermatics access rules. Restrictions apply (see table at the end of this document).
  - A current NZS 5465 CSC warrant must be displayed in the window of the vehicle so that it is visible at all times when in a CSC Parking areas or designated CSC Overnight parking.
  - Certified self-contained vehicle must meet the ablutionary and sanitary needs of the occupants for a minimum of three days, without requiring any external services or discharging waste.
  - The pass allows for the maximum number of occupants as stated on the pass, or the current NZS 5465 self-containment certificate.
  - The number of people in the vehicle are included in the capacity of the location.
  - Camping passes cannot be used to stay in designated CSC Parking or CSC Overnight Parking areas.
- No person shall camp or stay using the pass on the regional park network for longer than 14 nights in any 28 day period, or longer than the permitted period on any campground, unless permitted in writing by the council.
- This pass does not enable you to **pre-book or guarantee camping space** at any vehicle-based campground or remote / backcountry campground.
- This pass is not valid at **Kaipātiki Reserve** and **Muriwai** Regional Park.
- The account holder may not book more than the number of passholders on the account. To book for extra patrons within a campground:
  - Additional numbers are charged at normal camping rates.
  - All normal camping procedures and conditions of use apply.
- This pass can only be used for the **purpose of camping**. It is not able to be used for day use activities, or to gain access to CSC Parking areas or for other purposes e.g. general vehicle access, fishing during the night and use as a bookable picnic site.
- This pass is **not transferrable** to another party or person.
- **Booking ahead** - If you wish to make a confirmed booking that starts ahead of time, (e.g. for the next day or week etc.), normal camping charges, procedures and conditions of use apply.
- **Cancellation of pass** - The pass may be cancelled through misuse, not following a direction of a authorized council officer or failure to follow these codes of use, and terms and conditions.
- No refund shall be offered in this instance.

### Using the pass

- To check availability and book: Go to [www.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz](http://www.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz) to check availability and/or phone Auckland Council Contact Centre **09 366 2000** on the day you wish to use the pass.
- Bookings can only be made by calling the Contact Centre on the day you wish to use the pass.

- Follow all Auckland Council camping procedures and conditions of use.
- The Camping & Certified Self-contained (CSC) Pass are **non-refundable once used**. The pass is valid between 1 October 2023 to 30 September 2024. Expiry date is listed on the pass.
- The pass is an annual pass based on these dates, with no pro-rata deductions for the following:
  - Time of year purchased
  - Seasonal and operational closures
  - Closures for exceptional reasons such as Public Health Orders.

## **GENERAL CODES AND CONDITIONS FOR ALL CAMPGROUNDS AND CERTIFIED SELF-CONTAINED CERTIFICATE VEHICLES**

The following conditions apply, as appropriate, to:

### **Vehicle-based campgrounds**

#### **Designated Certified Self-contained Certificate (CSC) Parking areas (DCSCPA)**

**Must have a current NZS 5465:** Self-Containment certificate

Are multi-nights stays in a designated parking area.

#### **Designated Certified Self-contained (CSC) Overnight Parking Areas (DCSCOPA)**

**Must have a current NZS 5465:** Self-Containment certificate

Are designated overnight parking areas in car parks.

### **Remote / back country campgrounds**

#### **Freedom camping**

- In [regional parks](#) in vehicles is prohibited in accordance with the Auckland Council [Te Ture ā-Rohe mō te Puni Mataraharaha ki rō Waka 2022 / Freedom Camping in Vehicles Bylaw 2022](#)

#### **Camping on regional parks**

- Only allowed at designated camping areas and people must book and pay a fee. More information about camping in regional parks can be found on council's website.

#### **Public Safety and Nuisance Bylaw 2013**

- must be adhered to at all times:

Obstructions in any public place

- 1) Except with the prior written approval of the council or a council-controlled organisation, a person must not use a public place to:
  - (1) place or leave any material, object, thing or structure.
  - (2) erect, construct, or place a building, structure, tent or projection of a building structure or tent or any part thereof, on, under, over or across a public place.
  - (3) store or pack goods on a public place.

#### **Fire**

- All solid, wood and charcoal fires, heaters and BBQ's are prohibited in all campground types; irrespective of the main park condition.

### **Portable gas barbecues**

- Allowed at all times.

### **Camping modes**

- Based on the appropriate mode and size conditions allowed for that camping category and location.
- There may be some restrictions to vehicle-based areas because of ground conditions, access conditions, or the site not being suitable for the size and / or weight of some units and access type.
- Camping in containers and portacombs is prohibited.

### **Allocated / designated sites**

- You must camp only in the approved area/s within the designated campground.
- Vehicle-based campgrounds and CSC Parking areas have no allocated or designated sites within the designated activity area.

### **Length of stay**

- Maximum nights in a vehicle-based and remote /backcountry campground 7 nights. Exceptions may apply.
- Maximum nights Designated CSC Parking areas is 7 nights, however the owner is required to dispose of waste in accordance with the CSC conditions off-park.
- The law requires you to properly dispose of the human waste and grey water (such as sink and shower water) stored in your vehicle.
- Look out for the blue dump station symbol, or search for dump stations on the [Camper Mate app](#) or the [Camping NZ app](#).
- In summer (daylight savings period): maximum of one consecutive night at all Designated CSC Overnight parking areas.
- In winter (non- daylight savings period): maximum of 3 consecutive nights at all Designated CSC Overnight parking areas where the vehicle-based campground is closed.

### **Departure / arrival for campgrounds and all CSC Parking areas**

- Must be vacated by 11:00 am on the day of departure.
- Provided there is space in the campground, campers can arrive from the main park entrance at gate opening time.
- If other campers have yet to vacate, please wait until space is available at 11:00 am departure time.

### **Vehicles**

- **Not to be driven** around the campground or designated CSC parking area during main park gate closure hours, unless in an emergency or if authorised by staff.

### **Campgrounds and CSC Parking Areas access**

- Are inaccessible after main park entrance gate closing times
- Combination codes do not provide access through the main park entrance gate.
- **Combination locks** are provided at campgrounds and CSC Parking Areas for your safety and security. Please keep the gate closed and locked at all times.

### **Visitors' vehicles parking**

- For safety and to avoid congestion in campgrounds, visitors' vehicles must park outside the campground and visitors walk from the locked gate, unless prior arrangement with the Park Duty Ranger.

### **Marquees**

- Marquees are allowed in vehicle-based campgrounds and must comply with regional parks conditions and have appropriate consents to comply with all council requirements including those for temporary buildings, noise and electrical safety codes. Check prior to bookings regarding size.

### **Group bookings**

- Maximum of more than 10 will not be accepted from 17th December to the last day January.
- No more than 50% of full capacity outside this time. (Exception in place)

### **Day visitors**

- Times are restricted to the main park entrance gate opening hours.
- Visitor numbers are restricted to a maximum of 20% of the group size.
- The campground is not to be used as a day-use area.

### **Rubbish free parks**

- Your site must be kept clean and tidy during your stay and on your departure.
- Rubbish and recycling moloks, compost bins and/or worm farms are only provided at vehicle-based campgrounds.
- There are no bins or rubbish disposal facilities in the CSC Parking areas and remote / back country campgrounds.
- Take all rubbish with you.

### **Park Staff**

- Have the authority to direct campers to specific areas, request campers to move tents, vehicles or camping equipment, stop inappropriate activities, and to terminate camping.
- Camp passes must be produced on request by a park ranger or authorized council officer and / or visible on the vehicle at all times.

### **Persons under the age of 18**

- Persons aged 16 years and 17 years are not permitted to have a permit granted or use a campground site without prior consent, including an [Unsupervised persons under the age of 18 form](#) completed and signed by their legal guardian.
- Persons aged 15 years and under are not permitted on, or to use, a campground site without appropriate supervision.

#### **Please ensure you have:**

- filled in all appropriate details
- attached a copy of your NZS5465: Certified Self-containment Certificate (if applicable)
- read the Camping Pass Codes of Use
- read the General Camping Conditions
- consulted the *Allowable size and access* table (see last page).

By signing below, you understand and are agree all the Auckland Council Regional Parks Camping Pass conditions.

I agree to, and will abide by, the Auckland Council Regional Parks Camping Pass Codes and Conditions and the Auckland Council Regional Parks Camping Codes and Conditions that are part of and in the Certified Self-contained (CSC) Pass.

SIGNED .....

PRINT NAME .....

DATE SIGNED \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_

*OFFICE USE ONLY*

PASS NUMBER .....

EXPIRY DATE .....

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## Allowable size and access table for vehicles / units carrying a valid Auckland Council Regional Parks CSC or Camping Pass

| Colour keys:        | Southern parks                   | Western parks | Northern parks  |   |                          |                   |                                    |   |                                  |        |                             |  |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------|-------------------|------------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|--|
|                     | Designated CSCPA's               |               |                 |   | Vehicle based campground |                   |                                    |   | Remote / Back country campground |        | CSC Overnight Parking areas |  |
| Park                | Location                         | Buses         | Campervans      | Caravans:<br>Standard,<br>Fixed hard<br>sides and<br>pop-up<br>roof | 5th Wheelers             | Stand-alone tents | CSC Vehicle with roof<br>-top tent | Campermatrics:<br><br>- Hard pop-up<br>sides / roof<br><br>- Pop up canvas<br>sides with hard<br>roof or pop-up<br>roof | Maximum number of nights         |        |                             |  |
|                     |                                  |               |                 |   |                          |                   |                                    |   | Summer / Winter                  | Summer | Winter                      | SPECIAL:<br><br>When<br>vehicle<br>campground<br>is closed |
| <b>Ambury</b>       | Ambury Campground                |               | Yes - 10m Max   |   |                          | Yes               | Yes                                | Yes   | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Ātiu Creek</b>   | Ātiu Creek Campground            |               | Yes - 10m Max   |   |                          | Yes               | Yes                                | Yes   | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Āwhitu</b>       | Brook Homestead Campground       |               | Yes - 10m Max   |   |                          | Yes               | Yes                                | Yes   | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
|                     | Peninsula Campground             |               | Yes - 10m Max   |   |                          | Yes               | Yes                                | Yes   | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Duder</b>        | Te Wharau (Malua Bay) Campground |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 2                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Hunua Ranges</b> | Repeater Campground              |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
|                     | Piggott's Campground             |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
|                     | Lower Mangatawhiri Campground    |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
|                     | Upper Mangatawhiri Campground    | No            | Yes - 10m Max   |   | No                       | Yes               | Yes                                | Yes   | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Mahurangi</b>    | Sullivans Bay Campground         |               | Yes - 8m Max    |   |                          | No                | Yes                                | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
|                     | Lagoon Bay Campground            |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
|                     | Te Muri Campground               |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
|                     | Mita Bay                         |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Ōmana</b>        | Cliff Top Campground             |               | Yes - 10m Max   |   |                          | Yes               | Yes                                | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Shakespeare</b>  | Te Haruhi Bay Campground         |               | Yes - All sizes |   |                          | Yes               | Yes                                | Yes   | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |
| <b>Tāpapakanga</b>  | Beach Front Campground           |               | No              |   |                          | Yes               | No                                 | No  | 7                                | NA     | NA                          | NA   |



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|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|-----|-----|-----------------|-----|----|----|----|----|
|                         | Seaview Campground               | Yes - 10m Max   |               | Yes | Yes | Yes             | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
|                         | Waikaha Stream Campground        | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 2   | NA | NA | NA |    |
| <b>Tāwharanui</b>       | Tāwharanui Campground            | Yes - 8m Max    |               | Yes | Yes | Yes             | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
| <b>Waharau</b>          | Blackberry Flats Campground      | Yes             | Yes - 10m Max | Yes | Yes | Yes             | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
|                         | Tainui Campground                | Yes             | Yes - 10m Max | Yes | Yes | Yes             | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
| <b>Waitawa</b>          | Waitawa Bay Sea Kayak Campground | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 2   | NA | NA | NA |    |
| <b>Waitākere Ranges</b> | Barn Paddock Campground          | No              | Yes - 7m Max  | No  | Yes | Yes             | Yes | 7  | NA | NA | NA |
|                         | Craw Campground                  | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
|                         | Tunnel Point Campground          | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
| <b>Waitākere Ranges</b> | Pararaha Valley Campground       | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
|                         | Karamatura Valley Campground     | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
|                         | McCreadies Paddock Campground    | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
|                         | Pae o te Rangi Campground        | No              |               | Yes | No  | No              | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
| <b>Wenderholm</b>       | Schischka Campground             | Yes - All sizes |               | Yes | Yes | Yes - All sizes | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |
| <b>Whakanewha</b>       | Poukaraka Flats Campground       | Yes - 10m Max   | No            | Yes | Yes | Yes             | 7   | NA | NA | NA |    |