



**Temporary
closure on
Walmsley
Road**

Te Ararata Creek Flood Resilience Project



From October 2025 Walmsley Road, between Hall Avenue and McKenzie Drive, will be temporarily closed to vehicular traffic.

To significantly reduce the risk of flooding to the residential properties and roads around Te Ararata Creek, Auckland Council’s Healthy Waters and our contractor HEB will be replacing the Walmsley Road Bridge to increase water flow beneath it.

How will I be affected?

Dates	4 October 2025 – late March 2026
Location	Walmsley Road, between Hall Avenue and McKenzie Road, Māngere
How travel is affected:	• Travel on Walmsley Road, between Hall Avenue and McKenzie Road, will not be possible at any time and on street parking will be removed. • You will still be able to walk and cycle across a temporary bridge. • To keep traffic moving safely, temporary traffic management measures will be installed, including traffic lights, speed bumps, roundabouts, reduced speed and clearing parking on detour routes.
How to get around:	• Vehicles travelling on Walmsley Road to SH20 Northbound on ramp will be detoured via Mahunga Drive and Rimu Road. • Vehicles travelling on Walmsley Road to/from McKenzie Road/Miller Road/Coronation Road intersection have two detour options: – via Hall Avenue, Elmdon Street and Bader Drive, or – via Kirkbride Road, Massey Drive and Savill Drive. • Follow all traffic signs, signals, and directions for safety. • SH20 on and off ramps will remain open. • Check navigation apps for best routes.

Travelling around Māngere

Allow up to 15 minutes of additional journey time during the weekday peak hour, depending upon traffic conditions.

If you live or work on a detour route, you can expect increased traffic and noise.

Bus services 309 and 309x will also follow detours. Please visit the AT mobile app to see if your stop is closed or bus detoured and the nearest alternative stops.

We know these changes are disruptive. We will try to minimise the impact on the community and keep traffic flowing as much as possible. Detour routes and surrounding roads will be monitored 24/7, however our experience is that community feedback is the best way to quickly understand and respond to any issues.

If you experience urgent traffic issues, please call 09 301 0101.

Further information

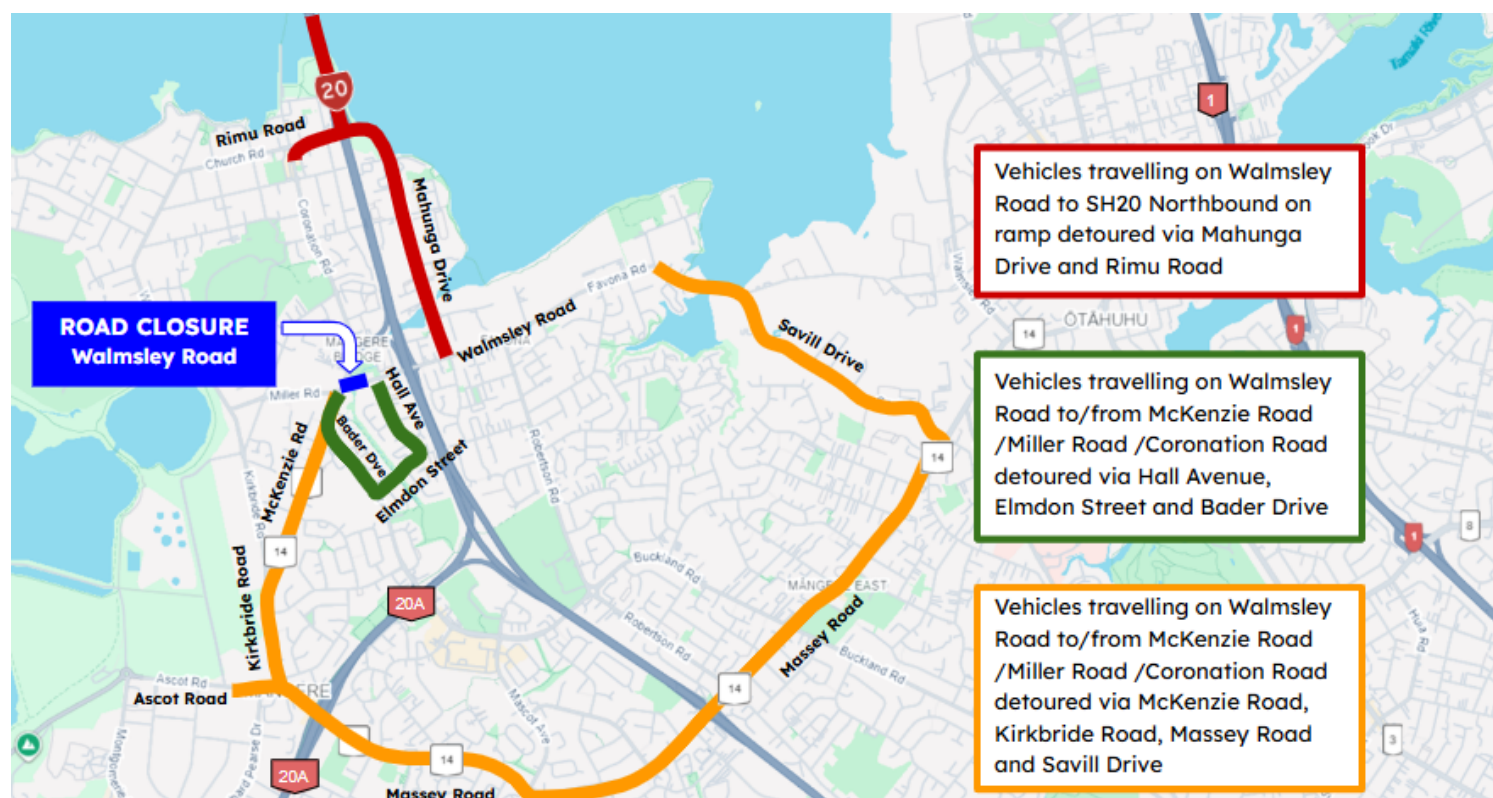
If you would like more information about the traffic diversion or the Te Ararata Creek Flood Resilience project, please contact the project team using the details below or scan the QR code.

Kind regards,

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Detour routes



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