

ADVICE NOTES

1. Maps in this Volume are produced to assist with implementation and administration of provisions in Volume 1 of the Regional Coastal Environment Plan.
2. These maps are NOT intended to be a comprehensive guide to all data, information and spatial records relating to the Hawke's Bay coastline.
3. The Hawke's Bay Regional Council and other agencies produce a variety of reports, studies and other documents that relate to the coast. Plan users should refer to district plans, conservation management plans/strategies, HBRC Technical Reports, Historic Places Register, Database of Recorded Archaeological Sites, bathymetry charts etc for information on coastal resources and coastal features.
4. Mean high water springs is NOT identified on the maps.
5. Mean high water springs is deemed to be the seaward boundary of the following:
 - a. Parade Gravel Extraction Area
 - b. Vegetation Clearance Management Area
 - c. Westshore Renourishment Area
6. Mean high water springs is deemed to be the landward boundary of the following:
 - a. Class CR(HB) Water
 - b. Harbour Management Area
 - c. Historic Heritage Area
 - d. Hovercraft Restricted Area
 - e. Port Management Area
 - f. Significant Conservation Area (excluding SCA7, SCA13 and SCA18)
 - g. Awatoto Gravel Extraction Area
7. The maps depict where the coastal marine area boundary lies when it crosses a river or stream (ie: the line of MHWS follows the river/stream bank inland to the boundary crossing). The boundary of any river or stream which is not shown in these maps is deemed to be a line continuous to the line of MHWS on either side of the river/stream mouth. In the event that the river/stream banks or coastline change course over the lifespan of this Plan, the boundary remains as being the line of MHWS.
8. Areas of coastal water classified as AE(HB) apply to all coastal water that is not classified as CR(HB). Class AE(HB) coastal water is NOT identified on the planning maps.
9. Some maps may be printed in 'portrait' orientation and others as 'landscape' orientation. Styles of all zones and overlays depicted in the planning maps apply regardless of the map orientation.
10. Coordinates are used to depict locations of specific points along the extent of various management areas and overlays. The coordinates are in New Zealand Transverse Mercator.
11. **Port Management Area** generally covers the operational areas of the Port of Napier but it does not apply any further landward than mean high water springs. Refer to Napier District Plan for relevant RMA-related plan provisions applying to areas above MHWS.
12. **Harbour Management Area** generally covers the operational area of Napier's Inner Harbour but it does not apply any further landward than mean high water springs. Refer to Napier District Plan for relevant RMA-related plan provisions applying to areas above MHWS.
13. **Significant Conservation Areas (SCAs)** are derived from information prepared by the Department of Conservation. A separate document has been produced that contains descriptions of each SCA and its respective values (cultural, historic, ecological, landscape etc). That document's reference is "HBRC Plan Number 4203"
14. **Aquaculture Management Areas (AMAs)** apply to those areas within which resource consents have been granted for aquaculture activities. Identification of additional AMAs in this Plan is subject to various procedures under the RMA.
15. **Coastal Hazard Zones (CHZs)** are generally, but not entirely, based on reports and information prepared by Tonkin and Taylor Ltd. This Plan does not identify any CHZs for the Westshore-Bay View coastline. Refer to Napier District Plan for relevant Coastal Hazard Zone applicable between Esk River and Napier Inner Harbour.