

16 Lincoln to Westgate project

THE ROYAL ROAD INTERCHANGE

We thank you for your patience while we finish the Royal Road interchange. Once finished it will look quite different. The changes are designed to improve safety and accessibility for vehicles, pedestrians and cyclists. They include new traffic lights and pedestrian crossings across Royal Road off-ramp, Makora Road and Royal Road on-ramp.

The left hand turn from Royal Road Bridge to Makora and left hand turn from Royal Road to the Royal Road on-ramp will be give way control turns and won't be controlled by traffic lights.

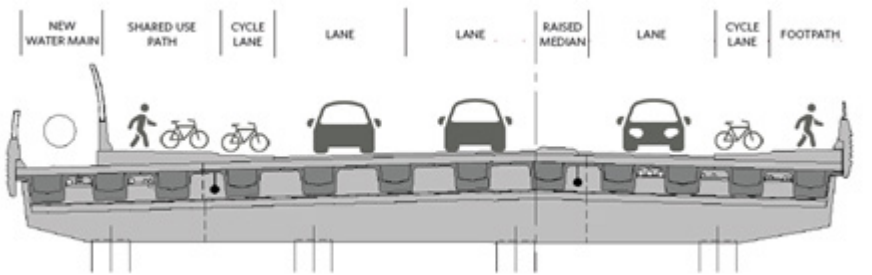


Royal Road Bridge Upgrades



Signs for the northwestern cycleway and shared use path will guide cyclists and pedestrians across to the western side of Makora to the signalised crossing to connect to the shared use path that runs next to the school.

This is a cross section of what Royal Road Bridge will look like when it is finished:



Royal Road Bridge and surrounds will be finished by August 2019.

THE LINCOLN BRIDGE

Works programme

JUNE/JULY 2019

Finish foundations on both sides of the motorway.

LATE JULY 2019

Start building the bridge abutments. Abutments are the ends of each side of the bridge, the deck is supported by these as well as the super-tee beams in the centre.

AUGUST 2019

We will build the deck. We will also finish installing the barriers and approaches on stage 2 for first traffic switch.

SEPTEMBER 2019

We plan to join the two sections of the new bridge together and shift traffic again to complete shared use path on stage 1 of the bridge. We also plan to complete most of the landscaping.

OCTOBER 2019

We plan to complete the shared use path.

MEET ONE OF THE TEAM

Amanda Petherick

Stakeholder and Communication Advisor



What is your role on the project?

I'm the project's Stakeholder and Communication Advisor. It means that I help our neighbours, road users and the wider Auckland public know what's happening onsite and how it may impact them. While the project is underway it's important to remember that, at the end of construction, these improvements will be for our stakeholders.

How did you come to be in this role?

I work for Downer New Zealand and have a number of different projects across the upper North Island. When I was asked to undertake one more I jumped at the chance, simply because I realised how great the end product will be for the public.

What do you do in your spare time?

I really enjoy getting out and making the most of what Auckland city offers! You can find me hiking in the Waitakeres, running along the waterfront and eating at my favourite restaurants, to name a few.



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