Pepe Stream Bridge Replacement

We're working through replacement bridge options

The Pepe Stream Bridge in Tairua was built in 1942 and needs to be replaced in the near future. We're investigating options for replacement and working through a business case at the moment.

What to expect during this process?

Firstly, we need to consider and test the options for a bridge replacement. This is done through a Single Stage Business Case (SSBC).

A part of this work includes meeting key stakeholders, including local council, road advocacy groups and iwi. Engagement with these groups will help us determine a preferred option.

What's next?

Once we have completed the business case, we aim to have a preferred option for replacement which will be shared with the community.

This is an important chance for you to help us refine our proposals, ensuring we understand what's important to you as locals and frequent users of the bridge.

You can expect to hear more from us about our proposals and how to get involved soon. In the meantime, you're welcome to talk to us about any specific issues or questions you have.

When can we expect to see a new bridge?

Once a preferred option is known, additional funding will have to be approved before we can move into the design and then construction phases. We are committed to keeping the community well informed as we make progress.





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