

ACCESSIBILITY REPORT

Kapiti Coast District Council

<https://www.kapiticoast.govt.nz/>
Scan completed Jun 26, 2026 — 101 pages scanned

Executive Summary

This is the baseline. Run regular scans to track progress over time.

86

Needs Improvement

Accessibility Score

170

Issues Found

4369

Audits Passed

101

Pages Scanned

* 92 audits require manual review and are not included in the stats in this report.

Issues Found 17 audits failed — 170 occurrences across all pages

AUDIT	IMPACT	PAGES AFFECTED
Form elements must have labels	Critical	7 pages
Certain ARIA roles must be contained by particular parents	Critical	5 pages
Select element must have an accessible name	Critical	1 page
Elements must meet minimum color contrast ratio thresholds	Serious	17 pages
Links must have discernible text	Serious	11 pages
Interactive elements must have a visible focus indicator	Serious	6 pages
<html> element must have a lang attribute	Serious	1 page
<svg> elements with an img role must have alternative text	Serious	1 page
Scrollable region must have keyboard access	Serious	1 page

Frames must have an accessible name	Serious	1 page
Heading levels should only increase by one	Moderate	75 pages
Landmarks should have a unique role or role/label/title (i.e. accessible name) combination	Moderate	22 pages
The skip-link target should exist and be focusable	Moderate	11 pages
All page content should be contained by landmarks	Moderate	6 pages
Page should contain a level-one heading	Moderate	3 pages
Alternative text of images should not be repeated as text	Minor	1 page
Table header text should not be empty	Minor	1 page

Passed Audits 65 audits passed — 4369 passes across all pages

✓ [role="img"] elements must have alternative text
✓ <html> element must have a lang attribute
✓ <html> element must have a valid value for the lang attribute
✓ elements must be contained in a or
✓ <svg> elements with an img role must have alternative text
✓ and must only directly contain , <script> or <template> elements
✓ All page content should be contained by landmarks
✓ Alternative text of images should not be repeated as text
✓ ARIA attributes must be used as specified for the element's role
✓ ARIA attributes must conform to valid names

 ARIA attributes must conform to valid values
 ARIA commands must have an accessible name
 ARIA hidden element must not be focusable or contain focusable elements
 ARIA progressbar nodes must have an accessible name
 ARIA role should be appropriate for the element
 ARIA roles used must conform to valid values
 ARIA treeitem nodes should have an accessible name
 aria-hidden="true" must not be present on the document body
 autocomplete attribute must be used correctly
 Banner landmark should not be contained in another landmark
 Buttons must have discernible text
 Certain ARIA roles must be contained by particular parents
 Certain ARIA roles must contain particular children
 Contentinfo landmark should not be contained in another landmark
 Deprecated ARIA roles must not be used
 Document should have one main landmark
 Document should not have more than one banner landmark
 Document should not have more than one contentinfo landmark
 Document should not have more than one main landmark
 Documents must have <title> element to aid in navigation

	Elements marked as presentational should be consistently ignored
	Elements must meet minimum color contrast ratio thresholds
	Elements must only use permitted ARIA attributes
	Elements must only use supported ARIA attributes
	Elements should not have tabindex greater than zero
	Form elements must have labels
	Form elements should have a visible label
	Form field must not have multiple label elements
	Frames must have a unique title attribute
	Frames must have an accessible name
	Heading levels should only increase by one
	Headings should not be empty
	IDs used in ARIA and labels must be unique
	Images must have alternative text
	Inline text spacing must be adjustable with custom stylesheets
	Input buttons must have discernible text
	Interactive controls must not be nested
	Interactive elements must have a visible focus indicator
	Landmarks should have a unique role or role/label/title (i.e. accessible name) combination
	lang attribute must have a valid value

✓	Links must be distinguishable without relying on color
✓	Links must have discernible text
✓	Main landmark should not be contained in another landmark
✓	Page must have means to bypass repeated blocks
✓	Page should contain a level-one heading
✓	Required ARIA attributes must be provided
✓	scope attribute should be used correctly
✓	Select element must have an accessible name
✓	Table cell headers attributes must refer to other <th> elements in the same table
✓	Table header text should not be empty
✓	Table headers in a data table must refer to data cells
✓	Tables should not have the same summary and caption
✓	The skip-link target should exist and be focusable
✓	Users should be able to zoom and scale the text up to 500%
✓	Zooming and scaling must not be disabled

ABOUT THIS REPORT

This scan evaluated 4539 accessibility audits across all pages, based on WCAG 2.1 and 2.2 success criteria. Some audits were not applicable to the site and are excluded from the results. Automated scans do not cover all WCAG guidelines — for a complete assessment, supplement this report with manual testing.

About this free report

A11y Pulse produced this report for our Industry Benchmark series. Want to track your site's accessibility continuously? Every plan starts with a month free, no credit card needed. Questions? Give us a shout at info@a11ypulse.com.

[Read the full benchmark](#) • [Start your free month](#)

