

Upcoming Overnight Closures

Friday 28 August 2024

Tēnā koe,

The Transport Rebuild East Coast (TREC) team would like to advise you of an upcoming road closure for two nights on the state highway near you.

Where?	SH2 Waikare Gorge, Pūtōrino
When?	<p>On Monday 30 September and Tuesday 1 October the road will be closed in both directions from 9pm to 5am each night. The last closure ends at 5am Wednesday 2 October.</p> <p>This work is weather dependent.</p> <p>The contingency date is 9pm to 5am, Wednesday 2 October.</p>
Why?	Essential maintenance on the Waikare Bailey bridge. Crew will be installing a new bridge deck, requiring full closure of the road.

What work is happening?

During the night closures at Waikare Gorge, we will remove the existing bridge deck and replace it with a new deck. The new decking will improve traction for vehicles using the bridge.

We will also take advantage of the low traffic volumes during the closure hours to do nightworks on SH2 and at Devil's Elbow under stop/go traffic management.

Traffic control: A full road closure, with no viable detour will be in place at the times mentioned above so crews can complete the work as safely and efficiently as possible.

Outside of the night closure times, a weight restriction of 50MAX and speed restriction of 10km/hr for all vehicles is in place using the Waikare Bailey bridge. The weight and speed restrictions are in place on Bailey bridges to preserve the life of the bridge.

Traffic impacts: There is no viable detour. Please plan ahead for travel.

Emergency services: Emergency services travelling on emergency/priority response will be assisted through the site as safely and quickly as possible.

Who to contact: If you have any questions, please phone 0800 80 TREC (0800 80 8732) or contact info@TREC.NZ

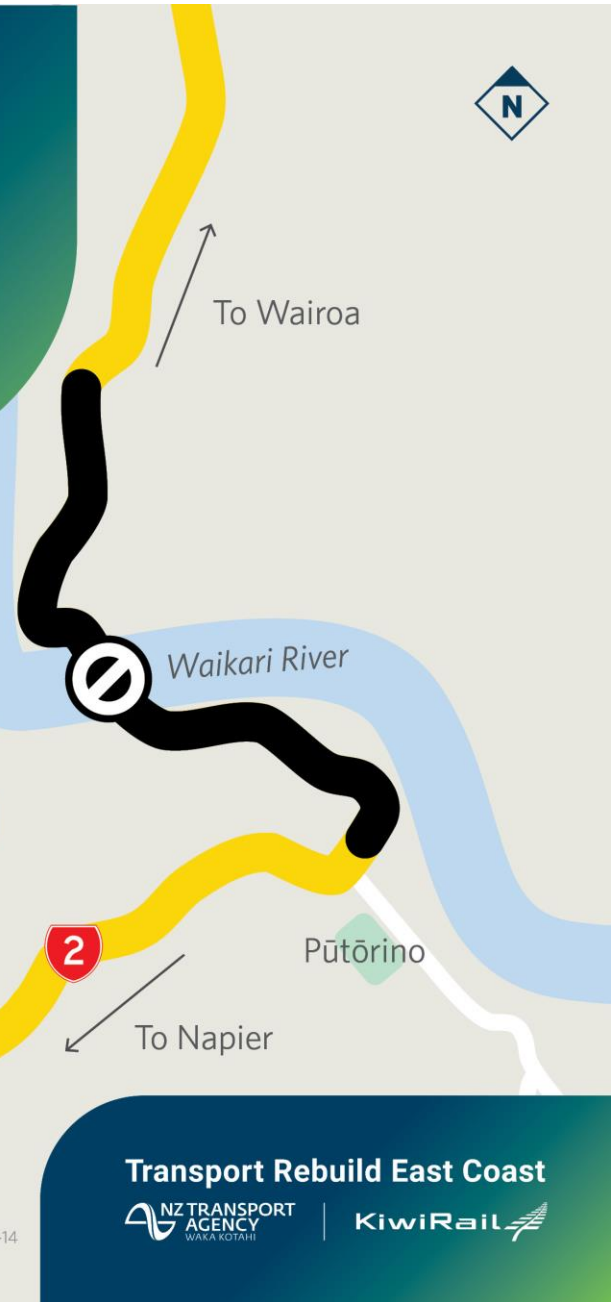
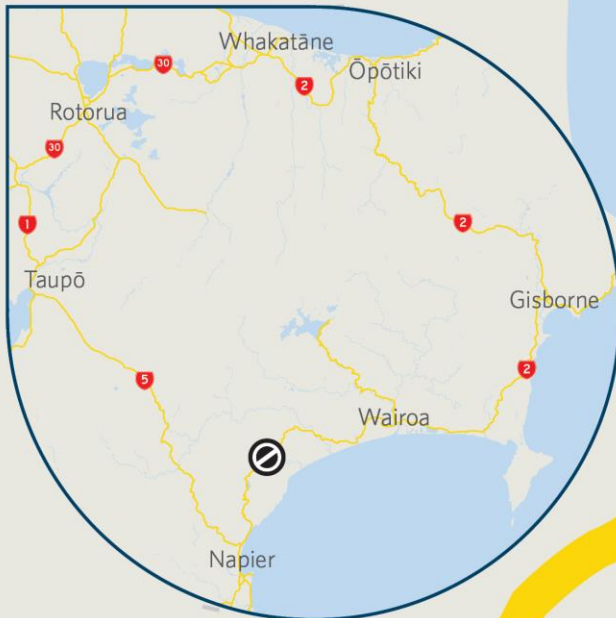
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2 Waikare Gorge

Road closed for essential
bridge maintenance

9pm-5am both nights

Monday 30 September &
Tuesday 1 October



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