

ASHBURTON DISTRICT COUNCIL ROAD NETWORK MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS NEWSLETTER

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Executive Summary

Tena Koutou Katoa,

I hope you had a lovely Christmas, and I wish you a beautiful new year.

A special thanks goes out once again to the team working through the holidays to ensure that our roads remained safe while we had a chance to catch our breaths.

The new year started off with a first day back safety focus workshop in which we reminded ourselves and our teams of the risks we face while working on the network. We also did a first day back for all plant items used on site, ensured that they have been inspected and deemed safe to use.

Our delivery teams established on site and started work with their respective programmes, digging out failed sections on ARG, finishing off the last of the pre-reseal repairs and upgrading drainage across the network.

Our cyclic teams focussed on a few urgent CRMs before getting back to their routine maintenance program.

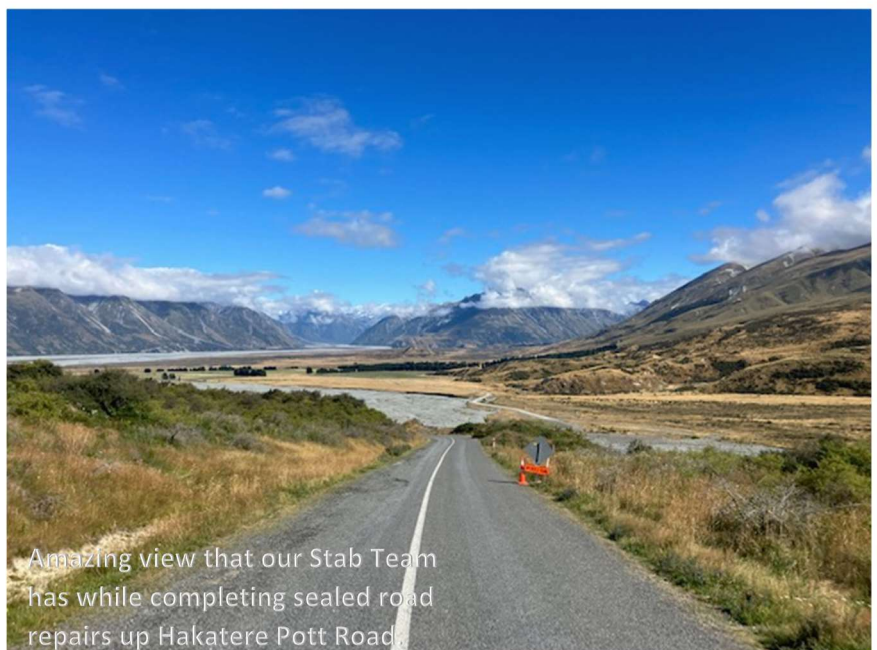
Our trading partners continued to ensure that street cleaning, vegetation control/weed spraying and maintenance is done across the network.

We are making good progress with our unsealed roads rating data survey with 60% completed to date. This data is important to have as this will determine a comprehensive forward works programme for our unsealed roads over winter.

James Faber
Contract Manager – Road Maintenance.

Summary below of key achievements during December:

- 404 potholes filled
- 211 m Edge breaks repaired
- 75 m2 Surface levelling completed
- 516 m2 Digout Repairs
- 895 m2 Cement Stabilisation Repairs
- 546 km of routine grading completed
- 18 m Culverts installed
- 26 New signs installations/replacements completed



Upcoming Planned Works – February 23

Overview

Our Heavy Maintenance Team will continue on Arundel Rakaia Gorge Road, Moorhouse Road and end the month on Ealing Montalto Road, targeting the worst sections on this road to ensure it holding through winter.

Stab team will continue to focus on roads in the high country while we have warm-dry weather, with Ashburton Gorge Road and Hakatere Potts road on the repair radar.

Our Minor works team will focus on drainage works, clearing cattle stops and incoming CRM's.

Cyclic teams will continue to fill potholes, bridge maintenance and repairing signage & railings across the network

Summary of planned works

Sealed Road Repairs –Arundel Rakaia Gorge Road, Ashburton Gorge Road, Hakatere Potts Road and Hakatere Heron Road.

Soakpit installation – Drayton Road, Davidson Street, Smithfield Road and Arrowsmith Drive

Drainage – Highbank Cairnbrae Road, Rakaia River Road, Summerton Road

Bridge Maintenance – 2 x Bridges on Surveyors Road and Stanley Road



Drainage improvements on Rakaia River Road

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