

Cambridge to Piarere is part of a nationally strategic transport corridor for New Zealand, connecting the Auckland region to the Waikato and Bay of Plenty, and linking to the central and southern North Island.

SH1 Cambridge to Piarere, a Road of National Significance, is a 16km long, 4-lane expressway extending from the southern end of the Waikato Expressway to the intersection of SH1 and SH29 at Piarere.



## Timeline

ongoing	2021	May 2022	May-July 2024	December 2024
Engagement with mana whenua, landowners and key groups	Project approved	Preferred alignment shared with landowners	Consenting documents prepared	Consent applications and Notices of Requirement lodged
September 2025	ongoing	Early 2026*	Late 2026/early 2027*	
Decisions on consents and Notices of Requirement made	Geotechnical investigation, tender design and funding progressed	Early works to begin	Start of construction	
● Completed	● Underway	● Not started		

\* subject to a range of supporting activities being completed, including the confirmation of construction funding availability. Construction is expected to take 5 to 6 years.