Roads of national significance

1 MacKays to Peka Peka Expressway

Paraparaumu town centre – The details of what we are proposing

**Considerations**

- A connection to the developing town centre at Paraparaumu, and the growing business and commercial activities in and near Paraparaumu Airport, provides for regional growth opportunities.
- Supports KCDC’s aspirations and its emerging plans for the development of Paraparaumu town centre.
- Requires additional property outside the Western Link Road designation.
- Requires flood storage which can also be an ecological wetland benefit.
- All east-west connections to be retained.

**Description**

- The expressway would cross* Raumati Road, and then sweep eastwards out of the existing designated corridor to shift the road away from residential areas.
- A full interchange would be located at Paraparaumu town centre, most likely on Kāpiti Road (see Poster 7). Kāpiti Road would cross the expressway.
- Upgrading options for Kāpiti Road are being examined with Kāpiti Coast District Council (KCDC).
- Between Kāpiti Road and Otaihanga Road, the expressway would follow the existing Western Link Road designations, crossing* Mazengarb Road.
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We also considered an alignment more closely along the Western Link Road designation but the opportunity to take the route away from more houses outweighed following the designated alignment.

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