



NEWMARKET JUNCTION WORKS

November 2024

Dear neighbour,

Our teams will be carrying out the replacement of essential track infrastructure in the Newmarket triangle over the Christmas network shutdown. This work will take place during day shift only, between Friday 3 January and Thursday 9 January, and again between Sunday 12 January and Tuesday 14 January. The hours of work will be between 6am - 6pm daily.

As this is a large and complex piece of work, it can only be undertaken when there are no passenger trains running.

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

What we are doing:

Teams will be undertaking a full turnout replacement, which allows trains to switch tracks.

The work will involve removing track infrastructure, digging new formations, and then replacing the infrastructure with new assets.

This will be intensive work, involving rail grinding and cutting, digging new formations, welding and then putting into place the new turnout. New holes will also need to be drilled into concrete slabs to replace ageing bolts. Once this has been done, the tamper will then tamp the new ballast into place.

Shifts will be 6am-6pm between Friday 3 January and Thursday 9 January and again between Sunday 12 January and Tuesday 14 January.

How this affects you:

There will be noise from heavy machinery, staff and vehicles moving around. Teams will be accessing the rail corridor via Sarawia Street and Cowie Street, so please be mindful of this when in the area.

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

Day shift: 6am-6pm

Friday 3 January – Thursday 9 January

Sunday 12 January – Tuesday 14 January

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.

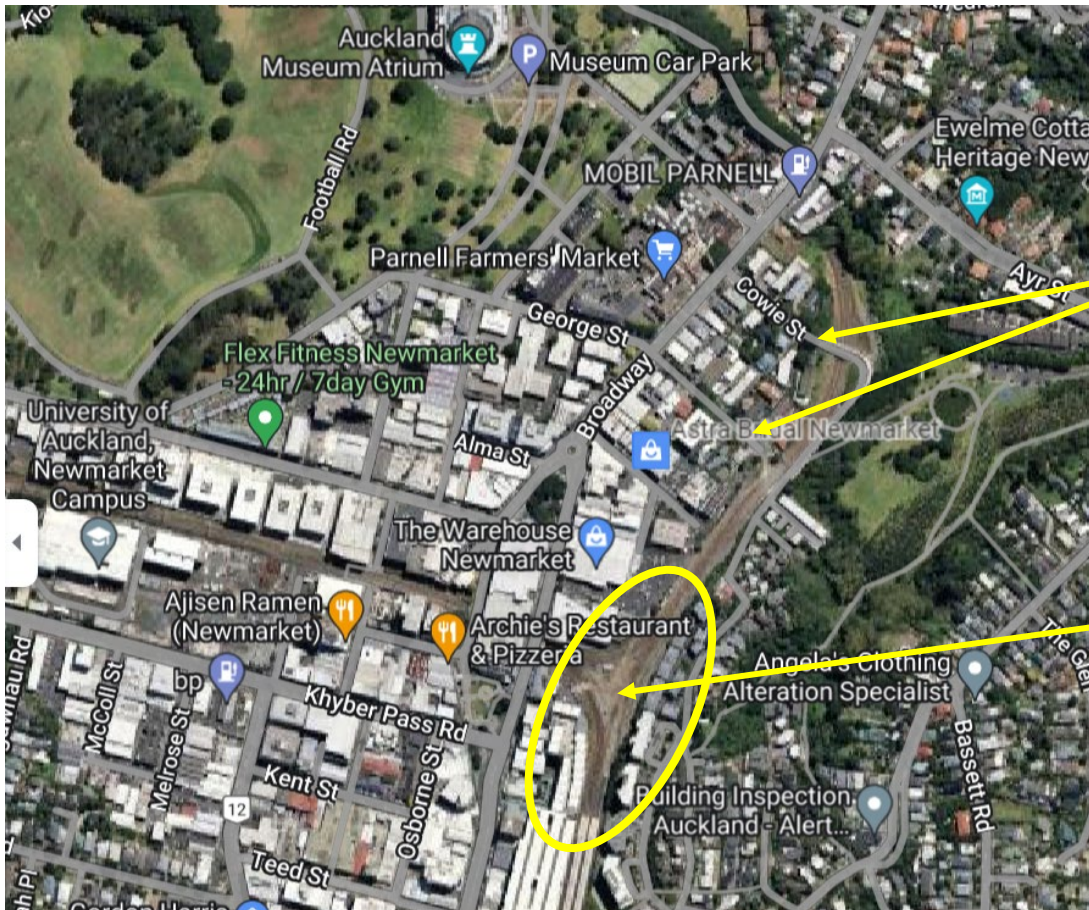


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Worksite:

Large vehicles, including diggers and other heavy machinery will be required to operate during the day and will travel along Sarawia Street and Cowie Street to access the work site. Please be vigilant while entering and exiting your property or using the road.



Worksite access point

Worksite