

Crown Pastoral Land Tenure Review

Lease name : SHINGLEY CREEK

Lease number : PO 043

Conservation Resources Report - Part 6

As part of the process of Tenure Review, advice on significant inherent values within the pastoral lease is provided by Department of Conservation officials in the form of a Conservation Resources Report. This report is the result of outdoor survey and inspection. It is a key piece of information for the development of a preliminary consultation document.

Note: Plans which form part of the Conservation Resources Report are published separately.

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Fig. 1 Shingley Creek consists of a pastoral lease of about 800 ha, and a corresponding freehold area which stretches down to the homestead which can be seen in the centre of this picture. There has been quite extensive pasture improvement and much of the land appears to be capable of being managed in a way that is ecologically sustainable.



Fig. 2 This view is looking down into the Siberia Creek catchment from above the north-eastern boundary. The track in the middle distance marks this boundary and also provides an alternative route to the Kakanui Mountains and the Hectors Plateau. Because of the recreational interest in these areas access across Shingley Creek land is the most critical issue in this tenure review.



Fig. 3 The areas of greatest recreational interest lie beyond the boundaries of Shingley Creek pastoral lease. Access to areas such as the Hectors Plateau and the volcanic peaks like Kattothrust, far left in this view, is critical. The road which stretches into the distance starts on Shingley Creek and crosses the Kakanuis to the Kakanui River Valley. It follows a legal road but the actual formation should be recognised as the legal road.



Fig. 4 It is important to be able to gain public access to Obi (Trig B) because from Obi there are recreational routes to Kakanui Peak and the Kakanui Mountains, as well as to the Hectors Plateau. This view shows the zig zag track to the summit of Obi. If this does not coincide precisely with the alignment of the legal road, the formation on the ground should be recognised as the legal road during tenure review.