

# Dear neighbour,

KiwiRail is rebuilding the rail network in your area to make rail travel more resilient and reliable and to prepare for the faster, more frequent trains the City Rail Link (CRL) will bring when it opens next year. We are undertaking a major upgrade of our rail network between Papakura and Wiri, including Takanini.

From 25 May to 10 October, we will be using about 60 car parks in the Park and Ride facility at Takanini Station for the storage of material and facilities for staff engaged in our Rail Network Rebuild (RNR) renewals and upgrade work across the southern line. Access to these parking spots will be closed off from public use during this time. The remaining approximately 220 parking spots will remain available for public use.

We will also be working in your area **24/7** during the scheduled rail network closures over King's Birthday **(30 May to 2 June)** and Matariki **(20-23 June)** long weekends, and school holidays in June-July **(28 June to 13 July)** and September-October **(20 September to 5 October)**.

#### What we are doing:

The Rail Network Rebuild work will improve reliability, allow more frequent trains and improve the ride for passengers.

The work involves the following steps:

- Cutting and removing existing track and sleepers
- Using small excavators to build new drainage structures
- Digging up and rebuilding foundations, excavating and replacing ballast
- Laying tracks and sleepers, connecting, re-aligning and balancing tracks.

## Park n Ride - What changes can you expect during the period

Access to around 60 of the total number of 284 parking spots in the Park and Ride facility will be closed off from public use from 25 May until 10 October inclusive. This is to service construction works that will take place near this location during four rail network closures during 2025.

#### **Upcoming dates**

- 25 May 10 October:
  24/7 use of 60 carparks
- 30 May 2 June: 24/7 works
- 20 23 June: 24/7 works
- 28 June 13 July: 24/7 works
- 20 Sept. 5 Oct.: 24/7 works

#### Find out more

For enquiries and to sign up to work notifications by email please contact us via contactus@kiwirail.co.nz or 0800 801 070 ext 43042.

Visit our website: kiwirail.co.nz/aklrailrebuild.





The car parks to be blocked from public access are marked in pink on this map:

KiwiRail greatly appreciates the use of this space and the patience of the community while we undertake this critical work to upgrade our rail network.

#### For more information:

See Auckland Transport's Park n Ride webpage: <a href="https://at.govt.nz/driving-and-parking/park-ride">https://at.govt.nz/driving-and-parking/park-ride</a>

To learn more about where KiwiRail is working, visit: <a href="https://www.kiwirail.co.nz/our-network/our-regions/amp/upcoming-work/">https://www.kiwirail.co.nz/our-network/our-regions/amp/upcoming-work/</a>



#### Works in your area:

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### How this affects you:

During this work there may be noise, dust, vibrations and lights needed to keep the workers safe at night. Our teams are mindful that they are working near residential areas and will do their best to keep the disruption to a minimum. However, despite their efforts this work may cause you some disturbance and we apologise in advance for this.

There will also be increased vehicle movements near the station entrance.

To keep people safe during the works, the pedestrian crossing at the station platform will

be closed to the public during periods when the rail network is closed for upgrade and renewal works.

Wayfinding will be installed to direct pedestrians to Great South Road bus services when the rail network is closed.

The pedestrian crossing will be open for use at other times when trains are running.



