



# WE'RE BRINGING A SAFER TRAVEL ROUTE TO YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD

FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH YOU A FEW MONTHS BACK, WE'LL SOON BE STARTING CONSTRUCTION ON SEVERAL MAJOR SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS ON COLLEGE ROAD.

This work is part of Whakatāne District Council's Active Whakatāne project which aims to make active modes of travel like walking, cycling and scootering safer and easier for everyone no matter their age or ability.

Starting Monday, 22 May 2023, the following will be underway in your neighbourhood:

- Four new raised courtesy pedestrian crossings, one on Rata Ave and three along College Road for easier access and crossing points
- New wider footpath from Rata Ave to past Edgumbe College
- New kerb and channel along all new footpaths
- Additional stormwater along the length of the project
- New parking layout, creating additional parking spaces from the Pre-school to Edgumbe College
- New entrance ways to all schools

**Weather dependant, the works will take place in three stages between Monday, 22 May and Friday, 29 September 2023.**

Visit [whakatane.govt.nz/activewhakatane](https://whakatane.govt.nz/activewhakatane) for more information or give us a call on 07 306 0500 or you can email [active@whakatane.govt.nz](mailto:active@whakatane.govt.nz)



# Construction will take place in three stages:

## STAGE 1

*Monday, 15 May to Friday, 30 June*

Construction will start at Rata Ave and will go up to the last entrance of Edgcumbe Primary School. This work will include removal of all existing kerbing and footpaths within this section and their reconstruction. All vehicle crossings affected by any changes will also be reconstructed accordingly.

## STAGE 2

*Monday, 3 July – Friday, 29 September*

Construction will start from the end of Stage 1 and will end past the last entrance way to Edgcumbe College. This work will include removal of all existing kerbing and footpaths within this section and their reconstruction. All vehicle crossings affected by any changes will also be reconstructed accordingly.

## STAGE 3

This includes the construction of all entrance and exit ways into all schools as well as all raised pedestrian crossings within College Road. This work is scheduled to take place during the upcoming school holiday.




During construction, College Road will be under traffic management through all stages, with some possible closures to allow safe working conditions for contractors as well as affected residents. Access for residents will be maintained at all times and a school drop off and collection point will be allocated on the school side of College Road and clearly signposted.

**Residents are asked to put their bins out as usual, and contractors will ensure they are emptied. Mail and courier deliveries will not be affected.**



If you have any questions about the physical works or need to report any urgent matters relating to the worksite, please call Ben Wassink at Crossroads Construction on 027 411 1073.

## College Road WORK SITE

-  Work Zone
-  Safety Zone
-  Drop off/pick up and parking zone

