

Christchurch Northern Corridor QEII Drive east

PROJECT UPDATE

25 OCTOBER 2019



CONSTRUCTION NEAR HILLS ROAD + INNES ROAD ROUNDABOUT

The Christchurch Northern Corridor (CNC) Alliance team has almost finished stage one of the work at the Innes Road roundabout. From **Friday 1 November** for around three days we will be sealing the new lane connections at the roundabout.

The final road lay-out in 2020 at the Innes Road roundabout doesn't change very much, it will be widened to accommodate the two extra lanes from QEII Drive and the slip lane will move slightly.

TRAFFIC IMPACT

For the sealing (foam bitumen stabilisation) work we will close the eastbound slip lane on the QEII Drive/Innes Road roundabout. Straight through traffic will need to take the roundabout lane.

The slip lane closure will stay in place until 3pm on Monday 4 November.

During Friday afternoon peak, from 3pm to 7pm, we will allow traffic to use the slip lane, but it will stay closed during the weekend.

Foam bitumen stabilisation involves large trucks and heavy machinery. We will also apply chip seal, which will be covered in asphalt after a year of use. In between the foaming and chip sealing the cement needs to harden for one or two days. No work will be happening during the curing.

For the safety of the road users and workers, there will be a temporary **30km/h speed limit** in place during the work and while the gravel remains loose.

HILLS ROAD RE-OPENING

To complete the two lanes and the roundabout upgrade on QEII Drive east we had to close the Hills Road intersection (left in and out) on QEII Drive. Hills Road will be open by 7 November.



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TRAFFIC WAS MOVED ONTO THE SOUTHERN HALVES OF THE NEW QEII DRIVE ROUNDABOUTS.

Recently added

Widening the Waimakariri Bridge – October 2019

Site Engineer Nickie Winter talks about how we are widening the Waimakariri Bridge to have three lanes in each direction and adding a clip-on cycleway.



VIDEO SECTION

Curious about the bridge work? Site Engineer Nickie Winter talks about how we are widening the Waimakariri Bridge to have three lanes in each direction and adding a clip-on cycleway. This and other feature and animated videos are available on our website:

www.nzta.govt.nz/cnc

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- › Our standard construction work hours are Monday to Saturday between 7am and 7pm.
- › There will be increased noise and vibrations associated with most of the construction work. We will do what we can to minimise this.
- › Keep yourself and your children, as well as pets, at a safe distance from the work site. Please stay behind the construction fences at all times.
- › All work sites are subject to weather and other unforeseen conditions. Some jobs will finish early while others may be delayed or rescheduled.



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