Huia no.1 Watermain replacement project

Pascoe Street to Marion Avenue, Mt Roskill

The Huia no.1 watermain is the main pipeline transporting water from the western dams in the Waitakere Ranges through the suburbs of Titirangi, Blockhouse Bay, New Windsor, Green Bay, Hillsborough, Mount Roskill and Epsom. The current pipeline is ageing and at risk of failing. It needs to be replaced so that we can continue to provide the essential supply of water to the Auckland area. The water from the western dams are an essential part of our water supply and provides up to 20 percent of Auckland's overall water needs.

The pipeline replacement has all the necessary approvals and will be installed along road corridors and reserves to make it easy for future maintenance and access. This section of the route will be constructed along Pascoe Street, Webster Avenue, Gaynor Street and sections along Boyce Avenue, Penney Avenue, Richmond Road, May Road and link into the existing Huia no.1 pipeline at Marion Place, as shown in the map below.



Proposed work programme

We will soon start to schedule the works, which are likely to start this year. Once we have a confirmed programme for each street's work, we will notify affected residents directly.





Pipeline trenching taking place on Golf Road section of the replacement Huia no.1 watermain.

How will construction affect you?

As we install the replacement pipeline along the road, traffic management will be in place. Our contractor will be in touch with residents along the pipeline route to work with you to minimise disruption where possible.

- General work hours will be between 7am to 6:30pm, Monday to Friday, and 8am to 6pm on Saturdays.
- For the safety of the public and workers, traffic management will be in place during the works:
 - There will be some detours and temporary road closures during installation of the pipeline.
 - Access to driveways may be affected for some residents along the pipeline route. We will work directly with affected resident
 to notify them in advance of any restrictions of access.
 - Parking restrictions will be in place near the worksite to allow for laying of the pipeline and equipment.
 Signage will be in place to assist with 'no-parking' areas.
- Noise levels and vibration will be managed in accordance with Council requirements.

Working with you

We understand that construction for major projects such as the replacement of the Huia 1 watermain can be disruptive at times. We aim to be a good neighbour while we are working in your area and will work with you to minimise disruption, where we can.

We will keep you informed with what's happening with regular communications. We will be out in your community during the works and ensuring signage and information is clear to residents and traffic.

Water supply to properties will not be affected during the upgrade.

Any questions?

If you have any questions about this project, please contact us on:

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