



PUHINUI – 24/7 MAJOR TRACK WORKS

December 2025

Dear neighbour,

Our teams will be carrying out intensive track works between Cavendish Drive and Saint Georges Road over the summer rail closure.

This work will take place **24/7 from 27 December to 16 January**.

As this is a large piece of work, it can only be undertaken when there are no passenger trains running. This means a lot of our access time is limited to nights, weekends, and public holiday periods while the network is closed to passenger trains.

Thank you for your on-going patience as we continue to undertake maintenance and upgrade works on the rail network near your property.

What we are doing:

We will be replacing existing rail. This will be intensive work involving rail grinding, cutting and welding.

Teams will be cutting and removing existing rail, replacing it with new rail and finally welding the new rail together and grinding it to the correct shape.

Much of the noisy work needs to be done at night, when the temperatures are cooler, and we apologise in advance for the disruption this may cause.

How this affects you:

There will be noise from heavy machinery, bright lights and vehicles moving around.

Our staff and contractors are mindful of our rail neighbours and will work hard to minimise any disturbance, to get this essential work done as quickly and quietly as possible. However, despite their best efforts, this work may cause you some disturbance and we apologise for the inconvenience.

Upcoming Dates

24/7 works: Saturday 27
December 2025 – Friday 16
January 2026

Find out more

If you have any queries about our work, contact our Community Engagement Team via
**contactus@kiwirail.co.nz or
0800 801 070 ext 43042.**

To receive future work notifications by email, please email us at the above address with your details.

For public transport options and information, visit www.at.govt.nz or call 09 366 6400.



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