Starting from the Carpark (Eastridge Shopping Centre, off Kepa Road):
1. Exit from the carpark, turn right > along Kepa Road.
2. Enter Kepa Bush Reserve, head down to the left < to the sign “Frank Smith Walkway’
3. Keep going straight ahead to Colenso Place
4. Continue straight ahead up the steps
5. Detour to the lookout on the left <
6. After the lookout, turn left < to Colenso Place
7. At the top of the hill, turn right > and follow the sign to Kepa Road
8. Take next left < to return to Kepa Road (185 metres)
Cafés: Eastridge Shopping mall

Public toilets: Eastdrige Shopping mall

Children’s playgrounds: None

Dogs: On leash only

Tables in reserve area

Nearby Attractions: Eastridge Shopping Centre, Mission Bay, St Heliers

Nearby walks: St Johns Bush, Orakei Basin

Kepa Bush Reserve lies on the eastern slopes of the valley containing the Purewa Creek, which flows past Orakei Basin and then to Hobson Bay. The reserve covers 14 hectares and was established in 1962 when the Auckland City Council purchased it from St John's College.