



Specific Conditions for "Forest-Use" Permits

In Hancock/Hira/Waimea Forests

PUBLIC: **Walking/Tramping/Running/Mountain Biking/
Orienteering**

Authorised activities by Permittee

Forest Locations : All Year

- a) Moutere Forest (including Stanley Brook, Eatwell, Waiwhero)
- b) Lee & Aniseed Valley, Richmond Hills (**excludes Waterfall Creek Block and Lucy Creek Block - south of Long Gully Road**)
- c) Waimea Forest
- d) Hira Forest
- e) Public Easement Roads (daylight only or as posted)

Conditions of entry:

- Daylight hours only after 5.00pm Monday to Friday, except public easement roads which are open as posted at entry points .
- Daylight hours only on Weekends and Public holidays as posted at entry points.

Specific Conditions

- Vehicle access NOT PERMITTED unless specifically requested
- Notification of warning
Harvesting and log cartage operations are now being carried out 6 days a week (including Saturday), 24 hours a day.
- Some areas restricted due to harvesting activity
- Beware of cyanide/1080 poison operations
- Respect neighbours' boundaries - obtain permission from the owner or occupier before crossing private land.
- Grazing permits exist on Company land. DO NOT DISTURB STOCK.

Forest locations are identified on attached map

Terms and Conditions of Forest Entry

Hancock Forest Management Ltd authorises you to enter the forest(s) specified above during the time period specified above, subject to the terms and conditions above and set out below.

Key Issue	In the event a key is issued and lost a key penalty of \$300 is payable
Fires:	Fires are not permitted except where express permission is given. Please confine smoking to the interior of vehicles.
Trees:	You must not cut, fell intentionally damage or remove any trees, shrubs or other forest produce unless expressly permitted above.
Birds	Hunting, capturing or killing birds is prohibited except for game birds in season and expressly permitted above.
Camping	Camping is prohibited unless expressly permitted above.
Dogs	Lost dogs should be reported immediately to Hancock Forest Management personnel. Dogs that are worrying stock may be shot (see also "Poisons" below).
Firearms	Firearms are not permitted in the forest other than for authorised hunting or authorised simulated combat games. Firearms licence details to be provided to Hancock Forest Management personnel.
Hunting	Hunting is prohibited unless expressly above.
Vehicles	Vehicles are prohibited unless expressly permitted above and may only be used in authorised areas. Observe normal road rules and apply them with greater caution to allow for forest road conditions and the unexpected presence of other road users. Keep headlights switched on when using forest roads. Please ensure that your vehicle does not block or hinder access to any forest roads.
Poisons	Poisons and traps are used in the forest. Do not touch any baits, lures, carcasses or traps. Dogs are particularly susceptible to poison. Hancock Forest Management accepts no responsibility for the effects of any poisons.
Firewood	The cutting of firewood is prohibited unless expressly permitted above for private use only. Safety equipment and protective clothing must be utilised:- safety helmet and / or chain brake; chainsaw safety mitt; safety leather footwear; chainsaw leg protection; hearing and eye protection
Property Damage	You are responsible for and agree to indemnify Hancock Forest Management for any damage to property of Hancock Forest Management or any other person, caused by you which occurs while you are in the forest.
Permits	This permit is not transferable and may be revoked at any time by notice given by or on behalf of Hancock Forest Management, either verbally or by public notice or by advertisement. This permit must be carried at all times and be produced on demand whilst the holder is within the forest. You must comply with all reasonable directions issued by Hancock Forest Management personnel.
Hazards	The forest can be a hazardous place. Hazards may exist and Hancock Forest Management will take all practical steps to identify and minimise risk. Hancock Forest Management encourage the public to report any hazard, or activity which may result in damage to the forest environment, to the Forest HQ.
Risk	You acknowledge and agree that you enter the forest entirely at your own risk and that Hancock Forest Management Ltd or its officers or employees shall not be liable for any loss, injury or damage suffered by you, whether or not that loss, injury or damage arises as a direct or indirect consequence of any action of inaction of Hancock Forest Management or its officers, employees, agents or sub-contractors.