

CENTRAL INTERCEPTOR BULLETIN

Haverstock Road site Haverstock Road, Sandringham

The Central Interceptor is New Zealand's largest-ever wastewater tunnelling project. We're boring a 4.5m-wide tunnel some 14.7km from Watercare's Māngere Wastewater Treatment Plant to Grey Lynn. When it rains heavily, stormwater can combine with wastewater and overwhelm our pipes, overflowing together into our creeks and streams. When completed, the Central Interceptor will significantly reduce these overflows into our central Auckland waterways.

The next construction site to open in early April is Haverstock Road, situated within Plant & Food Research, between Haverstock Road and Camden Road. Site access is from the accessway between 96 and 98 Haverstock Road. Camden Road may also be used for access at a later stage.

About the Haverstock Road construction site

The Haverstock Road shaft site is one of ten sites along the main tunnel route. We will be constructing a 50 metre deep shaft that will connect the existing sewer network to the new Central Interceptor tunnel. Our Tunnel Boring Machine (TBM) arrives at the Haverstock shaft from our Walmsley Park site and continues through to Lyon Avenue, and then on to Grey Lynn.

What you will notice

Site set up is due to start in early April and we will be occupying

this area for approximately two years. Our first activities will be to establish the site, installing safety fencing, creating accessways, removing vegetation and installing work platforms and stormwater diversions. Towards the end of the year shaft excavation will begin and continue into the year.

2023 will be a busy year for this construction site with the focus on completing excavation of the shaft to its final depth, installing a maintenance chamber and constructing a number of chambers and manholes.

Many different activities take place during construction and the site may appear busier at times with less activity and fewer staff at other times. Traffic management staff may be needed on site to ensure the safety of pedestrians and truck movement. At times their activities can be limited if there are no traffic movements, but they still have to remain near site for safety.



Working with you

We understand that construction sites for major projects such as the Central Interceptor can be disruptive and noisy at times. We aim to be a good neighbour while working in your area and will work to minimise disruption, where we can.

We will keep you informed with what's happening with regular communications. We will be out and about in the neighbourhood during the works to keep in contact about how the work is progressing.

How will construction affect you?

- General work hours will be between 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday, and 8am to 6pm on Saturdays. There may be times where unexpected ground conditions or certain activities e.g. critical concrete pours that may require us to work past the general hours. This will comply with Auckland's Council's permit rules.
- Construction projects such as these often generate noise and vibration, which you may experience if you are at home during these hours. We undertake careful planning and monitoring in accordance with Council requirements. We use noise barriers and fencing to minimise general construction noise wherever possible.
- Traffic management may be in place for the safety of motorists, pedestrians, cyclists and school children and stop-go measures will be used as needed.
- Access to driveways will be maintained.
- Truck movements will be restricted Monday to Friday during school terms between 8:15am and 9:15am and 2:45pm to 3:15pm.



Meet the Contractor

Due to COVID-19 restrictions we are unable to hold our 'Meet the Contractor' event before we set up the construction site. This community event will be held at COVID-19 orange traffic light.

This event is an opportunity for you to come and find out more about the project, discuss the impact of construction activities and share some kai with us. Keep an eye on your letterbox for an invitation in the near future.



Being a Good Neighbour

One of our neighbours is Te Kura Kaupapa Māori o Ngā Maugarongo which is close to both our Haverstock and Lyon Avenue sites. We are very fortunate to have been engaging with Te Kura and local carvers to use some native trees and seedlings which will be removed from our Lyon Avenue site.

The Te Kura will use these native trees to create pou and local carvers from Ruapōtaka marae are using the trees for Toi whakairo, creating new works of art through carving. Members of the Te Kura community will also be transplanting seedlings from the same site. Auckland Zoo will be using the trees and branches for new enclosures for the animals at the Zoo.



Any questions?

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