Waiwera Water and Wastewater Servicing Project

Over the past month, we've made great progress on the Waiwera water and wastewater servicing project. Our team successfully completed all potholing investigations to identify existing infrastructure such as electricity, stormwater, and other water and wastewater assets along pipeline route. We also officially began installing the first section of the wastewater and water pipes along the Hibiscus Coast Highway, with 84 metres of pipe already trenched and laid. In addition, land



clearing has been completed at the Waiwera Wastewater Treatment Plant to prepare for the construction of the new wastewater pump station.

To minimise disruption to the community and motorists, we will reinstate the road surface, apply new roadmarkings, and remove all traffic management on Hibiscus Coast Highway and Weranui Road by 18 December 2025, ensuring there are no traffic impacts during the Christmas and New Year break.

What's happening next

Works will resume in early January, with traffic management re-established on 5 January. Trenching works to install water and wastewater pipes will continue along Hibiscus Coast Highway, heading south towards Hatfields Beach. On Weranui Road, trenching will also progress in January to install wastewater pipes near the treatment plant.

Inside the Waiwera Wastewater Treatment Plant, dredging works will begin to remove solids from the ponds, enabling construction of the pump station to progress from April 2026.

Additionally, drilling entry pits for horizontal directional drilling rigs will be established in late January on Hibiscus Coast Highway and Weranui Road. We will provide an update to the community in January with further details of this drilling work.



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Installation of the water and wastewater pipeline via open trench along the Hibiscus Coast Highway.

Waiwera Water and Wastewater upgrades

Fast facts

Water upgrade

Installing 840m of new watermain in Waiwera



Wastewater upgrade

Installing a new 4.6km to carry wastewater from Waiwera to the existing Hatfields Beach Pump Station



New pump station

We'll build a new pump station at the Waiwera Wastewater Treatment Plant site with a current capacity of 15 L/s and room to upgrade to 29 L/s.

Investment

\$40m investment to support the growth of Waiwera and surrounding suburbs in the Hibiscus Bays.

Combined delivery

Bundling water and wastewater upgrades into one project saves money, cuts carbon emissions, and minimises community disruption.













We'd like to thank the community for your patience and support throughout this project.

Pãtai/questions?

If you have any questions or concerns regarding these works, please email: waiwera@water.co.nz For general information on your water or wastewater services please visit: www.watercare.co.nz or telephone 09 442 2222.

For the latest information regarding this project please visit: www.watercare.co.nz/waiwera

