

Approved Full HPMV Network Route Description: North Island

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New Zealand Transport Agency Waka Kotahi (The Agency) has assembled lists of state highways, bypasses and link roads that are suitable for HPMVs carrying the maximum loads available under a permit. These approved full HPMV routes cover all North Island and South Island permitting regions.

The approved full HPMV state highways, bypasses and link roads for the North Island are attached to this letter.

Holders of current HPMV permits are granted the use of these routes in accordance with the following conditions:

- This document must be used together with a current HPMV permit. The permit must have been issued by The Agency. The permit must either include a link to the web page where this document is accessible, or it must be carried together with an electronic or print copy of this document.
- Operators must comply with all conditions of the current permit, including the stated mass limits.
- Operators must comply with local bylaws and use heavy vehicle bypasses.
- Operators may use all state highways listed, including state highway off-ramps unless stated otherwise.
- No access is authorised for local authority road detours or for bridges that pass over the state highway network.

Permit holders should refer to [Mobile Road](#) for further details of state highway route stations (RS) and displacements.

The lists of approved full HPMV routes will be updated from time to time. Operators must use the most current revision published on The Agency [website](#). Approved HPMV routes can also be found here: [Full HPMV Network Map](#)

For any questions about this document, please [contact a New Zealand Transport Agency permit issuing officer](#).

Yours sincerely



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This table shows State Highways which are approved for HPMV Higher Mass use

SH	RS/Displ	Start	RS/Displ	End	Full length?	Comments
01N	245/2.86	Buchanan Street intersection, Waro	414/7.747	Onewa Road turn off, Northcote	No	
01N*	427/0.25	Karangahape Road underpass, Newton (Auckland)	1076/4.7	Wellington	No	Refer below for HPMV Approved Heavy Vehicle Routes, including: Strait Shipping & Inter islander Ferry ramps
01B	0/0	SH1N, Taupiri	30/13.66	SH1N, Cambridge	Yes	
01H	504/10.0	SH1N, Huntly	525/2.1	SH1N and SH1B (Taupiri)	Yes	
01C	0/0.0	SH1N, Horsham Downs	24/2.0	SH1N, Tamahere	Yes	
2	0/0	SH1N, Pōkeno	0/1.4	Irish Road intersection, Pōkeno	No	
2	73/20.05	Mitre 10 Waihi intersection, Waihi	577/6.53	Haliburton Road, Kotemaori (8km North of Waikare Bailey Bridge)	No	DO NOT CROSS Waikare Bailey Bridge at 577/14.62
2	577/15.52	Codd Contractors at No. 5485 State Highway 2, Putorino (0.9km South of Waikare Bailey Bridge)	978/0	Khandallah		Refer below for HPMV Approved Heavy Vehicle Bypass Routes, including Pahiatua Track Route
3	0/0	SH1N, Hamilton	36/19.22	Huiputea Drive, Ōtorohanga	No	Requires application for Huiputea Drive, Ōtorohanga.
3	57/0.00	SH31 (Te Kanawa St), Ōtorohanga	474/14.831	SH57, Ashhurst	No	Refer below for HPMV Approved Heavy Vehicle Bypass Routes, including Saddle Road Route
3	491/7.69	Woodlands Road intersection, Woodville	491/9.088	SH2, Woodville	No	Refer below for HPMV Approved Heavy Vehicle Bypass Routes, including Saddle Road Route
3A	0/0	SH3, New Plymouth	0/15.596	Inglewood	Yes	
4	0/0.00	SH3, Eight Mile Junction, Te Mapara	223/15.482	SH3, Whanganui	Yes	
5	0/0	SH1N, Tirau	249/12.45	Eskdale	Yes	
15	111/0	SH1N, Ruakākā	111/8.433	Marsden Point	Yes	

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16	0/0	Quay Street intersection, Judges Bay	92/14.046	Wellsford	Yes	SH16 Awaroa River Bridge BSN489: Bridge has been temporarily designated full HPMV subject to further assessment.
18	0/0	SH1, Unsworth Heights	12/0	SH16, Massey	Yes	
20	0/0	SH1N, Manukau	20/4.172	SH16, Point Chevalier	Yes	
20A	0/0	SH20, Māngere	4.144	Verissimo/Landing Dr intersection	Yes	
20B	0/0	Vision Place, Papatoetoe	0/2.385	Orrs Rd, Wiri	Yes	
21	0/0	SH1N, Tamahere	2/4.932	SH3, Ōhaupō	Yes	
22	0/0	SH1N, Drury	0/12.936	56m South of Lough Bourne/Adams Dr, Pukekohe	Yes	
23	0/0	SH1N, Frankton	11/0	SH39, Whatawhata	No	
24	0/0	SH27, Matamata	0/12.965	SH29, Lower Kaimai	Yes	
25	0/9.34	Pouarua Road North intersection, Waitakaruru	24/9.91	Victoria Street intersection, North of Thames	No	
25	226/13.95	Gladstone Road, Waihi	226/16.144	SH2, Waihi	No	
26	0/0	SH1N, Silverdale	35/6.9	Thomas Road intersection, Waihou	No	
27	45/0	SH26, Tātuanui	85/8.14	SH1N, Tirau	No	
28	0/0	SH1N, Putāruru	0/2.689	Blue Springs public carpark	No	
28	0/5.79	SH5, Western junction, Tapapa	17/7.166	SH29, Lower Kaimais	No	
29	0/0	SH2, Tauranga	74/0	SH1N, Piarere	Yes	
29A	0/0	SH2, Mount Maunganui	8/6.418	SH29, Tauriko	Yes	
30	0/0	SH3, Te Kuiti	219/10.263	Landing Road intersection, Whakātane	Yes	
30A	0/0	SH5, Rotorua (Pukuatua St)	0/3.576	SH30, Rotorua	Yes	
31	0/0	SH3, Otorohanga	31/10.780	Kawhia Harbour Road intersection	No	
32	0/0	SH1N, Tokoroa	82/14.30	SH41, Kuratau	Yes	
33	0/0	SH30, Mourea	17/18.664	SH2, Paengaroa	Yes	
34	0/0	SH2, Matatā	21/4.154	SH30, West Rotoma	Yes	
35	0/0	SH2, Ōpōtiki	0/10.4	Jackson Road intersection, Tirohanga	No	
35	106/0.25	Waihou Bay Holiday Park, Waihou Bay	250/6.21	Matairau Road, Mangatuna, Gisborne	No	DO NOT CROSS Hikuwai No. 1 Bailey Bridge at 250/6.25
35	250/6.83	Pourau Road by-pass Mangatuna, Gisborne	327/8.18	SH2, Gisborne	No	

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36	0/0	SH29, Tauriko (Tauranga)	28/5.07	Roy Rd intersection, Hamurana	No	
38	0/0	SH5, Waimangu	17/19.006	Main Rd, Murupara Township	No	
38	196/0	SH2, Wairoa	189/6.27	McDonald St, Wairoa	No	
39	0/0	SH1C, Horotiu	11/0	Horotiu Road intersection, Te Kowhai	No	
41	0/0	SH4, Manunui	56/2.733	SH1N, Tūrangi	Yes	
43	0/0	SH3, Stratford	32/0.02	Huiakama Road intersection, Te Wera	No	
44	0/0	SH3/SH45 junction, New Plymouth	0/5 (end)	Port Taranaki	Yes	Refer below for HPMV access to Port Taranaki
45	0/0	SH3, New Plymouth	97/8.094	SH3, Hāwera	Yes	
47	0/0	SH4, National Park	29/17.06	SH41, Tokaanu	Yes	
48	0/0	SH47, National Park	0/6.82	Whakapapa Village	Yes	
49	0/0	SH4, Tohunga Junction	29/9.046	SH1N, Waiouru	Yes	
50	0/0	Napier Port, Napier	12/8.692	Taihape Road, Fernhill	No	DO NOT CROSS Ngaruroro River Bridge, Fernhill 17/0
50	17/0.8	Gordon Street intersection, Fernhill	33/0	Kereru Road, Maraekakaho	No	
51	2/0	SH50, Napier	2/7.84	Waitangi Road intersection, Napier	No	
53	0/0	SH2, Featherston	18/0	Martinborough	Yes	
54	0/0	38/17.836	38/17.836	SH3, Palmerston North	Yes	
56	0/0	SH57, Shannon	22/1.610	Maxwells Line intersection, Palmerston North	Yes	
57	0/0	SH1N, Levin	50/3.529	Pahiatua Aokautere Road intersection, Aokautere	No	
58	0/0	SH2, Lower Hutt	12/5.043	SH59/SH1, Paremata	Yes	
59	0/0	SH1N interchange at MacKay's crossing	20/5.90	SH1N interchange at Kenepuru	Yes	

Heavy Vehicle Bypass Routes: North Island

Key heavy vehicle bypasses are identified in the table below. The right-hand column identifies where the Road Controlling Authority has approved Waka Kotahi to permit HPMV use of the detour route.

In some instances, the Road Controlling Authority has not authorised Waka Kotahi to permit unrestricted HPMV use of the heavy vehicle bypass but allows the regional permitting team to issue permits subject to specific requirements being met. The table below identifies how these restricted heavy vehicle detours are approved.

North Island Heavy Vehicle Bypass Routes & Local Authority & Port Authority link roads

SH	Approving Road Controlling Local Authority	Description	Approved HPMV Route
1N	Wellington City Council	Hutt Road from SH1 – Aotea Quay Overbridge – Aotea Quay - (Interislander Ferry Terminal) – Waterloo Quay - (Bluebridge Cook Strait Ferry Terminal) - Centreport Wellington	Yes
2	Masterton District Council	Paierau Rd from SH2 – Akura Rd – Ngaumutawa Rd to SH2	Yes
2/57	Palmerston North City Council and Tararua District Council	Pahiatua Track Route (Pahiatua to Aokautere) Mangahao Rd from SH2 - Pahiatua Mangahao Rd - Makomako Rd - Pahiatua Aokautere Rd to SH57	Yes
3/3A	New Plymouth District Council	Rata St – Moa St – Standish St	Yes
3	Palmerston North City Council	Tremaine Ave – Kelvin Grove Rd – McLeavey Dr – Roberts Line	Yes
3	Palmerston North City Council, Manawatu District Council and Tararua District Council	Saddle Road Route (Ashurst to Woodville) Cambridge Ave – Mulgrave St – Salisbury St - Saddle Rd - Oxford Rd - Woodlands Rd to SH3, Woodville	Yes
3	Otorohanga District Council	Huiputea Dr (full length)	Yes
3/56	Palmerston North City Council and Manawatu District Council	Tremaine Ave from SH3 - No. 1 Line – Tiakitahuna Rd to SH56	Yes
44	Port Taranaki Ltd	Breakwater Road from SH44 to Port Taranaki roads	Important Note. Port Taranaki approves the use of this vehicle on access roads within the Port boundary. This permit does not approve access to wharves or operational areas, which are covered by the Port's own permit system.