

EARLY IMPROVEMENTS: STATE HIGHWAY

SH20B will be upgraded to provide additional priority lanes, in each direction between Pukaki Creek Bridge and SH20 to allow new 10-minute bus services between the airport, Puhinui and Manukau.

The priority lanes will integrate with improved transport facilities within the airport precinct, along Puhinui Road and at the upgraded Puhinui Station Interchange to provide people more reliable and timely travel choices to, from and around the airport area.

Other early improvements on SH20B to be delivered by 2021 include:

- safety improvements including central median barrier protection, improved lighting and a reduced speed
- improved walking and cycling facilities, pavement, drainage and stormwater treatment
- two improved intersections;
 - Campana Road to improve safety and allow for future development south of the state highway, and;
 - Manukau Memorial Gardens to improve access and safety.

WALKING AND CYCLING

Walking and cycling along SH20B will be improved with a dedicated shared path that connects with walking and cycling facilities on Puhinui Road.

The shared use path will run on the north side between SH20 and Manukau Memorial Gardens, to provide access to the gardens, cross at the signalised intersection, and travel on the south side along SH20B to improve access to the future developments.

New pedestrian and cycling facilities will be added alongside the existing bridge over Waokauri Creek to allow for a continuous separated facility.

The path will be easy to access, well-lit at night and have improved wayfinding and line marking, making it safe and easy for users of all ages and abilities.

