

ASHBURTON DISTRICT COUNCIL ROAD NETWORK MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS NEWSLETTER

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Executive Summary

Tena Koutou Katoa,

April has signalled the approach of winter, as temperatures began to drop and we experience a few fresh mornings. In anticipation of winter, HEB have completed digouts that were deemed urgent on the network, and established monitoring of other sites of interest to ensure no safety concerns.

Our cyclic crews have been busy installing new signs as part of intersection improvements on Thompsons Track and Mayfield Valletta Road. Additionally, the teams have assisted with the installation of new speed limit signage in Lake Hood and Ashburton, as part of a Council project to reduce speeds at locations of concern across the District.

As HEB become more embedded into the network, we have developed forward works programmes focused on improving the efficiency, safety and quality of the network. Our winter programmes consist of rehab works on unsealed roads, watercutting, and drainage improvements.

Our Trading Partners continue to have a strong presence on the network, with line marking completed in the SE quadrant for this season, and a current focus on leaf fall hotspots and sump cleaning underway.

Nga mihi nui

Conrad Mclean

Contract Manager

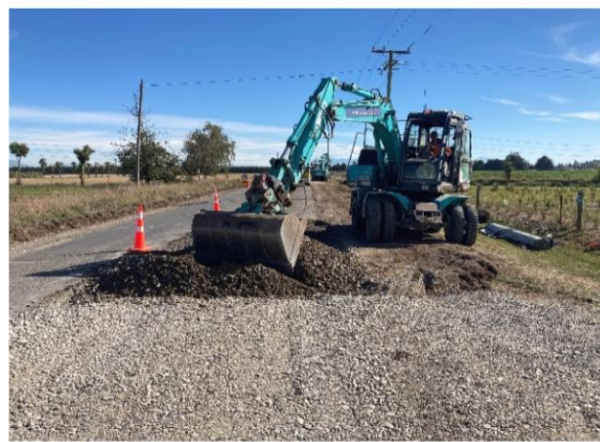


Highlights for the Month

We are pleased to confirm that the Isleworth Road AWPT was successfully completed by a HEB Construction Crew under the guidance of Bevan Abbott and project managed by Southern Supervisor Kenny Dawson. The job involved installing new culvert extensions, accessway construction, shoulder improvements, digout repairs, granular overlay and a two-coat seal.

Brief summary below of what we achieved in April:

- 280 potholes
- 565m edgebreak
- 101 CRMs received with 90 completed and closed out.
- 767km of routine grading
- 55,761m of high shoulder removed



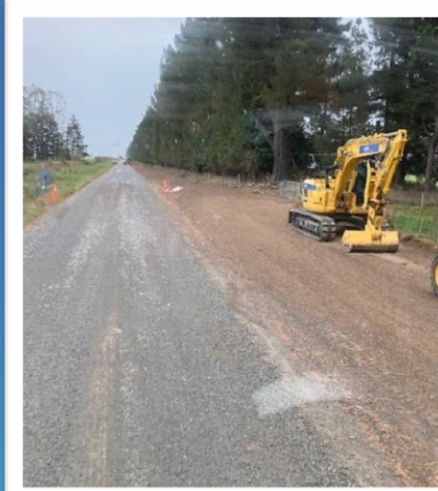
Upcoming Planned Works – May 21

Overview

We have another AWPT on Maronan Road to undertake that consists of shoulder improvements and granular overlay. Weather permitting, the project will be completed by mid-May.

Surveyors Road will be the first Unsealed Rehab Renewal project for the year. This work involves rebuilding and reshaping the road, and will be carried out by our Ashburton Heavy Maintenance Crew.

Our Minor Maintenance Crew will be focusing on cleaning up bridges on ARG Road, where debris and vegetation has built up and needs to be uplifted and removed to improve water drainage and flow.



Rupal Sharma, Northern Supervisor. Pictured here after participating in the Methven Community Board Meeting at the Mt Hutt Memorial Hall

Summary of planned works

Unsealed Rehab Renewals – Surveyors Road and Sheates Road

High Lip Removal – Line Road

Cyclic Team – Routine works and CRMs – New sign installs on Thompsons Track Road.

AWPT | Maronan Road

Speed Limit Signs - Ashburton wide

Bridge Clean-up Works – ARG (Arundel Road)

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