

Rutherford Street Stormwater Upgrade

Restricted access through Van Diemen Street and into Ngatitama Street

The scope of works

Following the installation of the major pipes and reopening of Waimea Road to traffic, work can now begin to put the Rutherford Street/Van Diemen Street intersection back to how it was. This work will include improving drainage at the intersection, along with reinstating the road, kerbs and concrete islands.

When are works taking place?

Work will start on the 16 January 2023 and will take approximately two weeks to complete.

How does this affect me?

To enable the work to be completed safely we will need to reinstate the fencing on Van Diemen Street, so that it will be setup like it was when the detour was in place. This will mean that traffic travelling along Van Diemen Street from Waimea Road will be diverted along Rutherford Street and Brougham Street through to town/Nelson East and vice versa.

It will also mean that entry into Ngatitama Street will be closed from Van Diemen Street and residents will need to access Ngatitama Street from Hampden Street.

Once the barrier fence is installed Stop-Go will be used to complete the works so expect some small delays as you travel along Van Diemen Street/Upper Rutherford Street.

Please note that traffic travelling North/South along Waimea Road/Rutherford Street will not be affected.

A big thank you!

We appreciate there may be some inconvenience and we thank you for your patience and willingness to work in with our activities while we get the job done.

If you have any questions about this work please contact:

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