

23 January 2026

Update: final linemarking on Great North Road

Kia ora,

We have had a wet start to the year which has affected progress in the final stage of work on Great North Road. Because of this there's a couple of weeks' work left to complete.

Linemarking

There are about four nights of linemarking to complete along Great North Rd. This is planned for night shifts **Monday 26 January – Thursday 29 January 2026, 8:00pm – 4:00am.**

Linemarking is not particularly noisy work but there will be some noise from vehicle movements and machinery.

High friction surfaces

We have encountered some problems with the high friction surfaces at the approaches to the new signalised crossings. To ensure these surfaces have longevity, they will be re-laid. We will remove the high friction surface and apply a new layer. This is planned for night shifts **Tuesday 27 January – Thursday 29 January 2026, and Monday 2 February – Thursday 5 February 8:00pm – 4:00am.**

There will be some noise while the existing layer is removed. We aim to complete noisiest work by 10:30pm each night. Placing the new surface is not particularly noisy and will be done in the later part of the night.

Over the next few nights, a sweeper truck will remove the excess high friction material on the road and cycleway.

Traffic management during night works

Great North Road will be reduced to one lane of traffic in each direction during night works. Side roads will be closed progressively to install the green paint and reopened once the paint dries. Vehicles may need to access side streets from the next open intersection.

All the remaining work is weather dependent and can only be completed when the road is dry.

Contact Us

If you have any queries or concerns about this project, please contact AT: **Email** info@at.govt.nz (Great North Road improvements project) or **phone:** 09 355 3553

If you have any queries related to the **above work**, please contact our Stakeholder Liaison Manager: Sally.Logan@jfc ltd.co.nz or **phone:** 021 420 794

Thank you for your understanding and co-operation whilst we carry out this work.

Ngā mihi,

The Great North Road Improvements Project Team