

Stafford Drive current closure due to slip

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Hi all

This is just an update to bring you (TACA and MDCA) up to speed with how things are currently looking with the Stafford Drive slip road closure. Please pass this on to your contacts as necessary.

We have had a geotechnical specialist inspect the site last week and are awaiting their report and expert advice before deciding on a course of action. Safety, costs and future liabilities are important factors that will need to be weighed up. Please note the Geotech people are extremely busy and having to prioritise efforts across a number of critical slip areas, so it may be a couple of weeks before we have a report on the Stafford Drive site.

Any decision to keep the road closed permanently would be a significant decision and would need to be accompanied by consultation with the community, so if that is a possible course of action, there will be an opportunity for people to have their say.

We appreciate the community's patience while we deal with the immediate and ongoing effects of the August storm event.

Best regards

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