## Historic Heritage Inventory



### Waihi Memorial Hall Site



Location: Seddon Street, Waihi

#### **Heritage Status**

**Historic Places Trust Registration Number:** 

**Historic Places Trust Category:** 

HDC Heritage Category: C - Heritage Item. Local or Neighbourhood

Significance

Other:

**Physical Description:** Memorial Hall with attached plaques, wooden honours board and bronze statues outside.

Other known names:

Notable features:

Style:

Materials:

**Date of Construction: 1956** 

**History:** The hall is sited on miners' union property gifted to the town. In 1912 a riot broke out on the site, which resulted in a policeman being shot and Frederick Evans being beaten to death with a truncheon. The aftermath of this event resulted in the expulsion of numerous miners and their families from town.

District Plan Schedule

Number: HAU095
Heritage Category: C

### **Heritage Type:**

- Wahi Tapu
- Cultural Landscape
- Building
- Group of Buildings
- Structure
- Monument
- Historic Place
- Archaeological Site
- Other

Date Period: 1910-1940

## Significance:

- Archaeological
- Architectural
- Cultural
- Historic
- □ Scientific
- Technological

### **Thematic Context**

- Maori
- Early Settlement
- Industry
- Extraction
- Forestry
- Agriculture
- □ Transport
- Communication
- Commerce
- Residential
- Social/Cultural
- Civic
- Health
- Educational
- Church/yard
- Other

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### Waihi Memorial Hall Site

Architect: Designer: Builder: Engineer:

History of changes:

Condition: good

Integrity: substantially intact

Current Uses: Public Hall and Memorial

**Former Uses:** 

Registered owner: Hauraki District Council

Legal Description: Pt Sec 9 Town of Waihi

Reference Source: Roycroft; M Carmine

### **Associated Pictures:**





District Plan Schedule

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