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Kia ora,

OLDHAM CREEK – STREAMBANK REPAIRS

During the August 2022 weather event some of Nelson's rivers and streams suffered stream bank or stream bed erosion, and/or were inundated with flood debris. We need to remediate some of these areas to reduce the chance of the river flooding again and further damaging Council assets and/or private property.

There has been damage to the left and right banks of Oldham Creek which must be remediated. Due to the stream banks being compromised, future flooding poses a risk to private property; therefore, this has become high priority work. Nelmac/Kūmānu Environmental has been contracted by Nelson City Council (NCC) to repair and extend both sides of the rock wall in Oldham Creek downstream of Naumai Street. The sewer crossing downstream of this site will also be improved.

We are planning to begin repairs on Monday 20 May 2024. The work will take around 2 weeks to complete (weather dependent).

The approximate area of repair is shown in Figure 1 below.



Figure 1: Taken from Top of the South Maps.

If you have any questions or queries in relation to this work, please feel free to contact either me, by phone on 022 0264691 or by email on rebecca.thiessen@ncc.govt.nz, or Marc Jary by phone on 027 3886077 or by email on mjary@nelmac.co.nz.

There may be some noise associated with this work, so we apologise for any inconvenience that this may cause.

We appreciate your patience while this work is completed.

Yours sincerely,

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