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**Subject:** Final response - LGOIMA 460384 - [REDACTED] - Galloway Street Footpath  
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Kia ora,

We refer to your information request below. Hamilton City Council provides the following response.

**Your request:**

*Cost of upgrading/replacing Galloway Street footpath (westside)? Please provide business case, reasons for this path's priority and any info on current usage/pedestrian count/cycles etc; cost & time estimate, contract details (including contractors, sub contractors, Temporary Traffic Management, etc plus budget & actual costs for each), any associated information.*

**Our response:**

The Galloway Street footpath renewal is currently in the process of being completed. This project started on 29 January 2025 and has been divided into four sections due to the treatment length. The project will be completed by the end of March 2025. The renewal work is part of Council's Collaborative Corridor Agreement with Downer. Our partnership with Downer is referred to as Connect Hamilton, who undertake all maintenance and renewals of roading assets e.g. footpath, signs, road marking, sweeping, streetlights, drainage, pavement repairs and resurfacing.

We have a citywide renewal programme that is developed by our asset team and is based on the following criteria – condition, age, type, road hierarchy, location (proximity to community destinations), safety, engineering judgment (replacement vs maintenance) and customer requests. Each factor is assigned a score, allowing us to rank footpath sections from highest to lowest priority effectively.

There are no pedestrian/cycle counts available for the works length. Since 2018 we've had five safety concerns for trip hazards reported, along with nine areas of surface loss with loose material that typically leads to potholing and water pooling – including 34 broken and cracked areas.

This work was needed to avoid an average maintenance cost of \$21,800 per year and address the safety concerns raised by the public. With the completion of the footpath renewal, between 12 to 15 years will be added to the life of the new surface.

The total cost for the renewal of the footpath is \$168,273.82 which includes material, plant, labour, and temporary traffic management for eight weeks of construction. The traffic management cost is estimated at \$33,000 for the duration of the entire project. The works is being undertaken by our supplier partners for underground utilities service location and Base

Civil Ltd for the footpath construction and temporary traffic management. As this working is still in progress there is no final cost.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

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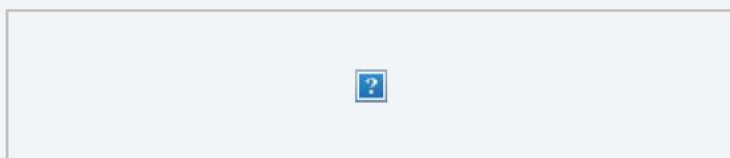
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**Detailed description of request**

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**Organisation**

Findlay Street Neighbourhood Watch

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