

# Christchurch Northern Corridor

29 January 2019

## PRESTONS ROAD OPEN TO TWO-WAY TRAFFIC

From **today/Tuesday afternoon 29 January** two-way traffic on Prestons Road will be managed with temporary traffic lights. These lights are on a timer and also vehicle activated. Please allow a few minutes extra time for your travel in this area.

### Traffic Impact

Prestons Road will be open to two-way traffic, the diversion for eastbound traffic is no longer in place. For around 18 months from today two-way traffic on Prestons Road will be managed with temporary traffic lights. A footpath will be available. Cyclists will have to merge or dismount and use the footpath.

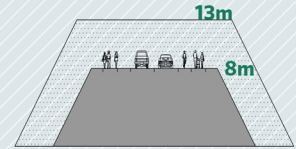
Please note the QEII Drive/Grimseys Road intersection will close for final construction in mid-February.

### What are we doing?

In mid-January we started the construction of the Prestons Road bridge abutments and the motorway where it crosses over Prestons Road.

To ensure the final pavement of the motorway is on sturdy ground we will be bringing in an extra layer (surcharge) of gravel. The surcharge layer will need to settle for several months to allow for consolidation.

Thank you for your ongoing patience and cooperation while we build the Prestons Road bridge.



The bridge abutments will be 13m high during surcharge period, the finished level of the Prestons Road bridge will be 8m.



Artist's impression of Prestons Road Bridge.



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