



ANAURA BAY RECREATION RESERVE BYLAWS 1999

PURSUANT to section 106 (3) of the Reserves Act 1977, the Minister of Conservation makes the following bylaws.

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SCHEDULE

Anaura Bay Recreation Reserve

BYLAWS

1. Title and commencement—(1) These bylaws may be cited as the Anaura Bay Recreation Reserve Bylaws 1999.

(2) These bylaws come into force on the 28th day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

2. Interpretation—In these bylaws, unless the context otherwise requires,—

“Authorised person” means a person authorised by a Commissioner:

“Camping season” means the period between the Saturday of Labour Weekend and Easter Monday:

“Commissioner” means any of the officers designated by the Director-General of Conservation as a Commissioner for the East Coast/Hawke’s Bay Conservancy of the Department:

“Department” means the Department of Conservation:

“Ranger” means a ranger within the meaning of the Reserves Act 1977:

“The reserve” means the reserve described in the Schedule; and includes all other lands that may become part of the reserve under the Reserves Act 1977.

3. Reserve open to public—Except as provided in bylaw 14, the reserve is open to the public at all times, except for those areas for the time being closed to the public by the Commissioner in accordance with the provisions of the Reserves Act 1977.

4. Gates—A person must leave a gate in the same position that that person finds the gate in the reserve.

5. Misbehaviour—(1) Within the reserve, a person must not—

(a) Wilfully obstruct, disturb, or interfere with another person in the use or enjoyment of the reserve; or

(b) Use foul, abusive, indecent, or obscene language, or be intoxicated, noisy, or riotous, or in any other way misbehave.

(2) If a person commits a breach of the provisions of subclause (1), that person commits a further breach if he or she does not leave the reserve when so requested by a ranger.

6. Dangerous weapons—A person must not carry or use a weapon or instrument of a dangerous character (including, but not limited to, a bow and arrow, catapult, or shanghai) within the reserve, unless that person has the prior written permission of a Commissioner.

7. Water—A person must not allow or cause wastage of water or allow a water tap to flow for a period longer than is reasonably required to obtain water for drinking or cooking or other lawful purposes within the reserve.

8. Fires—(1) A person must not light a fire without the express permission of a Commissioner or a ranger, except in picnic fireplaces provided by a Commissioner.

(2) A person must not light a fire in any position likely to present a fire hazard.

(3) Once a fire is lit, the person lighting the fire must remain in attendance of the fire until it is completely extinguished or must arrange for another person to remain in attendance of the fire until it is completely extinguished.

(4) A match (lighted or not lighted), cigarette, or other lighted matter must not be dropped, thrown, or otherwise placed in any grass or other inflammable material.

(5) Nothing in this bylaw exempts a person from liability under any Act with respect to the lighting of fires in the reserve.

(6) Nothing in this bylaw exempts a person from—

(a) The requirement to obtain an authority or permit to light a fire in the open air within the reserve under sections 23 and 24 of the Forest and Rural Fires Act 1977; or

(b) Any other requirement of that Act and any regulations made or fire control measures taken under the authority of that Act.

9. Litter—A person who camps on or uses the reserve must take his or her litter and rubbish from the reserve.

10. Dogs and cats—(1) Except as provided in subclause (4), a person must not bring a dog or cat into the reserve, or allow a dog or cat in that person's custody or charge or under that person's control to be within the reserve.

(2) An authorised person may seize and detain a dog or cat found within the reserve.

(3) If a dog or cat is seized under subclause (2) and the owner of the dog or cat is not known to the authorised person or the owner cannot reasonably be ascertained,—

(a) In the case of a dog, the dog must be committed to the local pound or to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; or

(b) In the case of a cat, the cat must be committed to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

(4) This clause does not apply in the case of a dog if the dog is on a leash or is otherwise properly secured to the satisfaction of a ranger.

11. Gathering of persons—(1) A person must not attend or take part in an organised meeting, picnic, or gathering of persons for sport or games or any other purpose within the reserve unless a Commissioner has given permission in writing to the organiser of the meeting, picnic, or gathering.

(2) For the purposes of this bylaw, an organised meeting, picnic, or gathering is one attended by employees or members of a government department, trade union, club, company, firm, incorporated body, religious organisation, or other body of persons, or a group of several such organisations.

12. Notices—Unless permitted to do so by a Commissioner, a person must not—

(a) Post a notice within the reserve or interfere with a notice lawfully erected in the reserve; or

(b) Distribute notices within or at an entrance to the reserve.

13. Noise—(1) A person must not use or play a musical instrument, a public address system, or any other type of amplified system in the reserve unless permitted to do so by a Commissioner, a ranger, or an authorised person.

(2) A person must not cause to be made any sound or noise that disturbs or annoys or is likely to disturb or annoy other occupiers or users of the reserve.

14. Camping—(1) Except as provided in subclause (2), a person must not camp in the reserve.

(2) A person camping on the reserve must observe any direction—

(a) Given to that person by a ranger or officer or employee of the Department; or

(b) Brought to that person's attention by a notice issued by a ranger or officer or employee of the Department.

(3) A person camping in the reserve must leave the area on which that person camped, clean and tidy.

15. Toilets—(1) A person must not construct or use a pit toilet on the reserve.

(2) A person camping on the reserve must either have or have access to a chemical toilet at all times.

16. General—Nothing in these bylaws limits or prevents the taking of proceedings under any Act in respect of an offence committed within the reserve.

17. Penalty—Every person who commits a breach of these bylaws commits an offence and is liable to the penalty prescribed in section 104 of the Reserves Act 1977.

SCHEDULE

ANAURA BAY RECREATION RESERVE

All that land in the Gisborne Land District containing 1.7957 hectares, more or less, being Section 14, Block XVI, Tokomaru Survey District.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of December 1999.

NICK SMITH,
Minister of Conservation.

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