

# FREEDOM CAMPING IN KAWERAU

Nau Mai Haere Mai, welcome to the Kawerau District. We hope you have an amazing visit and make some great memories in our little piece of paradise.



For more information regarding the rules, please scan the QR code or review any of the council signage at the campsite.

**Power Site Fees** must be paid at the Kawerau isite (Visitor Information Centre) at 1 Plunket Street.



## FREEDOM CAMPING LOCATIONS

### 1 Prideaux Park

Plunket Street

Located near the Ruruanga stream, local trails as well as the town centre.

Access to power, dump station and potable water tap.

Freedom Camping is also available from 4pm – 9am on the Maurie Kjar Aquatic Centre Car Park in the designated locations.

### 2 Firmin Field Carpark

Waterhouse Street

Located near Tarawera river, local trails and bike tracks.

Access to power, dump station and potable water tap.

**(Firmin Lodge group accommodation can be booked separately at [www.firminlodge.co.nz](http://www.firminlodge.co.nz))**

## FREEDOM CAMPING AMBASSADORS

During your stay our community champions (Ambassadors) may stop by and provide a friendly face and help you with any information relevant to Freedom Camping in Kawerau.

We ask you to be respectful and kind when approached by our ambassadors.



Both freedom camping locations have small rubbish bins available for members of the public.

Kawerau Transfer Station, located at **294 River Road**, is open **Monday to Sunday 12pm – 4pm (closed Christmas Day)** for you to dispose of any excessive rubbish. Fees Apply.

Public Toilets are available at Firmin Field Carpark 24/7 and in the center of town next to New World Kawerau from **7am – 7pm**.



Both Freedom Camping locations have a free dump station. These are for human waste and toilet paper ONLY.

It is important to ensure you stay within the guidelines for your stay; these are:

- No person may freedom camp for more than 7 nights in any one calendar month.
- No person may freedom camp for more than 7 consecutive nights when crossing over two months.

**Power is available at both Freedom Camping locations for a fee.**

To access power, please visit the Kawerau isite (Visitor Information Centre). A bond is required to receive a power box key, and you'll be charged based on the number of nights you stay. If you decide to extend your stay, any extra nights will be added to your total when you return the key.

Please show respect and kindness to the isite team - they're here to support you.

Camping is a great way to enjoy some of the best parts of New Zealand.

Here's how to do it with care.

### Stay at our freedom camping sites

For the best experience, stay at one of our great campsites surrounded by amazing trails and natural beauty.

### Use public toilets or the toilets in your motorhome

Please respect our home and other travellers by using the proper facilities.

### Leave no trace or litter

It's important to look after our country for future generations by leaving nothing behind wherever you go. Please put your rubbish in the designated bins.



Rules about where and how to camp are different throughout New Zealand. To make sure you are doing it right visit [camping.org.nz](http://camping.org.nz) or visit your local isite Visitor Information Centre for more information.



## TIAKI PROMISE

WHILE TRAVELLING IN NEW ZEALAND I WILL

CARE FOR LAND, SEA AND NATURE, TREADING LIGHTLY AND LEAVING NO TRACE

TRAVEL SAFELY, SHOWING CARE AND CONSIDERATION FOR ALL

RESPECT CULTURE, TRAVELLING WITH AN OPEN HEART AND MIND

HOW TO CARE FOR NEW ZEALAND



BE PREPARED



DRIVE CAREFULLY



KEEP NZ CLEAN



PROTECT NATURE



SHOW RESPECT

# Responsible Camping in Kawerau

If you're planning on camping, here's how to do it responsibly for the best experience.

