

Roads of national significance



NZTA 63017: SH1 Yaldhurst Road to South Island Main Trunk Railway - 4 Laning

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A quick bulletin to bring residents and businesses affected by the road works along this route up to date with what is happening and the immediate plan ahead.

Yaldhurst Road to Buchanans Road

The new road construction and chip sealing is now complete in this area.

Work on the median islands is well underway with the last sections of median island kerb due to be poured in the next week. Landscaping in this area has started and will include planting on the median and berms. The remainder of the footpath will be laid over the next few weeks.

We will begin laying the final asphalt layer through this area in late April followed by the permanent new road markings.

This section should be open to four lanes of traffic by the beginning of May - weather permitting.

Buchanans Road to Waterloo Road

The kerb & channel and new streetlight installation is now complete along the eastern section of this area.

Construction of the new road using Foam Bitumen Stabilised on the eastern section is underway and will be completed in the next week. The road will then be chip sealed a few days later. The remainder of the footpaths and landscaping work will also be finished in this area over the next month.

After the new road is complete on the eastern side, we will shift the south bound traffic onto the new section of road. This will allow us to reshape the intersections around Tirangi Street and Bella Rosa Drive. This work is due to be completed by late May.

Next we will install the median island and finally we will lay the asphalt and paint the road markings. Subject to favourable weather, we expect this work to be completed by early June.

Waterloo Road to SIMT Railway

Work is largely complete in this area, with the final sections of Foam Bitumen Stabilisation (FBS) complete and chip sealing due to be finished next week

The median island kerb has all been installed and the final small sections of kerb & channel will be laid in the weeks following the chip seal.

We expect all the kerb installation to be complete by mid April, at which point we will begin laying the final asphalt layer and paint new road markings through this area. If the weather is on our side this section should be complete by the start of May.

Waterloo Road and Intersection Upgrade

All the drainage works, kerb & channel installation, new streetlights and pavement construction are now complete along Waterloo Road.

We have started on the new footpath on the eastern side of Waterloo Road and will be finished in the next few weeks.

The main reshaping works through the Waterloo Road intersection is finished and the new traffic signals installation at this intersection is almost complete with only the poles in the median islands to be installed.

Once the median islands on either side of the intersection are installed, we will lay the final asphalt layer through the intersection and along Waterloo Road and install the final traffic signal poles in the median islands. Weather permitting this section will be finished by late May.

Regards,
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