

**Kia ora**

The existing wastewater pump station and pipeline on Ireland Road has reached the end of its lifecycle. We're replacing the aging infrastructure to improve the wastewater networks resilience and to reduce wet weather overflows.

Work will start in September and is expected to finish in April 2026.

**What are we doing?**

Our contractors, March Cato, will set up their work site on the grass area near the existing pump station, shown on the map. This area will be securely fenced from the general public for the duration of the project.

We will start by installing the pipeline in the road corridor along Ireland Road. Work will start near 78 Ireland Road and work towards the pump station located at 100 Ireland Road.

To reduce impacts on the community, trenchless construction methods will be used to install most of the pipeline. If existing services are located along the proposed route, we may need to complete a small section of open trenching. We will contact residents with more information if this is necessary.

The existing pump station is located next to the Panmure Basin public toilets on Ireland Road. The pump station upgrade works are expected to begin towards the end of the year. The site will be securely fenced for safety and an approved traffic management plan will be in place to maintain vehicle access to the car parks.

Access to the Panmure Lagoon Sailing Club, the public toilets, the playground, the sheds and the boat ramp will not be impacted.



### How will this affect you?

Our general working hours are **Monday - Saturday, 7:30am-6pm.**

Night works may be required in some locations. We will contact nearby properties closer to the time with confirmed dates and our working hours.

During working hours, general construction noise, large vehicle movements, dust and vibrations is to be expected. We will ensure that our work is kept with our consented limits.

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To keep everyone safe while we work, an approved traffic management plan will be in place along Ireland Road. You will notice temporary changes such as:

- Stop/go systems
- Lane closure
- Reduced speed limits
- Pedestrian detours
- Reduced street parking.

We ask that you follow the directions of traffic management staff and signage.

Please note, your water and wastewater services will not be affected while we complete this essential mahi.

### Benefits of the upgrade

**Reduces the likelihood of pipe blockages which can cause overflows.**



**Fewer wet-weather overflows into the Panmure Basin during wet weather events**



### Contact us

For more information about the project or to sign up for regular updates, visit our website [www.watercare.co.nz](http://www.watercare.co.nz) and search Panmure Basin Wastewater Upgrade or email our project team at [Panmure@water.co.nz](mailto:Panmure@water.co.nz)

For enquiries about our worksite, please contact our contractors Community Liaison Advisor at [Olivia@marchcato.co.nz](mailto:Olivia@marchcato.co.nz)

**Thank you for your patience**

We thank you for your understanding during these essential works. We will ensure measures are in place to minimise any unnecessary disruption while we undertake this mahi.

Ngā mihi nui  
Watercare Services Limited

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