State Highway 23

Hamilton to Raglan - Safety Improvements

WHAT WE ARE PROPOSING TO MAKE THE ROAD TO RAGLAN SAFER

We want to improve the safety features on the road and roadside on SH23 between Hamilton and Raglan.

We have divided the road into three sections to review and would like to hear what you think about our proposals.

Between Hamilton and Highbrook Way (Section 1)

- install side safety barriers in high-risk areas to stop vehicles running off the road
- widen the centrelines in areas to reduce head-on crashes
- look for opportunities to make the road safer for motorcycles
- review speed management
- minor intersection improvements.

Between Highbrook Way and Waitetuna (Section 2)

- we're analysing this section of the highway to see what safety improvements are appropriate
- we're also reviewing speed management on the route.

Between Waitetuna and Raglan (Section 3)

- shoulder widening at high-risk locations
- improved signage
- look for opportunities to make the road safer for motorcycles
- install side safety barriers in high-risk areas to stop vehicles running off the road
- minor intersection improvements.



How will these works improve safety?

These safety features would prevent about 25 deaths and serious injuries over the next decade.



We'd like to hear what you think about the proposals

Your views are important and will help us to design the most effective improvements for this road. After all, as regular users of the road you know its challenges and understand how any safety improvements could benefit our communities.

Talk to one of the team today or fill in a feedback form.



