

ASHBURTON DISTRICT COUNCIL ROAD NETWORK MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS NEWSLETTER

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Executive Summary

Tena Koutou Katoa,

The climate experienced during April could be summarised as mild and reasonably dry. This gave us the opportunity to really make an impact on the network with our stab and dig out crew, completing well over 4,500m² of sealed road repairs.

Capitalising on the favourable weather conditions, our cyclic teams focussed on filling open potholes and have the main arterials safe for the long weekends!

Drainage improvement continued with our teams removing high shoulder/lip on various sealed roads and cut outs/flanking on unsealed roads.

Our Trading Partners continue to have a strong presence on the network, with autumn leaf fall, sump cleaning and lichen spraying the hot topics during April.

While under the Covid traffic light restrictions and not able to connect with others in their work bubbles or as one big group for our monthly tailgate, we started a monthly photo competition to share the great work that our teams are doing with their work mates and the wider business.

We also welcomed two new employees into the team as we look to bolster our self-delivering capabilities.

James Faber
Contract Manager – Road Maintenance.

Highlight for the Month

Unsealed Roads Rating

Mayor Neil Brown and Councillor Stuart Wilson visited our stab-team on Ashburton Staveley Road. Mike and his team enjoyed the opportunity to show them stabilising process and plant involved and answered all relating questions. Council approved \$300,000 extra to this year's roading repair programme so that we could focus on roads that needs urgent repairs before winter.



Upcoming Planned Works – May 22

Overview

Our teams will wrap up the 2021/22 financial year's sealed roads program by completing stabs and dig outs that's deemed urgent, then tidy up a few loose ends before shifting their attention to the unsealed road network to complete drainage improvements and renewals.

Our heavy maintenance crew will focus on unsealed road rehabilitations throughout May and June, with additional resources secured from our wider business to increase productivity.



Winning photo in our April photo Comp
Georgie and Ian stoked to work on our
amazing network!!!

Summary of planned works

Sealed Pavement Stabilisation – Moorhouse Road,
Lismore Mayfield Road, Rakaia Barrhill Methven
Road & Thompsons Track

Unsealed Road Rehabilitation – Carneys Road, Tanks
Road & Westerfield School Road

Unsealed Road Maintenance & Flooding Repairs –
Double Hill Run Road

Footpath Repairs – Middle Road, Tancreds Street
West & Mayfield Klondyke Road

High Shoulder Removal – Arundel Rakaia Gorge
Road & Blackford Road

Line Marking – All intersections & Townships



At the end of the rainbow is our
maintenance team working for you!

**Our Team
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Trading Partners



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