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Subject: Overnight closures extended for SH60 Ruby Bay Bypass road works

Attachments: SH60 Ruby Bay Bypass Safety Barrier extension.pdf

Kia ora,

Good progress is being made on the safety measures on State Highway 60 Ruby Bay Bypass, with 3.6 kilometres of road widened, new drainage installed, 3.7 kilometres of new side barrier and a new right-turn bay at Tasman View Road intersection completed since February.

Contractors have also started installing flexible road safety barriers down the centre of the road on State Highway 60, with three kilometres of median barrier completed.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, more time is needed to complete installation of the remaining barriers, so overnight road closures will remain in place until the end of July, between 7 pm to 5.30 am, Sunday to Thursday. No work will be in place over Friday and Saturday nights, and at Kings Birthday weekend.

We understand that road closures are frustrating and impact your journeys. We apologise for the inconvenience caused from the extension to the overnight closures.

During the overnight closures, **the same detour will be in place**. All vehicles will need to detour via Mapua Drive, Stafford Drive and Aporo Road. People travelling between Motueka and Richmond/Nelson must use this detour while the overnight closures are in place. On the detour route, traffic lights will be in place at a single-lane site at Ruby Bay Cliffs. The overnight detour will add another 10 minutes to journey times.

Residents needing to access Gardner Valley Road or Tasman View Road will need to continue to use Dominion Road or Harley Road. Residents needing access to Stagecoach Road and Chaytor Road must use Seaton Valley Road.

Please see attached for more, and please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

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