

1 Managing construction effects

How we mitigate construction impacts on people and the environment.

Managing noise and dust

Construction near homes may generate noise and dust. We'll take steps to reduce these impacts:

- Water spraying on-site and access roads to control dust.
- Washing truck wheels and covering loads.
- Stabilising exposed areas with rolling, mulch or planting.
- Careful management of equipment, work zones and traffic.
- Controlled work hours with clear start-up and shut-down procedures.
- Keeping property owners informed.

A Construction Environmental Management Plan will guide how we manage these activities. It includes monitoring, review processes and corrective actions to ensure impacts are minimised.

Erosion and sediment control

Before construction begins, we'll install devices to capture sediment runoff and prevent it from reaching streams or rivers.

We'll use stabilisation methods such as mulching, planting, and compacting to reduce sedimentation during earthworks.

Maintaining community connections

Roadworks may cause some disruption to travel. We're committed to minimising delays through effective traffic management.

Where possible, we'll aim to reduce disruption during peak travel times, including school runs.

While we strive to keep traffic delays to a minimum, some impacts may be unavoidable. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

