

# Canterbury Recommended Locations Recreational (Private Use) Drone Use – Short Term



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## What are recommended locations?

Department of Conservation (DOC) has identified locations where we recommend you apply to use your drone for recreational purposes. This form lists the locations recommended in the Canterbury area. Additional conditions for your drone use at these locations, such as excluded sites, are also listed.

Additional forms listing recommended locations for different regions are available on the [Recreational drone use](#)<sup>1</sup> page on the DOC website.

## How do I complete this form?

To fly your drone in a recommended location either tick the top box for 'all locations listed in this Canterbury Recommended Locations form' or tick boxes for specific public conservation land areas in the Canterbury area.

## How do I submit this form?

This location form needs to be submitted as an attachment with your Application for [Recreational \(Private Use\) Drone Use-Short Term form](#).<sup>2</sup>

You will be charged a processing fee for each [DOC Operation Region](#)<sup>3</sup> you apply to use your recreational drone on. Locations listed on this form are in the Eastern South Island DOC region. Processing fees are listed on the [Recreational drone use](#)<sup>4</sup> page of the DOC webpage.

DOC WebID	Recommended Locations (tick box)	Additional conditions
	<input type="checkbox"/> All locations listed in this location schedule	As applicable to each public conservation land area listed below
ESI57	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Mountain Conservation Area	No additional conditions apply
ESI59	<input type="checkbox"/> Chetwyn Conservation Area	No additional conditions apply
ESI63	<input type="checkbox"/> Four Peaks Conservation Area	No additional conditions apply
ESI64	<input type="checkbox"/> German Creek Marginal Strip	No additional conditions apply
ESI65	<input type="checkbox"/> Hakatere Conservation Park	No additional conditions apply

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.doc.govt.nz/get-involved/apply-for-permits/recreational-drone-use/>

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<sup>3</sup> <http://maps.doc.govt.nz/mapviewer/index.html?viewer=docmaps>

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ESI79	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Peel/Waikari Hills Conservation Area	No additional conditions apply
ESI80	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Potts Conservation Area	Excluding the top of Mt Sunday (this is private land)
ESI83	<input type="checkbox"/> Mt Hutt Conservation Area	Excluding Mt Hutt ski field
ESI84	<input type="checkbox"/> Te Kahui Kapeka Conservation Park (Mt Dobson Conservation Area)	Excluding Mt Dobson ski field
ESI84	<input type="checkbox"/> Te Kahui Kapeka Conservation Park - South Opuha Hut – remote access	No additional conditions apply
ESI86	<input type="checkbox"/> Te Kahui Kapeka Conservation Park – (North Opuha Conservation Area) – Via North Opuha Track	No additional conditions apply
ESI90	<input type="checkbox"/> Rangitata/Rakaia Headwaters Conservation Area	No additional conditions apply
ESI96	<input type="checkbox"/> Tenahaun Conservation Area	No additional conditions apply