

CE – Coastal Environment

Policies	
CE-PX	Prohibit the use of vehicles on beaches and adjacent public land within mapped vehicle exclusions zones where significant values are at risk from harm by vehicle use, except where access is necessary for a range of specified uses.

CE-RX	Use of vehicles in a (the) mapped vehicle exclusion zone (at Puwheke Beach)	
Coastal environment	Activity status: Permitted Where: PER-1 Access is to property where the only access is via the vehicle exclusion zone; or PER-2 Access is required for the launching or retrieving of vessels at the closest practicable point along the foreshore from the access; or PER-3 Use is required for the use, maintenance repair or removal of an authorised structure (including hard protection structures, aids to navigation and infrastructure structures; or PER-4 Access is required for conservation and reserve management activities undertaken by, or formally on behalf of, the Department of Conservation or local authority in accordance with its statutory functions; or PER-5 Access is required for environmental monitoring or data collection undertaken by consent holders, the Regional Council, district councils, universities and research institutes, or their authorised agents; or PER-6 Access is required for kaitiakitanga monitoring in accordance with mātauranga Māori; or PER-7 Access is required to customary marine title group where the only access is via the vehicle exclusion zone; or PER-8 Access is required for attending to a rescue of stranded marine mammals; or PER-9 Access is required for burial of dead animals or marine mammals (including customary processing of carcasses before burial) by the Department of Conservation, tangata whenua, local authorities or their delegated agents; or	Activity status where compliance not achieved for PER-1 to PER-16: Prohibited

	PER-10 Access is required for clearance of pipe outlets, artificial watercourses and tidal stream mouths; or PER-11 Access is required for removal or recovery of wrecked vessels; or PER-12 Access is required dune and coastal restoration, enhancement and maintenance projects undertaken by a registered coast care group or group authorised by Far North District Council; or PER-13 Access is required for people with mobility disabilities (while displaying a mobility card) to the closest practicable point along the foreshore from the vehicle access; or PER-14 Access is required for surf lifesaving operations and law enforcement operations; or PER-15 Access is required for coastal works authorised under the Northland Regional Plan. <i>Notes:</i> 1. The “closest practicable point” referred to in PER-2 shall be no further than 200m from any access point on Puwheke Beach. 2. For the purpose of this rule, vehicle means any form of powered transportation (including cars and motorcycles), and includes amphibious vehicles.	
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