

Tamaki Drive Walking Trail Existing Signage Audit

**Start at The Landing Okahu Bay – Western Entrance to Achilles Point via Michael Joseph Savage Memorial
(Direction: West to East)**

Site & Sign Ref No.
(Image) Tamaki Drive
Section 1_xx
**Section 1.1 The
Landing Okahu Bay**

The Landing Okahu Bay – Western Entrance, Orakei Marina

The large sign is located in Orakei Marina before the Auckland Sailing Club on Tamaki Drive. It is placed on the western entrance of the Orakei Marina. This is an informational sign coloured in blue (re-branded by the Auckland Council). It is located on the ground off the footpath. The sign is double sided with the same information in both sides. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.



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| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is in an excellent condition. Different branding to other existing signs as the colour is light blue instead of dark green. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign is in an excellent condition. No repair needed. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.1 The Landing Okahu Bay | <p>The Landing Okahu Bay – map</p> <p>The sign is located in Orakei Marina before the Auckland Sailing Club on Tamaki Drive. This is an informational sign coloured in blue. The location of this map is on the parking entrance on the west part of The Landing Okahu. It is located on the ground off the footpath. The sign is double sided with the same information in both sides. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p> |





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| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is in an excellent condition. Different branding to other existing signs as the colour is light blue instead of dark green. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign is in an excellent condition. No repair needed. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.1 The Landing Okahu Bay | The Landing Okahu Bay The Landing Okahu Bay provides many maritime and enforcement signs in the area. They are located on poles. The orange rectangles indicate the location of the signs. |



Existing signage
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Many maritime and enforcement signs in The Landing Orakei area.

Enhancements /
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They are in good condition. No repair needed.

Site & Sign Ref No.
(Image) Tamaki Drive
Section 1_xx
**Section 1.1 The
Landing Okahu Bay**

The Landing Okahu Bay-Eastern entrance
The sign is located in Orakei Marina before the Auckland Sailing Club. It is placed on the eastern entrance of the Orakei Marina. This is an informational sign coloured in blue (re-branded by the Auckland Council). It is located on a pole off the footpath. The sign is double sided with the same information in both sides. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.



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| Existing signage (comment) | Brand new sign. Different branding to other existing signs as the colour is light blue instead of dark green. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign is in an excellent condition. No repair needed. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.1 The Landing Okahu Bay | Auckland Sailing Club The location of the sign is next to Fergs Kayaks on Tamaki Drive. The sign is placed on the ground off the footpath. The sign is made of metal and coloured brown. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign. |



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| Existing signage (comment) | It is placed by the Auckland City. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign needs to be cleaned. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.1 The Landing Okahu Bay | The Landing Okahu Bay The location of the sign is in front of the Fergs Kayak on Tamaki Drive. The sign is placed on the ground off the footpath. The sign is made of metal and coloured brown. There is a map on the sign, but it is not visible to visitors as the colour has faded. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign. |



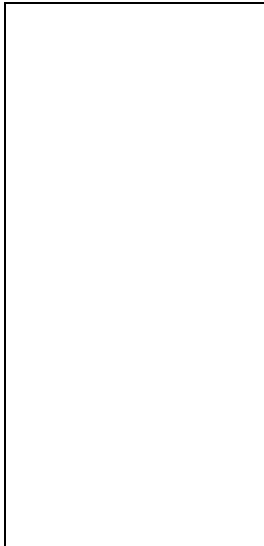
Existing signage (comment)

Not visible to visitors. Hidden behind the trees.

Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

The sign needs to be cleaned up, particularly the map part. The blue rectangle shows the map.






Site & Sign Ref No.
(Image) Tamaki Drive
Section 1_xx
**Section 1.2 Okahu
Bay
(Okahumatamomoe)
Sign**

Okahu Bay

Section 1.2 is located on Tamaki Drive, next to Fergs Kayaks. The sign is placed next to Bus Stop 7316. The sign is green and is attached on a pole off the foot path. The sign is shown on the picture below with the orange rectangle around it.



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| Existing signage (comment) | <p>The sign is clear and in a good condition. It is visible to drivers. It also helps visitors who walk or take the bus as the location of the sign is strategic. It is double sided as well. The sign will be shown below.</p>  |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign is in a good condition. It does not need any repair. |
| Sign transcription | <p>Okahu Bay (Okahumatamomoe) Okahu Matamomoe son of the Tamatekapua, captain of the Arawa waka, established a village here before moving to the Kaipara. In time he returned to be buried in the cliffs near Bastion Point.</p> |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.3 Watene Reserve | <p>Watene Reserve Watene Reserve is located in Okahu Bay. The location of the sign is located next to the Orakei Domain. The sign is green and double sided with the same information on each sides. It is attached on a pole on the ground off the footpath. The pictures are shown below. the orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p> |

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| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is visible to both drivers and visitors. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign is in a good condition. No repair needed. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.3 Watene Reserve | <p>Watene Reserve Watene Reserve is located in Okahu Bay. The location of the sign is located next to the Orakei Domain. The sign is green and one sided. It is attached on a pole on the ground off the footpath. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p>  |



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| Existing signage (comment) | This is an informational sign created by the Auckland Council. | |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign is in a poor condition. It needs to be replaced. | |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.4 Orakei Domain | <p>Orakei Domain</p> <p>There are two identical brand-new signs in Okahu. They are information signs. Both of them are located on the right side of the road on the Orakei Domain. One is located next to Watene Reserve and the other one is next to the cemetery. These signs are medium and coloured in red. They are on the ground, but off the foot path. The pictures are shown below with the orange rectangle around them.</p> <p>Sign 1. Okahu (next to Watene Reserve)</p>  | |






Sign 2. Okahu (next to the Orakei Cemetery [Orakei Urupa]/the edge of Orakei Domain)






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| Existing signage (comment) | These signs are co-branded by Ngati Whatua Orakei and the Auckland Council. The information is written in both English and Maori. These signs are double sided. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | They are brand new and in an excellent condition. No repairs needed. |
| Sign transcription | <p>Nau mai ki Okahu No Ngati Whatua Orakei tenei whenua. I mahi tahi ai a Orakei raua kote Kaunihera o Tamaki Makaurau oranga mo te katoa o Tamaki Makaurau whanui.</p> <p>A te wa Raumati , he kaitiaki kei konei. Me tiaki i nga tikanga mo tenei whenua tuku iho.</p> <p>(The English translation of the Maori writing above is shown on the sign. The transcription can be seen below).</p> <p>This land is owned by Ngati Whatua Orakei and co-managed with Auckland Council for the enjoyment of all.</p> |


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| | <p>Rangers for duty in summer. Please honour the protocol of respectful behaviour on this ancestral land.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.4 Orakei Domain</p> | <p>Orakei There is a brand-new sign in Orakei. It is a large informational sign. It is located on the right side of the road on the opposite of the Okahu sign before the Cemetery (Okahu Bay urupa). There is a playground behind the sign. There is a pedestrian crossing on the entrance of the pathway where this sign is placed. The sign is large and coloured in red. It is on the ground, but off the foot-path. The pictures are shown below.</p>   |
| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>This sign is co-branded by Ngāti Whātua Orakei and the Auckland Council. The information is written in both English and Maori. This information is the same with the one written on the Okahu sign. There is a historic picture of the Marae on the background of the sign This sign is double sided. The pictures of the sign are shown below.</p> |



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| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>Brand new, excellent condition.</p> |
| <p>Sign transcription</p> | <p>Nau mai ki Okahu No Ngati Whatua Orakei tenei whenua. I mahi tahi ai a Orakei raua kote Kaunihera o Tamaki Makaurau oranga mo te katoa o Tamaki Makaurau whanui.</p> <p>A te wa Raumati , he kaitiaki kei konei. Me tiaki i nga tikanga mo tenei whenua tuku iho.</p> <p>(The English translation of the Maori writing above is shown on the sign. The transcription can be seen below).</p> <p>This land is owned by Ngati Whatua Orakei and co-managed with Auckland Council for the enjoyment of all.</p> <p>Rangers for duty in summer. Please honour the protocol of respectful behaviour on this ancestral land.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.4 Orakei Domain</p> | <p>Orakei Domain There is a small informational sign in the Orakei Domain. It is located at the front of the back entrance. It is attached to a pole on the ground of the footpath. It is placed in near the new Okahu red sign. It is coloured blue. The sign is in a poor condition.</p> |

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| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is not visible to visitors. | |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It needs to be replaced. | |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.4 Orakei Domain | <p>Orakei Domain</p> <p>There is a new sign in Orakei Domain. This sign is located at the rear entrance to the domain. This sign is identical with the sign at the front entrance to the domain. It is also double sided with the same information on each side. There is also a background picture, which is the historical Marae on the sign. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p> |  |

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| Existing signage (comment) | This sign is co-branded by Ngati Whatua Orakei and the Auckland Council. The information is written in both English and Maori. This information is the same with the one written on the Okahu sign. There is a historic picture of the Marae on the background of the sign This sign is double sided. | |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. No repair needed. | |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.4 Orakei Domain | <p>Orakei Domain</p> <p>There is also a small informational sign in Orakei Domain. It is red and newly co-branded by Ngati Whatua Orakei and the Auckland Council. It is located on the right entrance of the domain, which is from Kitemoana St. It is attached on a wooden pole on the ground off the footpath. The paragraphs that are written on it are the same as the Orakei big red sign on the entrance.</p>   | |
| Existing signage (comment) | A small informational sign attached on a wooden pole. | |

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| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>This sign is brand new and in an excellent condition. No repair needed.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.5 Okahu</p> | <p>Okahu There are two identical brand-new signs in Okahu. They are information signs. Both of them are located on the left side of the road on the seaward. One is located before the Cemetery and the other one is on the opposite of the cemetery. These signs are large and coloured in red. It is on the ground, but off the foot path. The pictures are shown below with the orange rectangle around it.</p> <div data-bbox="469 551 1209 1037" data-label="Image"> </div> <div data-bbox="469 1037 1209 1529" data-label="Image"> </div> |
| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>These signs are co-branded by Ngati Whatua Orakei and the Auckland Council. The information is written in both English and Maori. There is a historic photo of the bay used as the background on the sign. These signs are double sided. The picture of the sign is shown below.</p> |

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| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>They are brand new and in an excellent condition. No repairs needed.</p> | |
| <p>Sign transcription</p> | <p>Nau mai ki Okahu No Ngati Whatua Orakei tenei whenua. I mahi tahi ai a Orakei raua kote Kaunihera o Tamaki Makaurau oranga mo te katoa o Tamaki Makaurau whanui.</p> <p>A te wa Raumati , he kaitiaki kei konei. Me tiaki i nga tikanga mo tenei whenua tuku iho.</p> <p>(The English translation of the Maori writing above is shown on the sign. The transcription can be seen below).</p> <p>This land is owned by Ngati Whatua Orakei and co-managed with Auckland Council for the enjoyment of all. Rangers for duty in summer. Please honour the protocol of respectful behaviour on this ancestral land.</p> | |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.5 Okahu</p> | <p>Okahu Bay Public Toilets There is an informational sign attached on the wall of the public toilet at Okahu Bay. It is located on the right side of the toilet. This sign is placed by Auckland City and it is made of wood. The sign is in a poor condition. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle shows the location of the sign.</p> | |

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| Existing signage (comment) | An informational sign made of wood. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign needs to be replaced. The blue rectangle shows the damage on the sign.  |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.5 Okahu | Okahu Bay There is a directional / route sign placed by the Rotary International on the ground in front of the public toilets in Okahu Bay. It is located on the footpath. It is made of metal. The pictures are shown below with the orange rectangles indicating the location of the sign. |



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| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is a plaque that is attached on the asphalt of the footpath. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.6 Hammerheads Seafood Restaurant and Bar | Hammerheads Restaurant There is a plaque, which states the 'Navy League Head Quarters of T. S. Achilles' attached on the wall of the Hammerheads Seafood Restaurant and Bar. It is located on Tamaki Drive (on the right side of the road from the city centre). It is quite visible to both drivers and pedestrians. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign. |



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| Existing signage (comment) | The plaque is the sign. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. No repair needed. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.7 Okahu Bay | Okahu Bay There is another Okahu Bay sign in between the Hammerheads Seafood Restaurant and Bar and Kelly Tarlton's SEA Life Aquarium. The sign is green and is attached on a pole off the foot path. This sign is identical to the 'Okahu Bay' sign located next to Fergs Kayak. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign. |



Existing signage
(comment)

The sign is clear and in a good condition. It is visible to drivers. It also helps visitors who walk or take the bus as the location of the sign is strategic. It is double sided as well.

Enhancements /
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It is in a good condition. No repair needed.

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(Image) Tamaki Drive
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**Section 1.8 Kelly
Tarlton's SEA LIFE
Aquarium**

Kelly Tarlton's SEA LIFE Aquarium

There are four signs existing on the Kelly Tarlton's SEA LIFE Aquarium site. All of these signs are located in the parking areas of the place on Tamaki Drive. The main attraction there is the Sea Life Aquarium. The pictures of the sign are shown below. The orange rectangles represent the location of the existing signs.



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| Existing signage (comment) | <p>There are many signs in different sizes. These signs are very clear to both pedestrians and drivers. The signs are also clear in showcasing the branding of Kelly Tarlton's SEA LIFE Aquarium. They only advertise the aquarium. They do not tell the story of it or its historical links to the area.</p> | |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | <p>They are in good condition.</p> | |
| Note | <p>There was no single parking space available at Kelly Tarlton's on Wednesday, 4 February 2015 at 12 (noon).</p> | |
| <p>Section 1.9 Okahu Pumphouse</p> | <p>Okahu Pumphouse Okahu Pumphouse is located in the waterfront of Okahu Bay. It is currently used as a wedding venue. There is no existing sign on the location. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p>   | |
| Existing signage (comment) | <p>No informational signage about the Pump House - only commercial advertising as a wedding Venue</p> | |



Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

It needs a new informational sign - history about the buildings past use – photos.

Section 1.10 Orakei Wharf

Orakei Wharf
 It is located next to the Okahu bay Pupmhouse. There is only a plaque exists at the entrance of the Wharf. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle shows the location of the sign .




Existing signage (comment)

There is no interpretive sign in the area, only plaque.

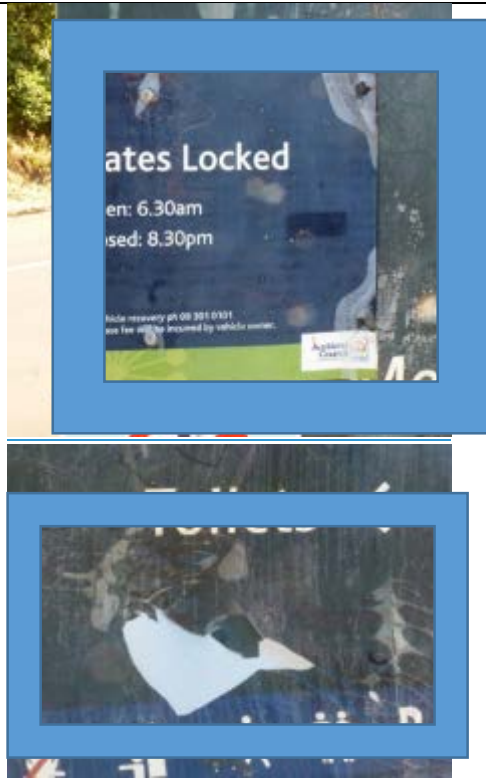
Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

Additional informational sign – History about the wharf’s past and present use – photos

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| Sign transcription | <p>Orakei Wharf</p> <p>The original passenger ferry wharf at Orakei was built in 1902. This replacement wharf officially opened January 28, 1985 was provided by the Auckland Harbour Board for the recreational use of Aucklanders.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.11 Takaparawhau / Bastion Point</p> | <p>Takaparawhau / Bastion Point</p> <p>Takaparawhau Point is also known as Bastion Point. It is located on the corner between the West End of Mission Bay and Kelly Tarlton’s SEA LIFE Aquarium. The sign is on the ground off the footpath. It is very small and is not quite visible for both drivers and pedestrians. There is no sign from the road across that indicates the location of the Takaparawhau / Bastion Point. The pictures of the sign are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p>  |
| Existing signage (comment) | There is a medium sized interpretative sign. The current sign is in an unsafe location for viewing. |
| Sign transcription | The above paa was one of four strongholds taken by Ngati Whatua during their wars with Waiohua about 1750AD. Ngati Whatua remains as owners of this land and keepers of the fire. |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.12 Michael Joseph Michael Joseph Savage Memorial</p> | <p>Michael Joseph Savage Memorial</p> <p>The sign is located at the entrance of Michael Joseph Savage Memorial. The sign is big and clear. It is visible to drivers, cyclists and pedestrians. The colour of the sign is green. It is off the road. The picture of the sign is shown below.</p> |

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| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>The sign is pretty clear and visible to drivers, cyclists and pedestrians. However, there is no pedestrian crossing near the entrance, which makes it hard for them to cross and visit the memorial.</p> |
| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>The sign is in a poor condition. It needs to be replaced or undergo extensive repair. The condition of the sign is shown in pictures below. The blue rectangles show the parts of the sign that are damaged.</p>  |





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Section 1.12
Michael Joseph
Savage Memorial

Michael Joseph Savage Memorial Gardens

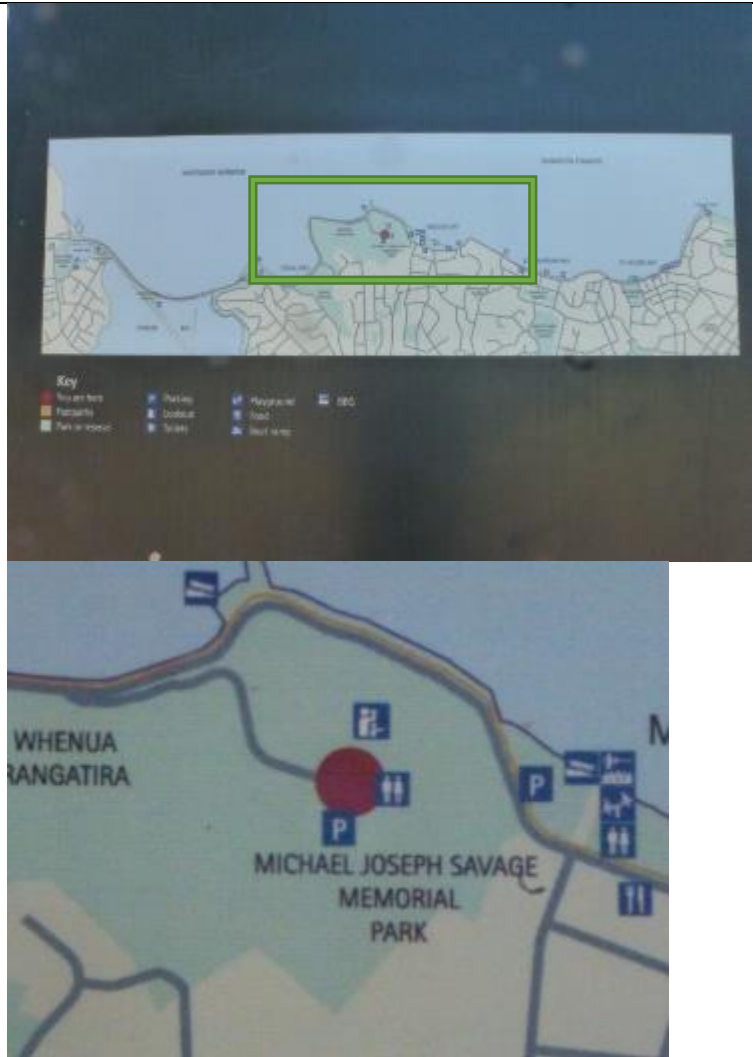
The sign is located on the inside entrance of the memorial. It is placed on the footpath. The sign is large and dark green in colour. It has the information about the history of the place combined with the photos (large interpretative sign). It also has a map of the area on the other side of the sign. The pictures of the sign are shown below.





Existing signage
(comment)

Interpretative sign with clear photos and information of the history. The pictures of the maps below indicate the location of point of interest and its link to other points of interest. However, the map does not show the steps from Michael Joseph Savage Memorial leading to Mission Bay. The map will have to be changed.



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| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>It is in a good condition. Though there are some minor scratches</p> |
| <p>Sign transcription</p> | <p>1. One side of the sign (with pictures and history)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Rt. Hon M J Savage (New Zealand Herald) 2 Scale drawing of savage Memorial Gardens as originally designed 3 Bastion Rock with family party on beach. (Auckland City Library) 4 Disappearing gun, Bastion Point (Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum) 5 Mushroom growing in underground passages. (Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum) <p>An embankment carries Tamaki Drive past the base of Resolution Point and across Hobson Bay. On the east side is Okahu Bay, the site of a Ngati Whatua village until the 1950's. The road skirts a headland known as Bastion Point, the</p> |

end of which is now occupied by the Tamaki Yacht Club. On the other side of the road once stood Fort Bastion, built during the “Russian Scare” of the 1880’s. Gun emplacements here once guarded the entrance to the Waitemata Harbour, as did other fortifications on Mt. Victoria and North Head at Devonport on the North Shore. Bastion Point was named after (the) Bastion Rock, a distinctive fort-like outcrop which stood offshore here until the 1920’s, when it was demolished during the formation of Tamaki Drive. This is now the site of the memorial to Michael Joseph Savage (1872-1940), this country’s first Labour Prime Minister, remembered by a tall obelisk, sunken pool and gardens.

2. The other side of the sign (with map)



In 1860, 1879 and 1880 Ngati Whatua leaders Tuahere and Te Kawau assembled many North Island chiefs to the Kohimarama Conference to establish a Maori parliament. They sought redress on land issues and equality under the law. In the 1930’s Maori sought remedy through Michael Savage, the then Prime Minister, of the Labour Government. With Maori support Labour had entered parliament for the first time beginning a long-standing relationship.

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(Image) Tamaki Drive
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Section 1.12
Michael Joseph
Savage Memorial

Michael Joseph Savage Memorial Tall Obelisk

The tall obelisk is located at the end of the gardens. It is placed on top of a hill above the gardens. There are two sides of the stairs to reach the obelisk. This obelisk is facing the view of Rangitoto. There is a plaque placed at the bottom of the obelisk as the commemoration of Michael Joseph Savage. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangles represent the location of the plaque.



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| Existing signage (comment) | It is a memorial statue. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The plaque needs to be cleaned. |
| Sign transcription | <p>This monument is erected by the New Zealand Labour Party in memory of Michael Joseph Savage first Labour Prime Minister</p> <p>“There is no fame to rise above the crowning honour of a people’s love”</p> |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.12 Michael Joseph Savage Memorial | <p>The steps from Michael Joseph Savage Memorial to Mission Bay</p> <p>There are steps, which are the shortcut that lead visitors / pedestrians to Mission Bay. It is located behind the public toilet. It is small and coloured in green.</p> |
| Existing signage (comment) | <p>There is an existing sign, but the physical sign is too small. The location of the sign is also invisible to visitors at the memorial site as it is placed behind the toilet. Visitors will need to discover the small sign themselves. The picture is below. The blue rectangles below highlight the damage on the sign.</p>  |

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| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>The sign is in a poor condition. It needs to be replaced with a new sign that contains more information and a map. Some additional signs, which indicate the location of the steps, are needed near the front entrance of the gardens. The sign needs to be bigger than the existing sign.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.12 Michael Joseph Savage Memorial</p> | <p>The steps from Michael Joseph Savage Memorial to Mission Bay</p> <p>There are steps, which are the shortcut that lead visitors / pedestrians to Mission Bay. It is located behind the public toilet. It is small and coloured in green.</p> |

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| Existing signage (comment) | Sign quite small and hard to spot and only the path can be clearly seen from the Memorial. Sign in need of repair – difficult to read one side |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | <p>The sign is in a poor condition. It needs to be replaced. The blue rectangle shows the damage on the sign.</p>  |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 1.14 Mission Bay - West End | Mission Bay The Mission Bay – West End sign is located on the west side of Mission Bay. It is placed on a pole on the foot path on the left hand side of the road (if the visitors drive from the city). The Millennium Bridge is next to it. The sign is small and coloured in green. It is visible to visitors, mainly drivers. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the sign. |



Existing signage
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The sign is clear and visible to drivers. It is double sided.


Enhancements /
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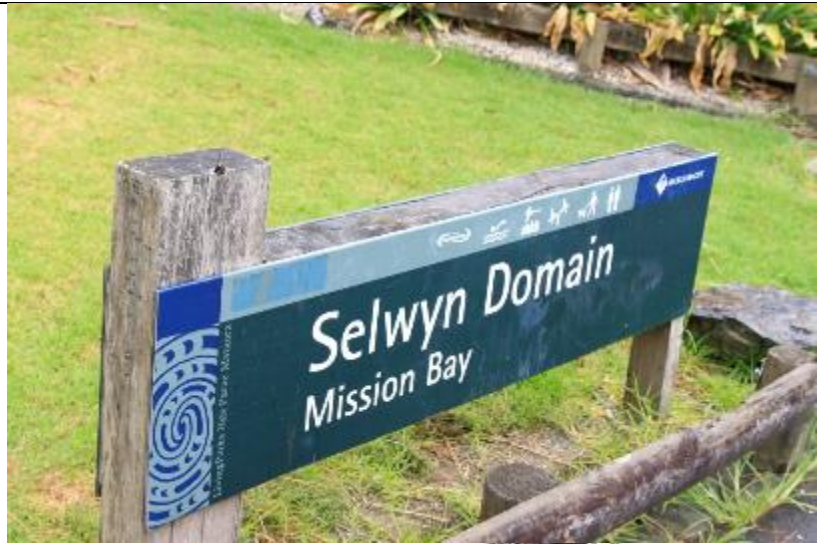
It is in a good condition.

Section 1.14
Mission Bay - West
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The Millennium Bridge

There is a plaque near the Millennium Bridge on the West End of Mission Bay.

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| Existing signage (comment) | The plaque is an informational sign. | |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | Do not polish, look at alternative ways to make text visible again. (need a further picture to show the location and highlight it with the orange rectangle) | |
| Sign transcription | <p>This plaque commemorates the official opening of</p> <p>The Mission Bay Millennium Foot Bridge “Aramaramara”</p> <p>This bridge was gifted to our community by the Eastern Bays Community Board in celebration of the millennium (2000AD)</p> <p>This collaborative design between Virginia King, Artist, & Chris Thorn. City Design, representing a link between the millennia combining the concept of a palisade, protection with the aerial roots of a pohutukawa and the ethereal form of a waka prow, acknowledging Ngati Whatua.</p> | |
| Coastal Conservation | | |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.1 Selwyn Domain | <p>Selwyn Domain and the Missionary House</p> <p>The Selwyn Domain sign in front of the Missionary House will indicate the start of the second section of the trail. This sign only contains the name of the location without any information. The sign is small. It is placed on the ground behind the fence.</p> <p>There is no sign, which indicates the Missionary House. The existing sign there is the sign of the café which is inside the house. The pictures of the signs are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p> | |



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| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>The existing sign is in a good condition. However, it does not contain enough information about the history of the place.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.2 Selwyn Domain Main Gate</p> | <p>Selwyn Domain Main Gate</p> <p>The Selwyn Domain Main Gate sign is located on the main gate of Selwyn Domain. It is located in the heart of Mission Bay where many cafes are located. The sign is big, clear and interpretative. It is placed off the footpath. It is bright green and the format. This sign has different branding to other signs as the format and the colour on the sign is different to the other existing signs. It informs visitors about the history of the place. It is also followed by a general sign about bringing dogs to public parks as well. The pictures are shown below.</p>  |



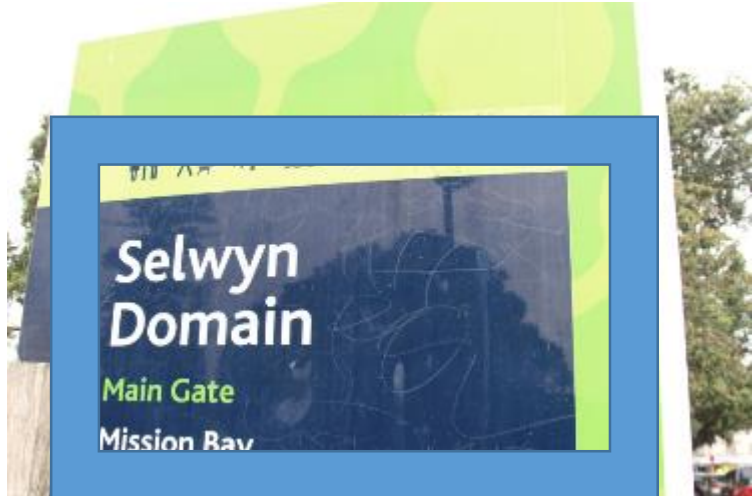


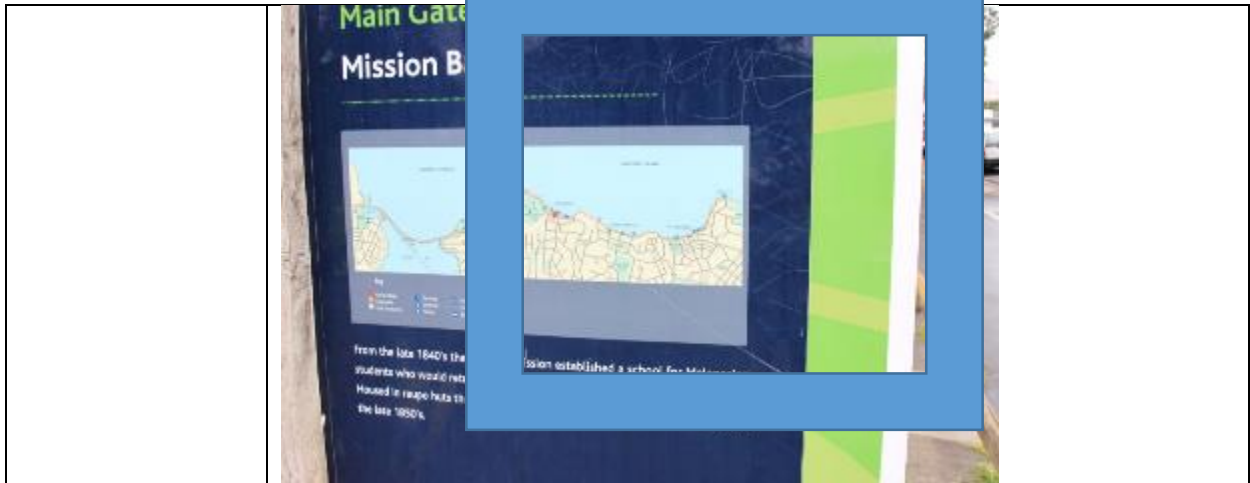
Existing signage (comment)

It is double sided with different information on each side.

Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

The condition of the sign is good enough. However, there is lightly scratched graffiti. It may need to be enhanced slightly. The blue rectangles represent the graffiti.





Sign transcription

1. One side of the sign

From the late 1840's the Anglican Mission established a school for Melanesian students who would return to the islands after completing their training. Housed in raupo huts they assisted in the construction of the Mission House in the late 1850's.

2. The other side of the sign

1.0 Melanesian Mission buildings. (Auckland City Libraries)

1.1 Walsh Bros. Boeing seaplane taking off. (Auckland City Libraries)

1.2 View of Mission Bay from above Tamaki Drive, 1930s. (Auckland City Libraries)

1.3 Group of young Melanesians (from Solomon Islands).


1.4 Mission Bay on Anniversary Day, 1938. (Auckland City Libraries)

1.5 Planes in front of the hanger, Walsh Bros Flying School, 1917. (Auckland City Libraries)

The Melanesian Mission was established at Mission Bay in 1859, in a building designed by architect Reader Wood, and built using basalt from Rangitoto Island. In 1861 Anglican Bishops Patteson and Selwyn planted the two large Norfolk pines, which now dominate this site. Conditions were not so congenial for the young boys brought here from Melanesia, and so the mission was transferred to Norfolk Island. The college buildings were then used for a number of purposes, including naval training school, and from 1915-24 as the Walsh Brothers New Zealand Flying School.

Vivian C. Walsh made the first controlled powered flight by heavier than air machine in New Zealand in 1911 at Papakura. Four years later he and his brother Leo built and flew a sea-plane. The first aircraft of this type to be built here. The brothers' Flying School began with a series of training courses for the Royal Flying Corps in 1915, at first using only a single flying boat.

Later a second sea-plane was rebuilt from a crashed two-seater. During the first World War, 110 pilots were trained at the Walsh Bros School. After the closure of the Flying School, the Melanesian Mission buildings fell into disrepair, and were restored as a Melanesian Museum in 1928. Later they became dilapidated again, and were further restored by the New Zealand Historic Places Trust in 1974. Mission Bay became a popular recreational area with the completion of

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| | <p>Tamaki Drive in the 1930's. Selwyn, Patteson and other bishops of the Anglican church are remembered in the names of roads in Mission Bay. The Selwyn Domain is distinguished by the illuminated Davis Memorial Fountain (in memory of Trevor Moss).</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.3 Trevor Moss Davis Memorial Fountain</p> | <p>Trevor Moss Davis Memorial Fountain, Mission Bay This fountain is located in the heart of Mission Bay. It is placed in the middle of the Selwyn Domain Main Gate. It is the main attraction of Mission Bay. The fountain itself is the obvious sign. The pictures of the fountain are shown below. The orange rectangles represent the location of the existing sign.</p>  |
| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>It is well placed and clear for visitors.</p> |
| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>It is in an excellent condition.</p> |
| <p>Sign transcription</p> | <p>The Trevor Moss Davis Memorial Fountain Will play each day Afternoons: 11.20 am – 1.30 pm Evenings: 4:30 pm – 6.30 pm</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx</p> | <p>New Zealand Flying School Memorial in Mission Bay The New Zealand flying School Memorial is located in Mission Bay. There is no sign, which leads to the stone. However, the stone is highly visible to people so</p> |

Section 2.4 New Zealand Flying School Memorial

it is easy to find. It is placed near the Trevor Moss Davis Fountain off the footpath. The orange rectangle represents the location of the existing sign.



Existing signage (comment)

Yes a bronze plaque.

Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

Do not polish

Sign transcription

New Zealand Air Pioneers

Presented by
Tasman Empire Airways Ltd.
On the 21st anniversary of its first scheduled service 30th April 1940 to mark the founding of the New Zealand Flying School here at Mission Bay in 1915 by the Walsh Brothers.

Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx
Section 2.5 A Native Tree

A Native Tree Planted by Amnesty International in Mission Bay
There is a plaque that is attached on the ground about a tree that is planted by Amnesty International. It is off the footpath. It is placed under the fence near the New Zealand Flying School Memorial. The pictures will be shown below. The orange rectangles represent the location of the existing sign.



Existing signage
(comment)

The tree that is planted by Amnesty International was not clear as there are many other trees in the area. The sign itself is attached on the ground, which is not highly visible to visitors.

Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

It may need an additional sign for pointer. Do not polish

Sign transcription

This tree was planted May 25th 1991 to celebrate 25 years in NZ of Amnesty International.

Site & Sign Ref No.
(Image) Tamaki Drive
Section 1_xx
**Section 2.6 Mission
Bay**

The clock tower at Mission Bay
There are two plaques attached on the clock tower at the intersection in Mission Bay. They are visible to pedestrians. One of the plaques is located on the ground and the other one is located above it. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangles indicate the location of each plaque.



Plaque 1




Plaque 2



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| Existing signage (comment) | These plaques are the existing signs. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | They are in good condition. |
| Sign transcription | <p>Plaque 1</p> <p>Donors Auckland Savings Bank Margaret Bannister* William A. Bramley Frank Brewin* Brookfield Family Ethel Cashmore* Basil Clement John W. A. Cooper* T. & B. Culpan Ltd. C. H. Discombe Stuart Findlay Sir William Goodfellow* Lorna I. Hobin Max Johnson J. A. (Stan) Keys* Curling Lawford Family G. Frederick Lane* Ida Livingstone Melanesian Trust Board Robert Dawson Milne* Claude H. Moses* Maida Newton A. D. (Bert) Organ* Arthur Parrish Edith Pereira-Brown Mervyn Poland Phyl Postlewaite* Reg. A. Rapley Gerald F. Rogers James Sarten Dan Sloan Norman Taylor* W. Scott Wilson 1978 * In memoriam</p> <p>Plaque 2</p> <p>This clock was erected by the Mission Bay Improvement Society Incorporated and dedicated to all the citizens to mark the Centenary of Auckland City.</p> |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.6 Mission Bay | <p>Manurewa Artwork at Mission Bay</p> <p>There is a plaque located in the parking spaces in Mission Bay. This plaque refers to the artwork, which is located above it. It is located on the ground off the footpath near the Sitka tree in the parking lot. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle shows the location of the sign.</p> |



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| Existing signage (comment) | This plaque is the existing sign. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| Sign transcription | <p>Manurewa by Fred Graham</p> <p>This artwork is inspired by the military and civil aviation accomplishments of Leo and Vivian Walsh including their renowned flying school based at Mission Bay.</p> |

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| | <p>Concept initiated by the Mission Bay-Kohimarama Residents Association</p> <p>Facilitated and funded by the Eastern Bays Community Board</p> <p>An Auckland City Council public art project December 2007.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.6 Mission Bay</p> | <p>Selwyn Domain-East End</p> <p>There is a medium size sign of Selwyn Domain at the end of the parking lot at Mission Bay. This sign is identical with the Selwyn Domain sign in front of the Missionary House. It is located behind the fence on the ground off the footpath. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle shows the location of the sign.</p>  |
| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>This sign is clear and visible to visitors.</p> |
| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>It is in a good condition.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.6 Mission Bay</p> | <p>Mission Bay-East End</p> <p>There is a green informational sign, which indicates the east end of Mission Bay. It is attached on a pole on the ground off the footpath. It is located on the right side of the road (from the city centre direction). It is double sided with the same information on each side. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.</p> |



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| Existing signage (comment) | It is green. It is visible to visitors. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| The Loop Ends | |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.7 Kohimarama Beach | Kohimarama Beach – West End Kohimarama Beach – West End sign is located on Kohimarama Beach. The sign is placed next to Bus Stop. The sign is double sided. It is green and is attached on a pole off the foot path. The sign is shown on the picture below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the existing sign. |



Existing signage
(comment)

The sign is clear and in a good condition. It is visible to drivers. It also helps visitors who walk or take the bus as the location of the sign is strategic.

Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

The sign needs a minor repair as there are slight dents on it. The picture is shown below. The blue rectangles indicate the dents on the sign.






Site & Sign Ref No.
(Image) Tamaki Drive
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Section 2.7
Kohimarama Beach

Kohimarama Beach – West End



The sign is a plaque that is attached on the ground. It states the name of the attraction, which is 'Kohimarama Beach'. The sign is written in capitals on the West Entrance of the beach. It is facing towards the beach view. The pictures of the sign are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.





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| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is a unique landmark for the beach. It is clear and is still in a good condition. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.7 Kohimarama Beach | <p>Kohimarama Beach Restoration Project Plaque</p> <p>The sign is a plaque that is attached on the stone towards the beach view. This plaque commemorates the restoration project that was done by Hon John Banks QSO, the Mayor of Auckland. It is located on the West End entrance to the beach. The pictures of the plaque are shown below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the existing sign.</p>  |

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| Existing signage (comment) | The plaque is clear to pedestrians. However, it is not visible enough to drivers. The information of the plaque is clear. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| Sign transcription | <p>This plaque commemorates the official opening of the Kohimarama Beach Restoration Project by Hon John Banks QSO Mayor of Auckland City and the Eastern Bays Community Board</p> <p>Cr Douglas Armstrong, QSO Toni Millar, Chairman Colin Davis Brian Slater</p> <p>Cr Juliet Yates Martin Ellis, Deputy Chairman David Robertson</p> <p>On 18 September 2004</p> |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.7 Kohimarama Beach | <p>Kohimarama Beach – Main Entrance</p> <p>The sign is located on the main entrance of the beach. It is a big green sign on the left side of the road. The sign is placed near the public toilet in Kohimarama Beach. It is an interpretative sign, which is double sided. It is attached on the ground off the footpath. The information stated on the sign is the history of the beach. The pictures are shown below.</p> |



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| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>The sign is visible to both drivers and pedestrians. It has some writing / graffiti on it. The blue rectangle indicates the location of the graffiti.</p>  |
| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>It needs to be repaired due to the amount of graffiti writing on it.</p> |
| <p>Sign transcription</p> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The map (one side of the sign) The name Kohimarama is derived from Kohimaramara and referred to the area from Bastion Rock to Gower Point, including the bay to the west known now as Mission Bay. Kohimaramara refers to the gathering together of the scattered wood chips from the carving of waka (canoes). The name also reflects the gathering together of divided peoples of different origins and waka after conflict. 2. The other side of the map 1 Ferry at Kohimarama Wharf at Pipimea Point. (Auckland City Libraries) Prior to the completion of Tamaki Drive around the southern shore of the Waitemata Harbour, access to the bays beyond Mission Bay was by means of |

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| | <p>the inland Kohimarama and St Heliers Roads, or the once regular ferry service from Downtown Auckland. Until the 1920's, the area known as Kohimarama also included the bay to the west now called Mission Bay.</p> <p>2 Kohimarama in 1931. (Auckland City Libraries)</p> <p>3 Kohimarama Beach, looking towards Pipimea Point, 1920. (Auckland City Libraries)</p> <p>4 Beach cricket team. (Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum)</p> <p>5 Yachts on the beach at race day, 1958. (Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum)</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.7 Kohimarama Beach</p> | <p>Madills Farm, Kohimarama</p> <p>There is a directional sign indicating the route to get into the farm. It is attached on a pole on the ground of the footpath. It is double sided. The sign is quite small but visible enough to visitors. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle shows the location of the sign.</p>   |
| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>It is a directional sign.</p> |

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| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| <p>Section 2.7 Kohimarama Beach</p> | <p>Kohimarama Beach – East End Kohimarama Beach – east end sign is located on the east side of Kohimarama Beach. The sign is double sided. It is green and is attached on a pole off the foot path. The sign is shown on the picture below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the existing sign.</p>   |
| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is clear and in a good condition. It is visible to drivers. It also helps visitors who walk or take the bus as the location of the sign is strategic. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.8 Vellenoweth Green</p> | <p>Vellenoweth Green Park The signs of the Vellenoweth Green Park are located on the corner of the park. They are medium-sized and are attached on the ground. However, they are still quite visible to both drivers and pedestrians. The park is located near Kohimarama Beach, next to the pedestrian crossing. The pictures of the signs are shown below. The orange rectangles represent the location of the existing sign.</p> <p>Sign 1</p> |



Sign 2





Existing signage
(comment)

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Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

The sign is not in a good condition. It needs to be repaired. The blue rectangles show the damage on the sign.



**Section 2.8
Vellenoweth Green**

Plaques at the Vellenoweth Green

There are two plaques regarding the history and the restoration project at the Vellenoweth Green Park. These plaques are located next to each other on above the bench off the footpath. They are attached on the stone wall. The orange rectangles represent the location of the sign.





Plaque 1



Plaque 2



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| Existing signage (comment) | These plaques are visible to pedestrians. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | They are in good condition. |
| Sign transcription | Plaque 1 Auckland City and Vector 21 November 2003 |

The enhancement of the historic Moreton Bay Fig Tree Walk, Lighting, Tamaki West Road Board Drinking Fountain and Vellenoweth Memorial Seat was undertaken by the:

Eastern Bays Community Board
 Toni Miller – Chairman
 Colin Davis
 Martin Ellis
 Cllr Doug Armstrong
 David Robertson
 Brian Slater
 Cllr Juliet Yates

And Vector

Plaque 2


This plaque is erected in memory of Mr. and Mrs. E. Vellenoweth, late of the Parish of West Tamaki, to whom the thanks of the citizens of Auckland are due for their untiring efforts to ensure the preservation of this reserve in perpetuity.

**Section 2.8
 Vellenoweth Green**

Plaque at the Vellenoweth Green

There is another plaque regarding the history of Round the Bays at the Vellenoweth Green Park behind the bench off the footpath. It is attached on the stone wall. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the sign.



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| Existing signage (comment) | The plaque is not visible to visitors. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| Sign transcription | <p>In memory Colin Kay CBE 1925-2008 Mayor of Auckland City 1980-1983 Founder of the Round the Bays Fun Run 1972 -This marks the finish line.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.9 St. Heliers Bay</p> | <p>First sign of St. Heliers Bay There are two existing signs in St. Heliers Bay. One sign is located across the Vellenoweth Green Park. It is a small sign that is not in a good condition. The design of this sign is classic vintage. The pictures of the sign are shown below. The first sign is indicated by the orange rectangle.</p>  |
| Existing signage (comment) | Old vintage sign of St. Heliers Bay. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It needs to be repaired because of rust. The blue rectangle shows the location of the rust. |



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(Image) Tamaki Drive
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**Section 2.9 St.
Heliers Bay**

Second sign of St. Heliers Bay

The second sign of St. Heliers Bay is located near the seaward. It is attached to a pole off the footpath. The sign is double sided. The orange rectangles represent the location of the sign.





Existing signage
(comment)

The sign is visible to drivers and pedestrians.

Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

It is in a good condition although there are some minor scratches. The blue rectangle shows the damage on the sign.-



Sign transcription


Te Whanganui o Toi
The great bay of Toi

Site & Sign Ref No.
(Image) Tamaki Drive
Section 1_xx
**Section 2.9 St.
Heliers Bay**

St. Heliers Bay – Main Entrance


There is a large interpretative sign at the main entrance of St. Heliers Bay. It is a double sided sign, which contains different information. It is placed on the ground off the footpath. The pictures of the sign are shown below.



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| Existing signage (comment) | The existing sign is large and visible to both drivers and pedestrians. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | <p>The sign needs a minor repair at the top left corner. The blue rectangle represents the damage on the sign.</p>  |
| Sign transcription | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Transcription of the map The great Polynesian explorer Toi named this bay a thousand years ago before returning to his Pacific homeland. He gave directions for other seafarers to follow. 2. Transcription of the images <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 View from end of St Heliers Wharf looking back towards beach, 1912. (Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum) 2 View along beach from eastern end, 1911. (Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum) 3 People, boats and a sea plane on St Helier’s beach, 1923. (Collection of Auckland War Memorial Museum) <p>St Heliers Bay was part of a block of land purchased by government official Major Thomas Bunbury in 1841. It gained its present name around 1883, and is believed to have been named after the seaport resort of St Helier, on Jersey Island, the largest of the Channel Islands. To east lies Ladies Bay, named after Lady Grey, wife of Sir George Grey.</p> |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.9 St. Heliers Bay | <p>St. Heliers Beach Restoration Project Plaque – St. Heliers Bay</p> <p>There is a plaque that is attached on the stone wall at St. Heliers Bay main entrance. This plaque is about the restoration project in 2006. This plaques is located off the road. The pictures of the plaques are shown below. The orange rectangles represent the location of the sign.</p> |



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| Existing signage (comment) | The plaque itself is the existing sign. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| Sign transcription | This plaque commemorates the official opening of the St Heliers Beach Restoration Project by His Worship the Mayor of Auckland City, Dick Hubbard ONZM <i>and the</i> Eastern Bays Community Board Cr Douglas Armstrong, QSO Cr Toni Millar, JP Colin Davis, JP, Chairman Helen Wallace, Deputy Chair David Robertson Heather Stonyer Late Brian Slater (Past Chairman) Saturday 9 December 2006 |

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| | <p>Cr Douglas Armstrong, QSO Colin Davis, JP, Chairman David Roberton Cr Toni Millar, JP Helen Wallace, Deputy Chair Heather Stonyer Late Brian Slater (Past Chairman)</p> <p>Saturday 9 December 2006</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.9 St. Heliers Bay</p> | <p>St. Heliers Flag Pole</p> <p>There are two plaques and a flag pole at the heart of St Heliers Bay facing towards St Heliers Bay Road. These plaques are placed above the bench on a semi-circular wall in front of the flag pole. The pictures of the plaques are shown below. The orange rectangles represent the location of the sign.</p>  |



Existing signage (comment)

These plaques are the existing signs.

Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

They are in good condition.

Sign transcription

1. Erected by the Tamaki Ex-services Charitable Trust conjointly with the Auckland City Eastern Bays Community Board
Dedicated Armistice Day 11 November 2003
2. Rest and Remember
These memorial seats acknowledge the sacrifices made by the Eastern Bays Community during the wars of the 20th century namely:

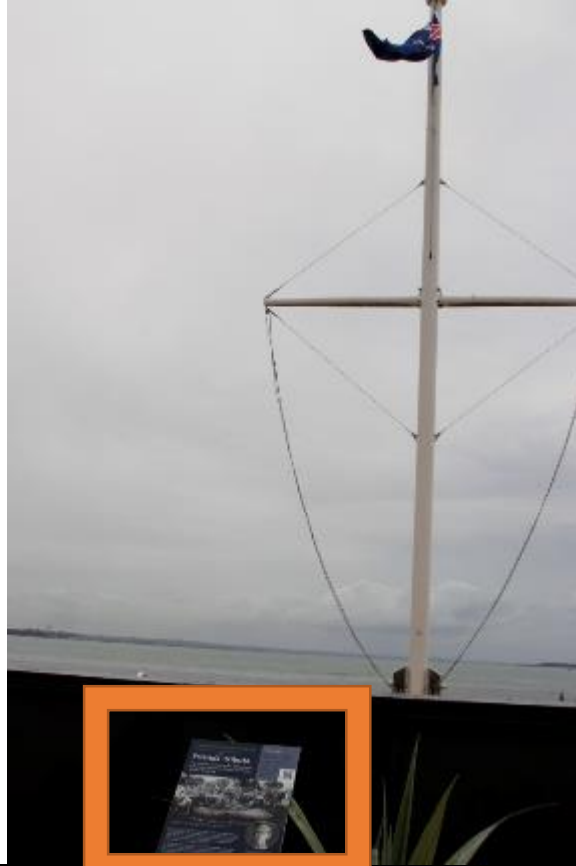
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| South Africa | 1899-1902 |
| World War I | 1914-1918 |
| World War II | 1939-1945 |
| Malayan | 1948-1963 |
| Korea | 1950-1953 |
| Vietnam | 1964-1972 |

All gave some – some gave all
Kia kore tatou e wareware

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**Section 2.9 St.
Heliers Bay**

St. Heliers Memorial Fountain

There is a small heritage trail sign that exist in St. Heliers Bay. It is located in front of the flag pole facing towards St. Heliers Bay Road. It is attached on the ground off the footpath. There is a QR code on the sign. The picture of the sign and the fountain are shown below. The orange rectangles indicate the location of the sign.



Auckland's First World War Heritage Trail

St Heliers Memorial Fountain

Friends' tribute

The memorial fountain on the right was built by friends of a local scout leader who died in the First World War.

Do the Trail!

This site is part of a heritage Trail that commemorates the centenary of the First World War.

A Heritage Trail brochure is available at your local library and Auckland Council Service Centres.

Download STIGBY on iOS or Android and scan the QR code for more information.



Anzac Day - St Heliers

A history lesson gathered under the Memorial Fountain, Anzac Day, 1923.
Photographer unknown, Auckland Council, 28 April 2013.

The fountain was unveiled in December 1916 in memory of Guyon Broadfield, who died of wounds received in action in France in June 1916. His brother Leonard was killed in action at Gallipoli a year earlier. Before the war, Guyon Broadfield was an engineer who volunteered as a Scoutmaster in St Heliers.

Mr Pilkington (chairman of the Taranaki West Road Board) unveiled the memorial. Chief Scoutmaster Raymond Stanton spoke at the occasion and encouraged the youth of the district to emulate Guyon Broadfield's virtues.



Guyon Broadfield, Scoutmaster
Broadfield 1916.
Photograph by Pilkington.
Presented to Auckland Council
by Guyon College.



Find out more: 09 943 9212 or
aucklandcouncil.govt.nz



Existing signage (comment)

The sign is too small to be read.

Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

It is in a good condition. No repair needed.

Sign transcription



Auckland's First World War Heritage Trail

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| | <p>St Heliers Memorial Fountain Friend's tribute The memorial fountain on the right was built by friends of a local scout leader who died in the First World War.</p> <p>Do the Trail! This site is part of a Heritage Trail that commemorates the centenary of the First World War.</p> <p>A Heritage Trail brochure is available in your local library and Auckland Council service centre. Download STQRY on iOS or Android and scan the QR code for more information.</p> <p>St Heliers Scouts gathered beside the Memorial Fountain, Anzac Day 1923. Photographer unknown, Eastern Courier, 24 April 1985 p5.</p> <p>The fountain was unveiled in December 1916 in memory of Guyon Brookfield, who died of wounds received in action in France in June 1916. His brother Leonard was killed in action at Gallipoli a year earlier. Before the war, Guyon Brookfield was an engineer who volunteered as a Scoutmaster in St Heliers.</p> <p>Mr Pilkington (the chairman of the Tamaki West Road Board) unveiled the memorial. Chief Scoutmaster Reverend Stanton spoke at the occasion and encouraged the youth of the district to emulate Guyon Brookfield's virtues.</p> <p>Sergeant Arthur Guyon Purchas Brookfield, 1916. Auckland War Memorial Museum, Cenotaph database, provided by King's College.</p> <p>(Transcription for the memorial fountain)</p> <p>Erected by friends in memory of Scoutmaster Guyon Brookfield who as sergeant in the A. I. Regt. was killed in action 22 June 1916. He lived for the good of our boys and died for a great cause.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.9 St Heliers Bay</p> | <p>St Heliers Bay – Shelter Memorial The shelter memorial in St Heliers is located next to the St Heliers Memorial Fountain. There is a small plaque that is located in the middle of the shelter and another one located at the back of the shelter. The pictures of the shelter and the plaques are shown below. The orange rectangles indicate the location of the plaque. Plaque 1</p> |





Plaque 2



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| Existing signage (comment) | The plaques are pretty small - do not stand out. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | They are in good condition |
| Sign transcription | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This shelter was erected as a memorial the pioneers of the district and to Colonel Thomas Bunbury C.B., first landowner 1842. 2. In memory of Misses Essie and Mabel Wilson, who worked for the benefit of the district, honouring their mother's wish "God has made St Heliers very lovely, let us work to make it still more lovely". Their work was continued by the St Heliers Beautifying Society. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.10 St Heliers Public Library | <p>St Heliers Public Library</p> <p>The sign of St Heliers Public Library is located on St Heliers Bay Road. It is attached on the ground off the footpath. It is placed on the corner of the library and Tamaki Ex Services Memorial Hall. It is an informational sign. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the sign.</p>  |

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| Existing signage (comment) | The sign is large and clear. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition. |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.11 Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall</p> | <p>Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall-side sign, St Heliers</p> <p>The Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall sign is located in between the St Heliers Public Library and the Tamaki Ex Services Memorial Hall. It is double sided. The sign is attached on a pole off the footpath. This sign leads visitors to find the entrance to the Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall. The pictures of the sign are shown below. The orange rectangles highlight the location of the sign.</p>  |
| Existing signage (comment) | It is small, but clear and visible enough to both pedestrians and drivers. |

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| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>It is in a good condition.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.11 Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall</p> | <p>Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall, St Heliers There are two signs in front of the Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall main entrance. The first sign indicates the direction to the main entrance and library. The second sign is the welcome sign. These signs are attached on the wall of the hall. The size of these signs is big. Therefore, it is quite easy to find them. The pictures of the signs are shown below.</p>  |
| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>These signs are big and clear. They are visible to both drivers and pedestrians. They are informational sign.</p> |
| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>They are in good condition.</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.11 Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall</p> | <p>Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall, St Heliers There are three plaques which state the history of the Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall. These plaques are attached on the wall next to the Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall entrance. The pictures of the plaques are shown below. The orange rectangles highlight the location of the plaques.</p>  |

Plaque 1



Plaques 2 & 3




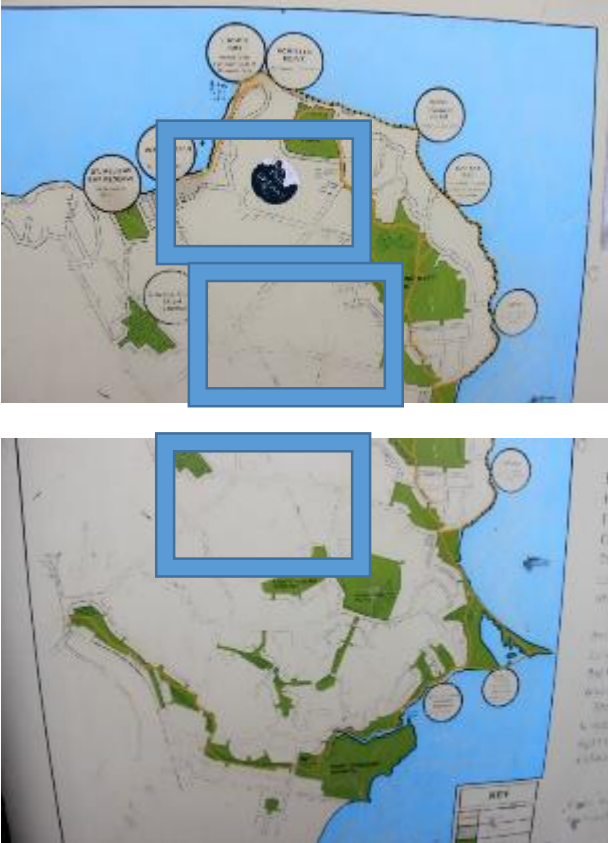
Existing signage (comment)

These plaques are the existing signs.

Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

Do not polish.

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| Sign transcription | <p>1. Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall 1914 In memory of the fallen 1939 1918 1945 This building was opened by his excellency the Governor General Lieutenant General Sir Willoughby Norrie G. C. M. G., C. B., D. S. O., M. C. 5th March 1955 H. T. Rice President T. E. S. A.</p> <p>This foundation stone was laid by his worship the Mayor of Auckland J. H. Luxford ESQ. C. M. G. 4th August 1954 C. Irwin Crookes architect A. G. Grinter & Son builder</p> <p>2. In tribute to the twenty three foundation members November 12th 1931 and all the members who enjoyed comradeship in this hall till the final roll call on September 30th 1995 Tamaki Ex-Service Association (St. Heliers) Inc.</p> <p>3. VE Day The 50th Anniversary of the end of World War II in Europe 1939-1945 In tribute to those who served and in memory of those who gave their lives.</p> |
| Section 2.11 Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall | <p>Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall, St Heliers</p> <p>There is another sign that directs visitors to the Tamaki Ex Service Memorial Hall on Turua Street. This sign is located on the other side of the road (from the Achilles Point direction to the city). It is attached on a pole at the corner of a parking area off the footpath. The orange rectangle highlights the location of the sign.</p>  |
| Existing signage (comment) | The contrast colour of the writing of the sign is not clear enough for drivers. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | The sign needs to be upgrade to be readable. |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx | Section 2.12 point England Walking Trail Sign |

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| <p>Section 2.12 Point England Walking Trail</p> | <p>The Point England Walking Trail is located across the Tamaki Ex Services Memorial Hall between St. Heliers Bay and Cliff Road on the direction to Achilles Point. The sign is attached on a wooden board on the ground off the footpath. This sign contains the information about the trail including the map. The colour of the map is fading. The pictures of the sign are shown below.</p>  |
| <p>Existing signage (comment)</p> | <p>The wooden board is the sign.</p> |
| <p>Enhancements / additions / repairs needed</p> | <p>The sign needs to be re-painted. The blue rectangles indicate the damage on the sign.</p>  |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.12 Point England Walking Trail</p> | <p>Tamaki Drive 10km Walk Cardiac Markers There is a sign of the Tamaki Drive 10km Walk Cardiac Markers located near the Point England Walking Trail. This trail is created by the Rotary International. The sign is attached on a stone on the ground off the footpath. This sign is related to the directional plaques found in Okahu and Mission Bay. The pictures of the signs are shown below.</p> |



Existing signage (comment)

The stone is the sign.

Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

It is in a good condition.

Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx
Section 2.13 Cliff Road, St Heliers Bay

Cliff Road
 This sign is located on Cliff Road. This is a directional sign. This sign provides direction to Ladies Bay and Achilles Point. It is attached on a pole on the playground. It is off the footpath. The sign is double sided with different information on each side. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the sign.



Existing signage
(comment)

It is a directional sign.

Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

There is a minor damage on the sign. The blue rectangles below indicate the damage on the sign.



Site & Sign Ref No.
 (Image) Tamaki Drive
 Section 1_xx
**Section 2.13 Cliff
 Road**

Cliff Road

There are multiple enforcement signs along the way to Achilles Point. They provide information about plant preservation. The pictures are shown below.



Existing signage
 (comment)

These prints are the signs.

Enhancements /
 additions / repairs
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Some of the signs need to be replaced. The blue rectangle below shows the damage on the sign.



Section 2.14 Glover Park

Glover Park

Glover Park is located on the right side of the road along Cliff Road. There is a directional sign that leads visitors to the park. This sign is double sided with the same information on each side. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle shows the location of the sign.



Existing signage (comment)

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Enhancements / additions / repairs needed

It is in a good condition.

Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx
Section 2.15 Ladies Bay

Ladies Bay

There is an informational sign at Ladies Bay that informs people about the estimated time to reach the beach. This is located on the left side of the road. The sign is double sided with the same information on each side. The pictures are shown below. The orange rectangle indicates the location of the sign.

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| Existing signage (comment) | They are visible to visitors. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | <p>There is a minor damage on the sign. The blue rectangles below indicate the damage on the sign.</p>  |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.16 Achilles Point | <p>Achilles Point</p> <p>Achilles point is going to be the end of the walking trail. It is located at the end of Cliff Road, which is at the top of St Heliers. This is a lookout point There are three plaques at the site. The pictures of the plaques are shown below. The orange rectangles highlight the location of the signs.</p> |



Plaque 1



Plaque 2





Existing signage
(comment)

Yes, there are plaques.

Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

There is no directional sign. A new sign needed.

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| <p>Sign transcription</p> | <p>1. Achilles Point This reserve is dedicated to commemorate the gallant performance of H. M. S. Achilles and the bravery of her captain officers and ships company in the victorious naval battle fought in the South Atlantic off the River Plate on December 13th. 1939.</p> <p>This plaque was laid to commemorate the four naval ratings from HMS Achilles who gave their lives during the battle of the River Plate 13 December 1939</p> <p>Ian W. Grant NZ 1734 Ordinary Seaman Neville J. Milburn D/SSX 23288 Ordinary Telegraphist Archie C. H. Shaw NZ 1030 Able Seaman Frank Stennett D/JX 148899 Telegraphist</p> <p>Lest We Forget</p> <p>2. New Zealand Warship <i>Achilles</i> After which this memorial is named</p> |
| <p>Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.16 Achilles Point</p> | <p>Achilles Point There is a plaque attached on the stone wall underneath the historical plaques of Achilles Point which states about the refurbishment project of the park. The pictures of the plaque are shown below. The orange rectangle represents the location of the sign.</p>  |

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| Existing signage (comment) | Existing bronze plaques. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | This plaque is in a good condition. |
| Sign transcription | <p>Te Pane o Horoiwi Achilles Point Reopened after refurbishment by Honourable John Banks QSO, Mayor of Auckland City On Sunday 13th December 2009</p> |
| Section 2.16 Achilles Point | <p>Achilles Point There are three Maori carvings at Achilles Point. There is no sign that contains the information about the carvings. However, there is a plaque that is written in both Maori and English, which explains the history behind the carvings. The photos of these carvings are shown below. The orange rectangle shows the location of the plaque.</p> |



Existing signage
(comment)



The plaque is the sign.

Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

The plaque is in a good condition.

Sign transcription

Te Pane o Horoiwi – Achilles Point
The carved Powhenua represent the following ancestors who arrived over 600 years ago on the Tainui Waka.
Hoturoa – Commander of the Tainui Waka.
Taikehu – Paramount chief and a key ancestor for the Ngai Tai people.

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| | Horoiwi – Chief who settled at Tamaki head naming this point Te Pane o Horoiwi. |
| Section 2.16 Achilles Point | <p>Achilles Point</p> <p>There is a memorial plaque on the seating area at Achilles Point. It is located in the middle of the entrance area. The pictures of the plaque are shown below. The orange rectangle highlights the location of the plaque.</p>   |
| Existing signage (comment) | The plaque is the sign. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | Do not polish |
| Sign transcription | This seat was presented to the citizens of Auckland by private J. E. (TED) Scherer in memory of his friend SGT. Pilot Douglas O. Stanley of Matamata who lost his life in England October 26 1940 |
| Site & Sign Ref No. (Image) Tamaki Drive Section 1_xx Section 2.16 Achilles Point | <p>Achilles Point</p> <p>There is a memorial plaque on the seating area at Achilles Point. It is located on the side seating area from the entrance. The pictures of the plaque are shown below. The orange rectangle highlights the location of the plaque.</p> |



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| Existing signage (comment) | The plaque is the sign. |
| Enhancements / additions / repairs needed | It is in a good condition |
| Sign transcription | This seat was presented to the citizens of Auckland by A. H. Scherer ESO. In fulfilment of the wish of his son private J. E. (TED) Scherer killed in action in Italy April 10 1945. |
| Section 2.16 Achilles Point | Achilles Point Visitors can walk further to the right of the Achilles Point. There is another lookout point, which looks like a driveway. However, the sign that exists there is quite small and not in a good condition to be noticed. The pictures of the sign are shown below. The orange rectangles highlight the location of the sign. |



Existing signage
(comment)

There is a small sign that exists. This sign is too small to be noticed by visitors.

Enhancements /
additions / repairs
needed

This sign needs to be replaced with a new larger sign. The blue rectangle shows the damage on the sign.

