

# 12 Matakoho Bridges realignment project

## IMPORTANT NEWS - DIVERSIONS WILL BE IN PLACE

The Matakoho Bridges realignment of SH12 crosses the existing state highway in two places. Learn what is planned and how you will be affected.

**From 7 January 2019**, a short 100m diversion will be installed just north of Anderson Bridge.

The diversion road is suitable for all vehicles. Traffic management will be in place and there will be a reduced speed limit.

The diversion will allow the construction crew to cut into the existing state highway to form the new road alignment.

This diversion is expected to remain in place until the end of February.

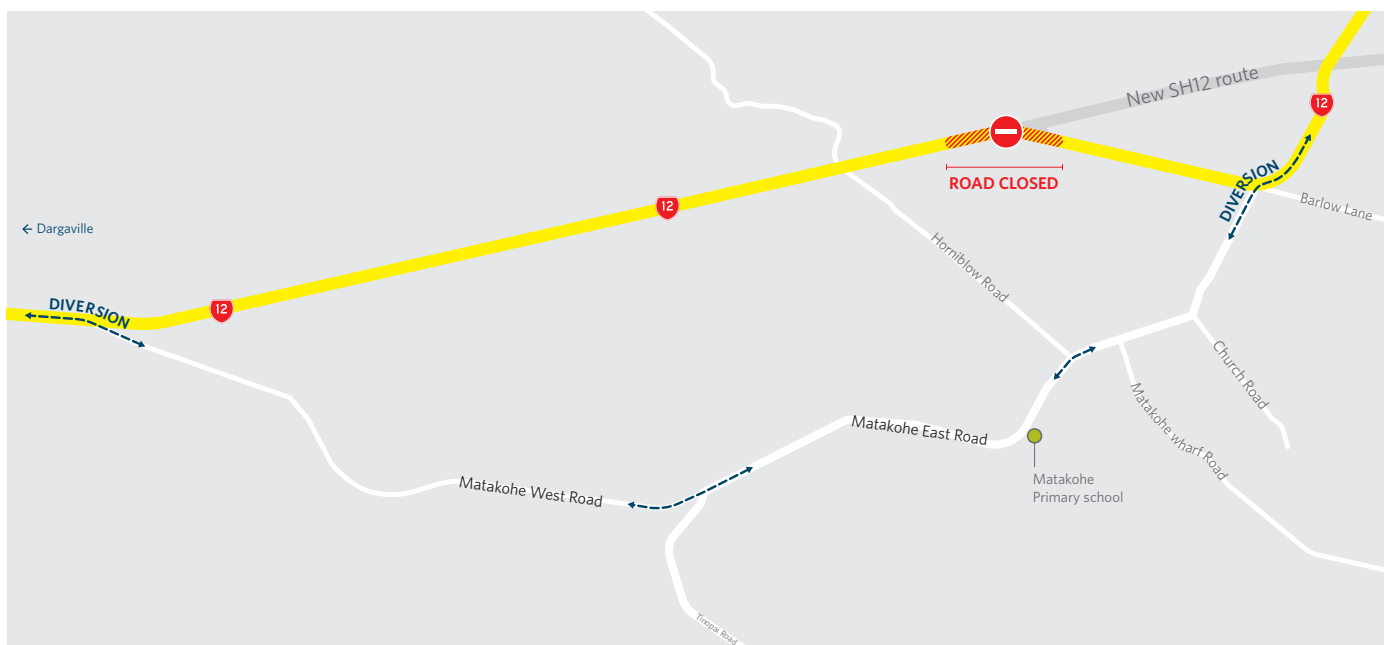
**From 14 January 2019**, we plan to divert all vehicles onto Matakoho East Road from just south of Anderson Bridge, through Matakoho, past Matakoho School and back onto to SH12. The diversion is approximately 5km long.

The diversion will allow the construction crew to form the new intersection into Matakoho and tie-in the western end of the new alignment into the existing state highway.

This diversion is expected to remain in place until mid-February.

When the diversion ends vehicles will run along a section of the new alignment.

The diversion passes Matakoho School and the children in the area will not be used to a high volume of traffic on this road without footpaths so please take extra care and reduce your speed.



## Please keep everyone safe and drive to the conditions.

Please know these works are weather dependent and the diversions may be implemented at a later date if we have had poor weather.

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