The Northern Pegasus Bay Bylaw 2016 is in place to ensure wildlife and the natural environment are not harmed and so that everyone can enjoy the district’s beaches. The new bylaw became operative on Monday 15 August 2016 and aims to:

- Manage recreation use for the benefit and enjoyment of all users
- Minimise any negative environmental impact from beach activity
- Promote public health and safety
- Minimise nuisance and offensive behaviour

Thank you for observing the bylaw rules to help protect our environment and to ensure the enjoyment of all beach users.

For more information –

waimakariri.govt.nz/beaches

Key rules

- Do give way and show consideration to people on foot at all times
- Do stay on the designated horse trails and beach area as shown on the map overleaf
- When on the beach stay below the last high tide mark unless you have to move to avoid an unsafe situation
- If you use the horse float carpark take your horse poos home with you
- Do not ride in the Ashley/Rakahuri Estuary area
- Do not ride through a flagged surf life saving area. These operate from approximately 9.30am at Woodend and Pegasus Beaches from mid-December to mid-January.

Copies of the Bylaw are available at the Council’s service centres and online at waimakariri.govt.nz