

KARAPIRO DEVELOPMENT WORKS UPDATE October 08

As you may have seen, significant progress has been made on a number of projects at Karapiro Domain!

Roading works

Asphalt seal has now been laid throughout the new entrance, completing this present stage of road works within the Domain. There are still some minor items to complete such as security barrier arms and fencing.

Maungatautari Rd upgrade

Maungatautari Rd will be upgraded before Christmas. This will involve widening the road from Hydro Rd south for approximately 1.0 km and also improving the Judd Lane entrance to the Domain and create a turning area for buses. This work will be tendered shortly and is expected to start late October.

Rowing High Performance Centre

Progress on the High Performance Centre continues at quite a pace with precast wall units in place and some of the internal steelwork starting to take place. The footprint of the building is now quite distinguishable.

Toilet blocks

Tenders have closed for the three new toilet blocks and the successful contractor will be selected shortly. It is expected work will begin early October. The embankment toilets are to be upgraded initially and will be serviceable by the Christmas Break.

Grass reinstatement

Contractors are now onsite, carrying out grass reinstatement on various areas of the site that were disturbed during the road construction, and the filling in of the upper campground drain. We have had to be patient while this area dried out but with warming ground temperatures and a little spring rain this area should start to green up very shortly.

Relocation of the maintenance shed

The large pines and some eucalypts have been felled near the entrance to the Karapiro Power Boat Club site. This is in readiness for the relocation of the maintenance shed towards the end of October.

Community and Events Centre

Chibnall Swann are developing the floor plans for the Community Centre. These plans will be circulated amongst the major users to gain feedback before detailed plans are developed.