

2 Safety improvements on State Highway 2

Plans are being developed to improve safety on State Highway 2 between Pokeno to Mangatarata and we want to hear your views.

The NZ Transport Agency is investigating implementing a Safe System Corridor Project, beginning with Eastern and Western sections of the route (see map overleaf). Come along to the information day this month to hear options, ask questions and give your views.

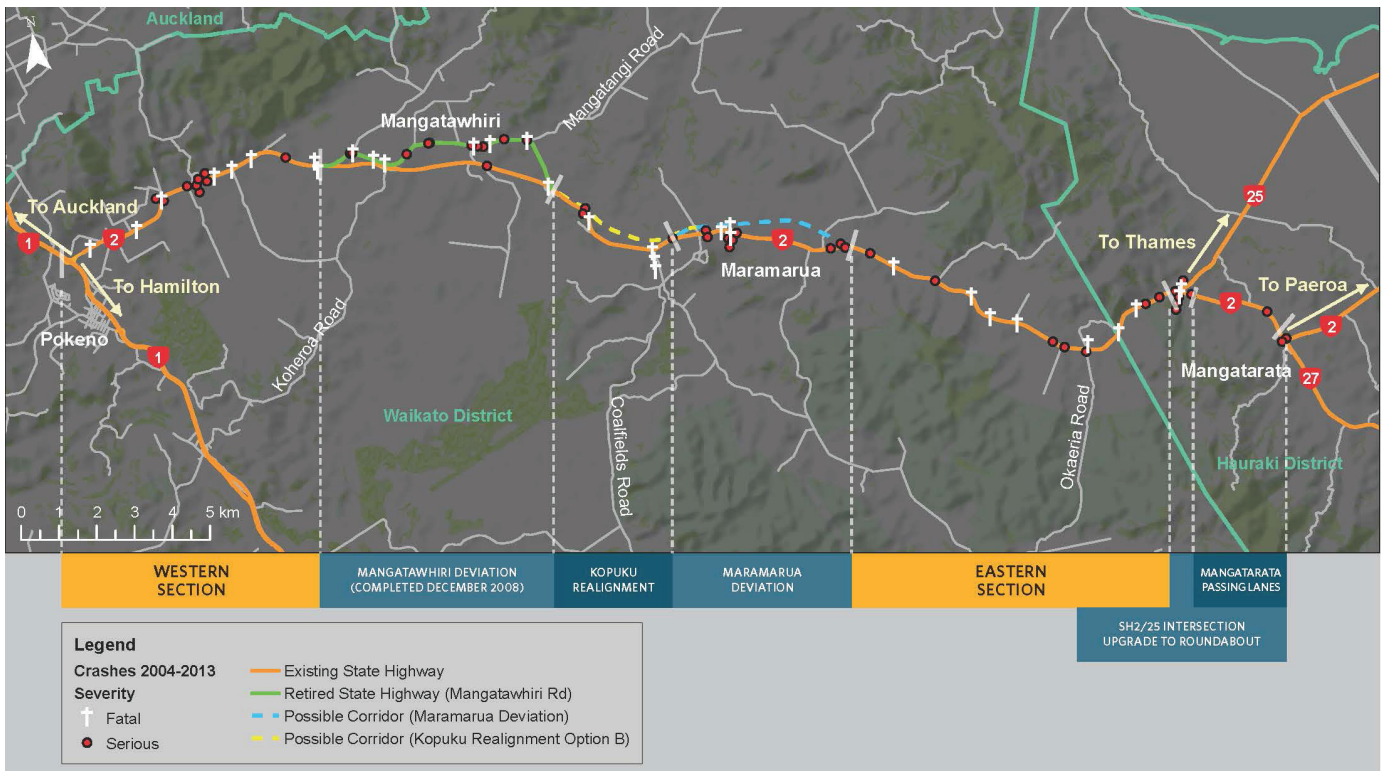
Information day

When: Wednesday 25 June 2014

Where: Maramarua Golf Club, SH2, Maramarua

Time: 2pm-6pm





What are our key objectives?

The key objectives for this Safe System Project are to:

- reduce the number of fatal and serious injury road crashes, particularly head-on, run-off road, and intersection crashes
- acknowledge that people can make mistakes while driving, are vulnerable in crashes and need a more forgiving environment
- enhance the safety and wellbeing for the local community and residents who live and travel along this route
- maintain SH2 as a route for over-dimension and over-load heavy vehicle travel
- develop and implement affordable solutions.

What options are being considered?

The project aims to save lives and lessen injuries by creating a more forgiving environment. Options being looked at to create this include:

- safer intersection layouts
- bridge widening
- barriers
- road alignment improvement
- road widening.

If you have any questions or views about this project, come to the information day on Wednesday 25 June. Representatives of the Transport Agency and the two consultancy firms BBO and Beca will be there to talk about the project and options to proceed.

Any questions?

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