What are the benefits of the Underground Asset Register (UAR)?

The Underground Asset Register is a specially designed web application to support contractors, designers, utility asset owners and local authorities working safely and effectively underground. It provides multiple asset datasets on one simple map, available 24/7. It also enables contractors to create a record of any findings, enabling them to report wrongly recorded objects or ground conditions to asset owners.

This allows:

- Designers to understand their site in detail
- Contractors to check for the presence of utilities and notify the local authority and owners when they find something unexpected
- Local authorities to monitor excavation feedback and uploading of as-built data by Utilities
- Utility asset owners to manage and maintain their networks in response to feedback from designers and contractors

This provides many benefits, including:

- **Site workers** will benefit from improved asset records over time reducing the risk of dangerous service strikes – improving safety when excavating
- **Local communities** will benefit from reduced delays and disruption from unexpected asset strikes
- **Iwi/Guardians** can indicate sensitive areas and taonga for protection
- **The environment** will benefit from reduced greenhouse gas emissions from more effective site work and reduced rework
- **The economy** will benefit from cost savings in excavating and reduced delays

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