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Wellington Harbour

Woodridge (southeast side)

- Skyline seen generally in distant views from across the harbour
- Visually associated with the Wellington fault escarpment below

Totara Ridge (east side)

- Distinctive pastoral summit and skyline above urban development seen mainly from within the upper Porirua Stream valley
- Forest cover of Johnsonville Park on the flanks is a green backdrop to the Johnsonville basin
- Landmarks: Totara Trig knob

Totara Ridge (west side)

- Rural landscape context
- Landmarks: Totara Trig knob
- Open pastoral character with substantial area of regenerating native vegetation in Johnsonville Park

Te Wharangi Ridge (northwest side)

- Prominent skyline landform in rural landscape
- Landmarks: British Peak and Mt Kaukau
- Open pastoral character tending to regenerating vegetation cover near British Peak

Omega Trig Spur

- Skyline and spur visually associated with the Wellington fault escarpment in views across Wellington Harbour
- Landmark: Brandon's Rock

Upper Ngauranga

- Distinctive, flat-topped hill
- Landmark in views across Wellington Harbour
- Hilltop visually accentuated by pasture above vegetated steep flanks

Te Wharangi Ridge (southeast side)

- Prominent skylines and green backdrop seen from central city and western suburbs
- Landmarks: The Crows Nest and Mt Kaukau
- Consistent pattern of pasture-covered summit land above forested or revegetating flanks

Ngaio Reservoir

- Local landmark within surrounding suburbs
- Vegetated green character

Tinakori Hill

- Landmark skyline seen from central city and western suburbs
- Vegetated green backdrop to central city

Te Wharangi Ridge (southeast side)

- Prominent skylines and green backdrop seen from central city and western suburbs
- Landmarks: Johnston Hill and Makara Peak
- Consistent pattern of pasture-covered summit land above forested or revegetating flanks

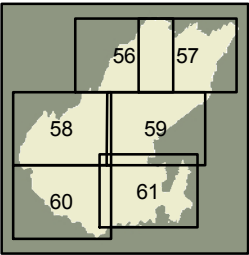
Mt Crawford

- Landmark headland in Wellington Harbour
- Vegetation cover on summit and escarpment below the ridgetop contributes to undeveloped landmark character

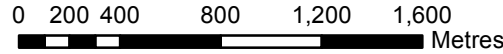
Point Halswell

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Oriental Bay



The main visual values for each ridgeline or hilltop are summarised on these maps. For more information, including the natural, heritage and recreation values, see Wellington's Ridgetops and Hilltops, the Natural and Amenity Values, 2001



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