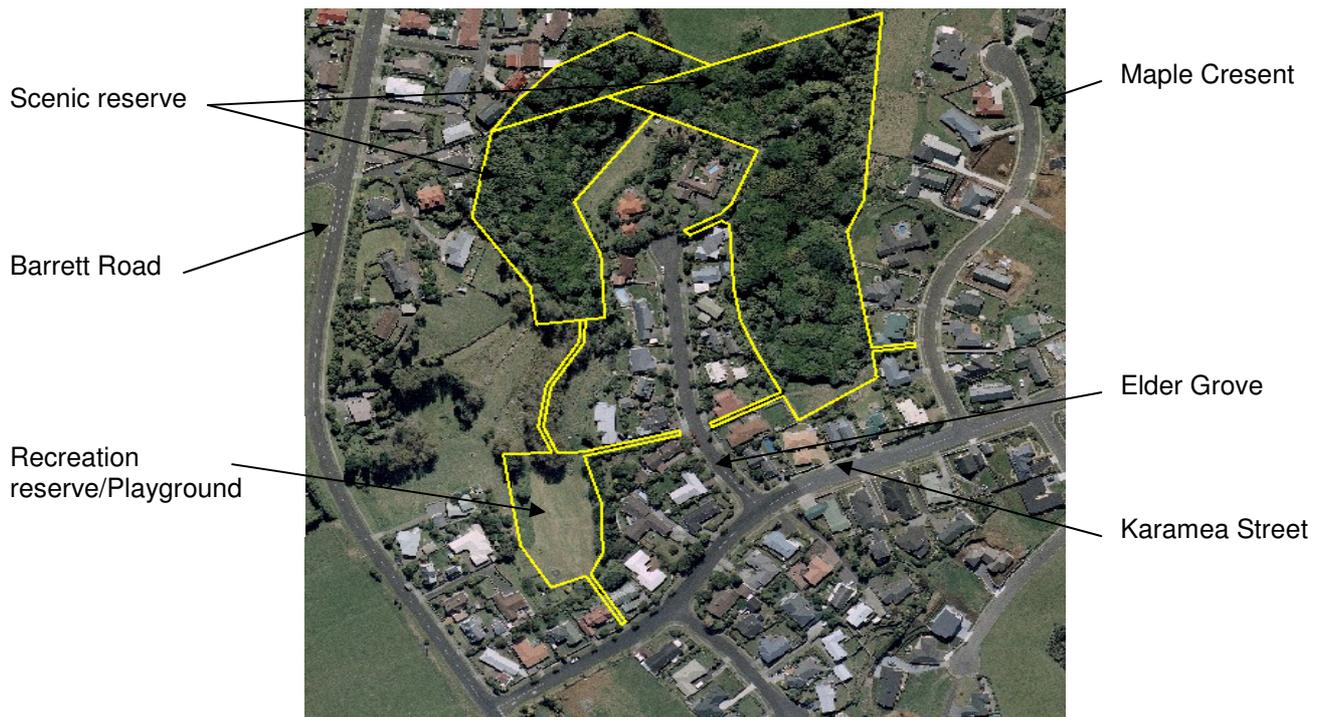


## 6.10 Karamea Street Reserve

### Description

Location:	Karamea Street
Legal description:	Lots 316, 317, 318 DP13826, Lot 12 DP 17834 and Lot 18 DP 14680
Size:	3.77 ha
Reserve status:	Reserve



### Physical description

The recreation portion of this reserve is set back from the Karamea St and is a sloping gully. Entrances into the playground exist from Karamea St and Elder Grove. Access to play equipment is hindered by boggy conditions during the winter months.

The scenic reserve is a large native bush remnant. An entrance into the southern end of the bush remnant from Elder Grove provides a link through to Maple Crescent. There are currently no formed tracks through the bush remnant.

### Tangata whenua interests

This reserve is within the tribal rohe of Te Atiawa Iwi. The area is of historic and cultural significance to Ngati Te Whiti.

### Land status and history

In 1983 the land comprising lots 317 and 318 DP 13826 was vested in the Taranaki County Council pursuant on subdivision as recreation reserve subject to the Reserves Act 1977. Lot 316 DP 13826 was also vested at this time as Scenic Reserve.

Lot 12 DP 17834 and Lot 18 DP 14680 which make up the remainder of the scenic reserve component of this reserve were vested as reserves in the council in 1993 upon subdivision.

### **Existing Improvements**

Play equipment is the main improvement within this reserve. A park seat also exists.

### **Uses and activities**

This area is suitable for child's play, walking, and picnics and is large enough for casual recreational activities.

### **Classification**

Recreation - Lots 317 and 318 DP13826, Scenic (B) reserve- Lot 316 DP 1382, Lot 12 DP 17834 and Lot 18 14680

### **Management objectives and specific policies**

- The recreation proportion of this reserve will be maintained and developed as an open space area suitable for child's play and casual recreation.
- Entrances to the reserve will be maintained and promoted.
- The bush remnant will be maintained and managed to protect ecological values.
- Long term a pedestrian walkway is considered appropriate through the bush remnant and could potentially connect with future reserves to the north, linking through to Poplar Grove.

### Visual Resource Key

**Landscape/Spatial Features**

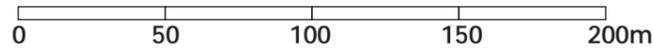
- Land Parcel
- Mown Open Space
- Entry Points

**Vegetation**

- Existing Trees/Vegetation
- Proposed Trees/Vegetation

**Structures**

- Pedestrian Entry Sign
- Proposed Seat
- Proposed Play Equipment
- Existing Concrete Pathway
- Proposed Concrete Pathway
- Proposed Pathway
- Existing Pathway



### Landscape Context Key

**Landscape Features**

- Stream

**Spatial Features**

- Reserve Land
- Surrounding Open Space/Reserves/Sports Fields

