



11 August 2025

Kia ora,

We're planning to undertake important infrastructure renewals in your area during the 2025/26 construction season. We would like to give you a heads up and understand how Council can support you and your business during the duration of this project.

### **What you need to know**

This construction season we're planning to renew the watermain and reseal your road. As part of this programme, we will be:

- **Renewing the watermain along the east side of Rifle Range Road from Norton Road roundabout to the northern corner of Swarbrick Park.**
  - This work is expected to begin on 25 August 2025, weather dependent, and finish in February 2026.
  - Usual hours of work will be Monday to Friday, 7am – 7pm.
  - Work will mostly take place in the cycleway, with traffic management in place to keep our workers and the public safe.
  - This includes drilling holes horizontally under the ground under the cycleway, installing the new watermain pipe, and connecting the new watermain pipe into the existing network as well as surrounding properties.
  - We may need to shut off your water for a short period of time while a connection is made. We'll let you know ahead of time through a flyer drop or door knock.
- **Resurface the entire length of Rifle Range Road from roundabout to roundabout.**
  - This work will take place in stages, pre-seal maintenance and resealing.
  - ⊖ Pre-seal maintenance is where we repair minor road defects prior to the reseal.
  - ⊖ Resealing is where our team seal the road.
  - We aim to complete the pre-seal maintenance during summer school holidays to minimise disruption.
  - Resealing and new road-marking will take place in late February 2026.
- **Minor maintenance while we're in the area**
  - We will be taking the opportunity to do some maintenance work on the footpaths, as well as minor resealing work on side roads.

Please see a map of the work area included in this letter.

We will be in touch around road renewals with more detailed information once we've completed our planning. You can expect to receive a further letter with the following:

- Date, time and duration of work
- Traffic management arrangements



- Any potential restrictions on access or parking

### **What we need to know**

To help us with our planning and efforts to minimise disruption, we'd like to know more about how your business operates.

We'd appreciate it if you can provide us with at least the following:

- Days and times that your business is open to the public
- Details of regular deliveries to your business
- A nominated contact person for your business, along with their contact information

These renewals have been scheduled to take place together to minimise the impact on road users, businesses and residents. If you have any questions about the upcoming project in the meantime, or there's something we should be aware of in our planning, please reach out to us at the contact details below.

These works are part of a wider programme of works around Hamilton over the construction season. You can find out more about our road renewals at [hamilton.govt.nz/connect-hamilton](https://hamilton.govt.nz/connect-hamilton). Our water and roads renewals programmes are an ongoing effort to look after and improve our waters infrastructure and the safety of our roads. While we understand roadworks can be disruptive, we are committed to working together to minimise this and completing the work as efficiently as possible.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we work to maintain and improve our city's infrastructure.

If you have any questions, please contact our Senior Infrastructure Customer Officer Maia Pratt at [info@hcc.govt.nz](mailto:info@hcc.govt.nz) or call 07 838 6699.

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