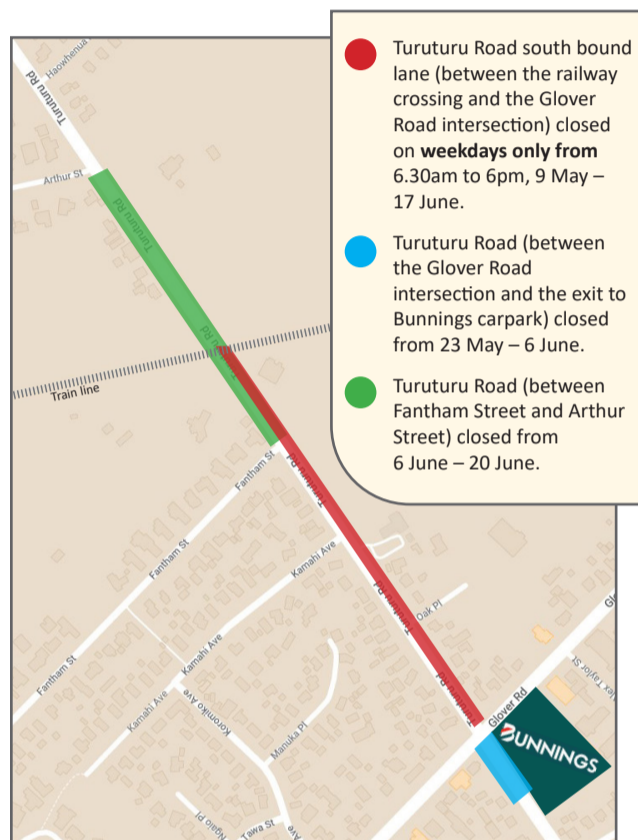


Upcoming Major Road Closures on Turuturu Road



Residents can expect major travel disruptions along Turuturu Road to Glover Road from next week (Monday 9 May).

This is due to contractors (Downer) installing a new 600 metre-long water pipeline that will service the new 250-home Longview subdivision. The new pipeline will also need to be connected to an existing water supply main on the west side of Glover Road with a second connection to the existing supply main adjacent the subdivision. At the same time significant construction work is needed to under bore and install new services under the rail crossing on Turuturu Road. Construction crews will be working in this area between 6.30am and 6pm.

To complete the construction work for the watermain the contractors need to:

- close off the south bound lane on Turuturu Road between the railway crossing and the Glover Road intersection from 6.30am to 6pm **weekdays only** from 9 May – 17 June 2022.
- close Turuturu Road between the Glover Road intersection and the exit to the Bunnings carpark for approximately 14 days from the 23 May – 6 June 2022.

To complete the work under the railway line the contractors need to:

- close Turuturu Road between Fantham Street and Arthur Street for approximately 14 days from 6 June – 20 June 2022.

This means some properties will need to take a detour when travelling to and from town and road diversion signage will be installed for the duration of the works. If you have any questions or would like to speak to someone about this project, please email Thomas Hopkirk (Downer) Project Manager – Thomas.Hopkirk@downer.co.nz

Upcoming meetings

Property Acquisitions Sub-Committee

Monday 16 May at 4pm
Camberwell Lounge, TSB Hub, Camberwell Road, Hāwera

Ordinary Council

Monday 16 May at 7pm
Camberwell Lounge, TSB Hub, Camberwell Road, Hāwera

Eltham-Kaponga Community Board

Monday 23 May at 10.30am
Taumata Recreation Centre, Preston Street, Eltham

Te Hāwera Community Board

Monday 23 May at 4.30pm

Taranaki Coastal Community Board

Tuesday 24 May at 2.30pm
Ōpunakē Town Hall, 42 Domett Street, Ōpunakē

Pātea Community Board

Wednesday 25 May at 4pm
Waverley Community Centre, Chester Street, Waverley

Policy and Strategy Committee

Monday 30 May at 1pm

Te Kāhui Matauraura

Wednesday 1 June at 10am

Environment and Hearings Committee

Wednesday 1 June at 4pm

If not stated, meetings are held at Council Chambers, Administration Building, Albion Street, Hāwera



Rates reminder - Instalment due

Ratepayers are reminded that the last day for payment of the fourth instalment of rates for 2021/2022 without incurring a penalty will be Wednesday 25 May 2022.



Take a 10 minute survey & be in to win \$100

Zero Waste Taranaki (made up of Taranaki's three District Councils)

is conducting a survey about people's attitudes, awareness and behaviours regarding waste - to better understand the barriers and motivations they face.

This survey should take no more than 10 minutes to complete. You have until Sunday 29 May to go in to the draw to win one of four \$100 SOS universal businesses vouchers.

If you have questions or want more information on how to reduce your waste, please email contact@zerowastetaranaki.org



Scan this QR code with your mobile phone to go directly to the survey or visit www.surveymonkey.com/r/zerowastesurvey

Part of Ōpunakē Loop Trail closed

Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency contractors are installing 1,600 tonnes of rock along the Waiaua stream banks to repair damage caused by the severe weather events in February, and as a result, part of the Ōpunakē Loop Trail is temporarily closed (near the Waiaua Stream bridge south of Ōpunakē on State Highway 45).

This rock stabilisation will help protect the stream bank from future erosion.

Work started at the end of April and is expected to take 3-4 weeks to complete, subject to weather and any impacts of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

While this work will take place off road, people travelling past this area are reminded to stay alert and keep their eyes on the road, and not the excavators under the bridge, to help keep everyone safe.

Watch this space for details on the 2022/23 Annual Plan



The South Taranaki District Council's 2022/23 Annual Plan is being released for public feedback on Monday 9 May. If you are interested in having a look, head to www.southtaranaki.com/annualplan on Monday to read the working document, or keep an eye out for next week's Southlink where we will detail the main points of the Plan.