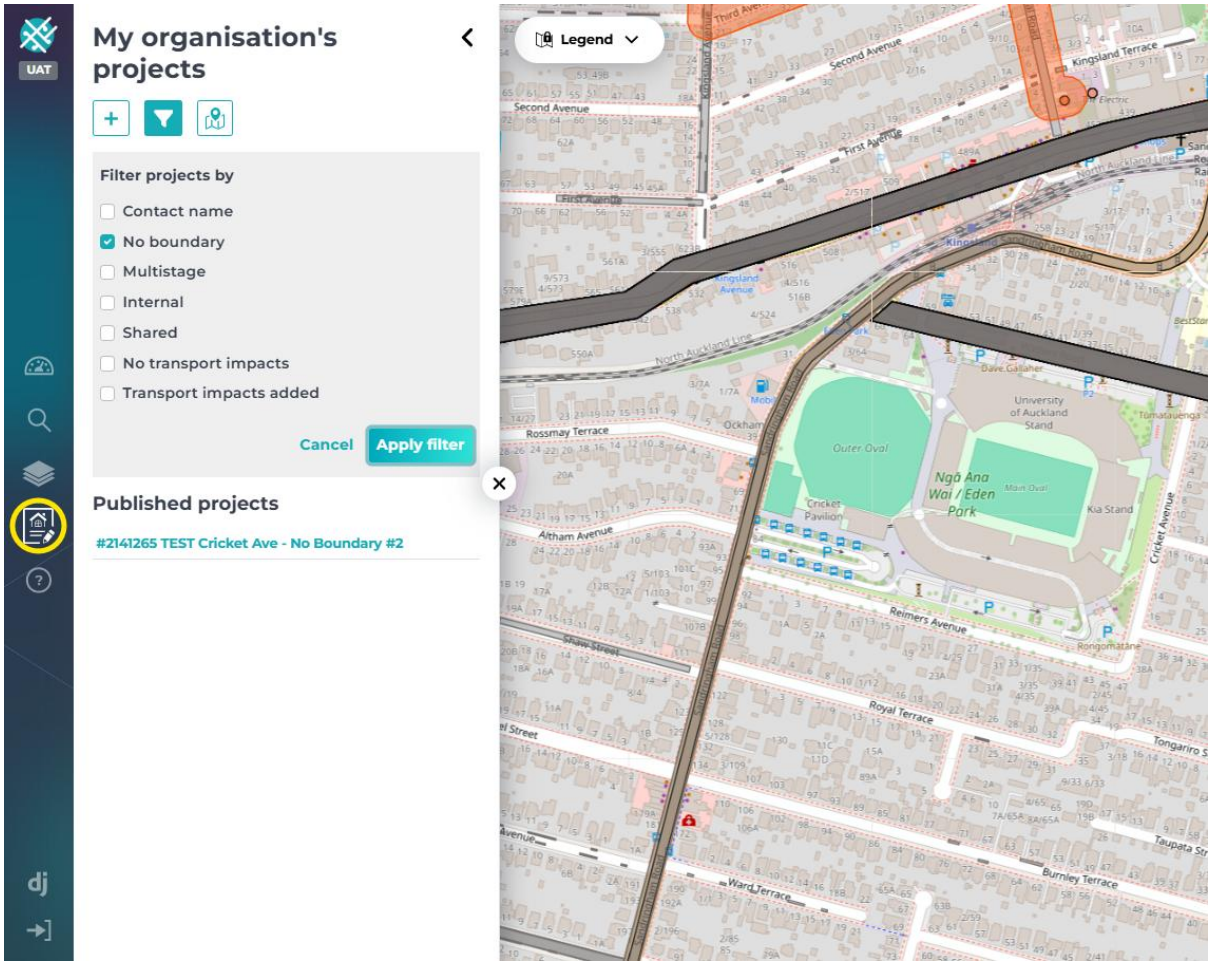
Drawing a Project Boundary

Organisations sometimes supply us with project data in a format which does not contain geospatial information. We can still load this project data into the Forward Works Viewer, but the projects will not show on the map because there is no geospatial component to show.

In these situations, organisations can add the project boundary on the map within the FWV itself. For example, if you supply us with an excel spreadsheet of your projects, we can upload this sheet, and you can then find your project in the FWV and draw the project boundary on the map. Once the project boundary has been added to your project, it will be able to detect clashes and opportunities with other projects.

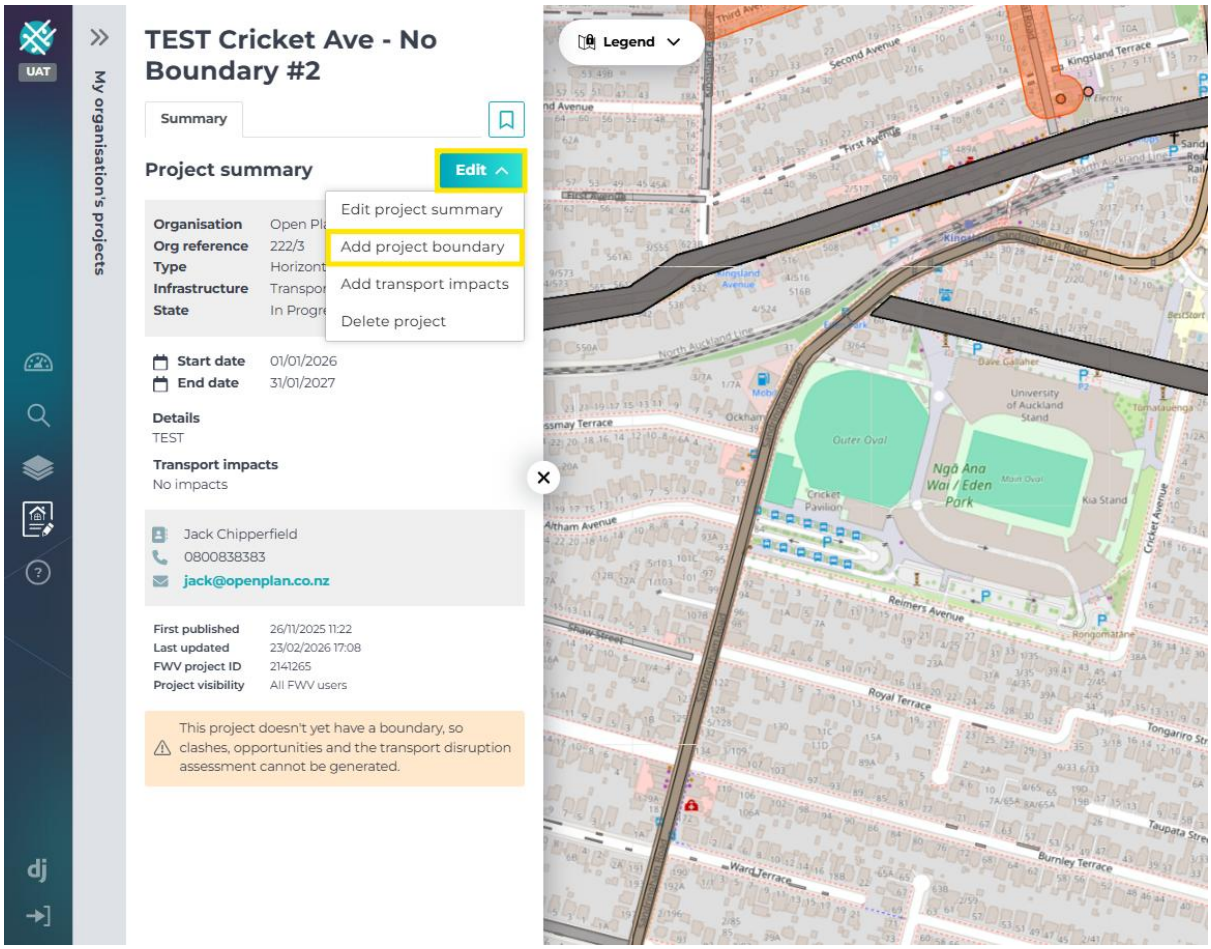
How do I find my projects which don't have a project boundary?

To find your projects in the FWV, click on the My Organisation's Projects icon in the sidebar menu. Here you can see a list of all projects in the FWV which belong to your organisation. Click the filter icon, filter projects by 'No boundary', and apply the filter. This will present you a list of all projects belonging to your organisation which do not have a project boundary.



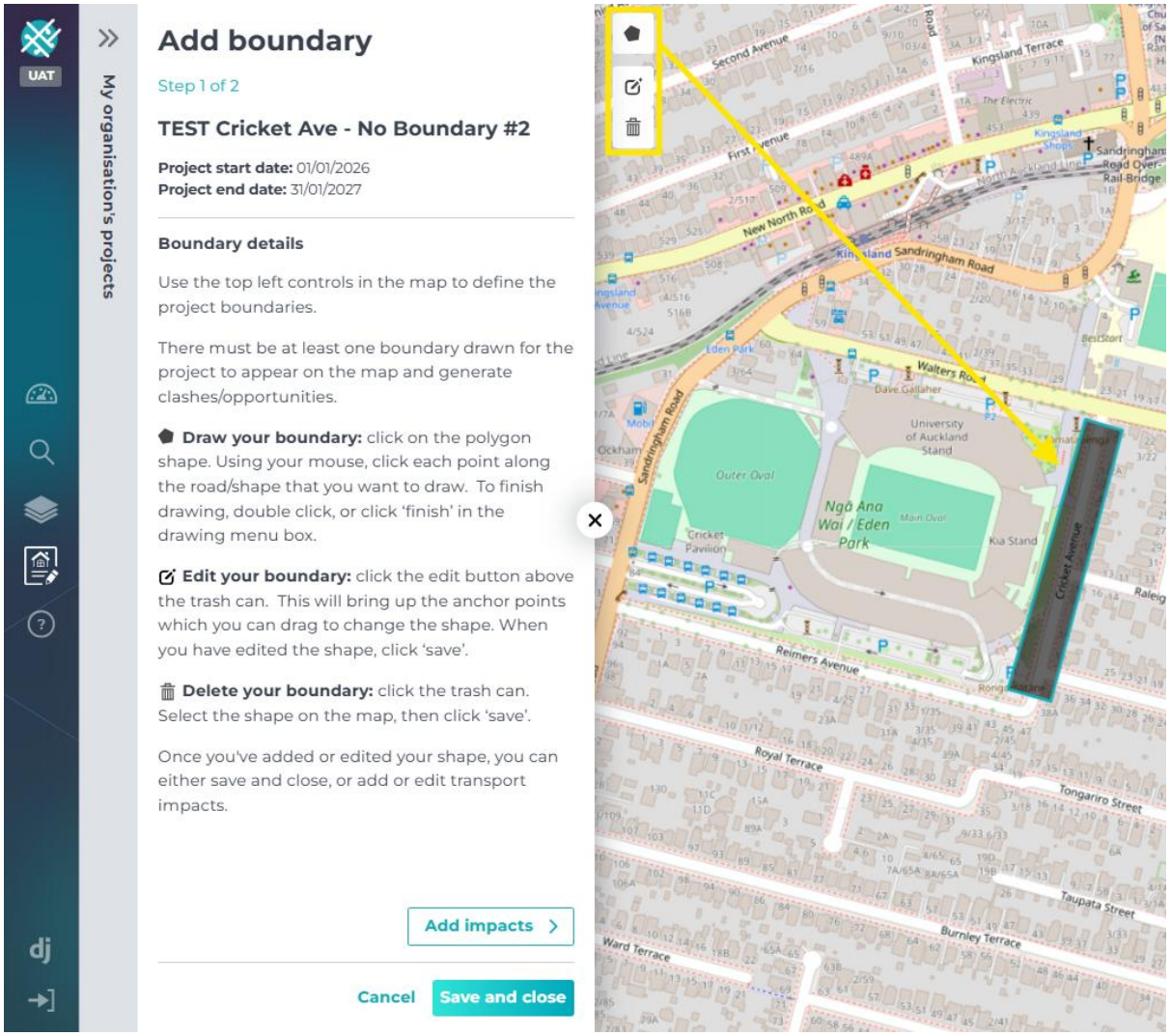
How do I add a project boundary to my project?

To add a boundary to your project, first click on the project in your filtered list to open the project summary page. Then, click on the 'Edit' button in the project summary page. This will provide you with multiple edit options, including 'Add project boundary'.



Click on 'Add project boundary'. This will provide you with drawing tools in the top left corner of the map to define your boundary:

- Select the polygon drawing tool icon.
- Click on the map to define the points of your project boundary.
- Either double click to define the last point of your project boundary or click on the first point again to close your boundary.

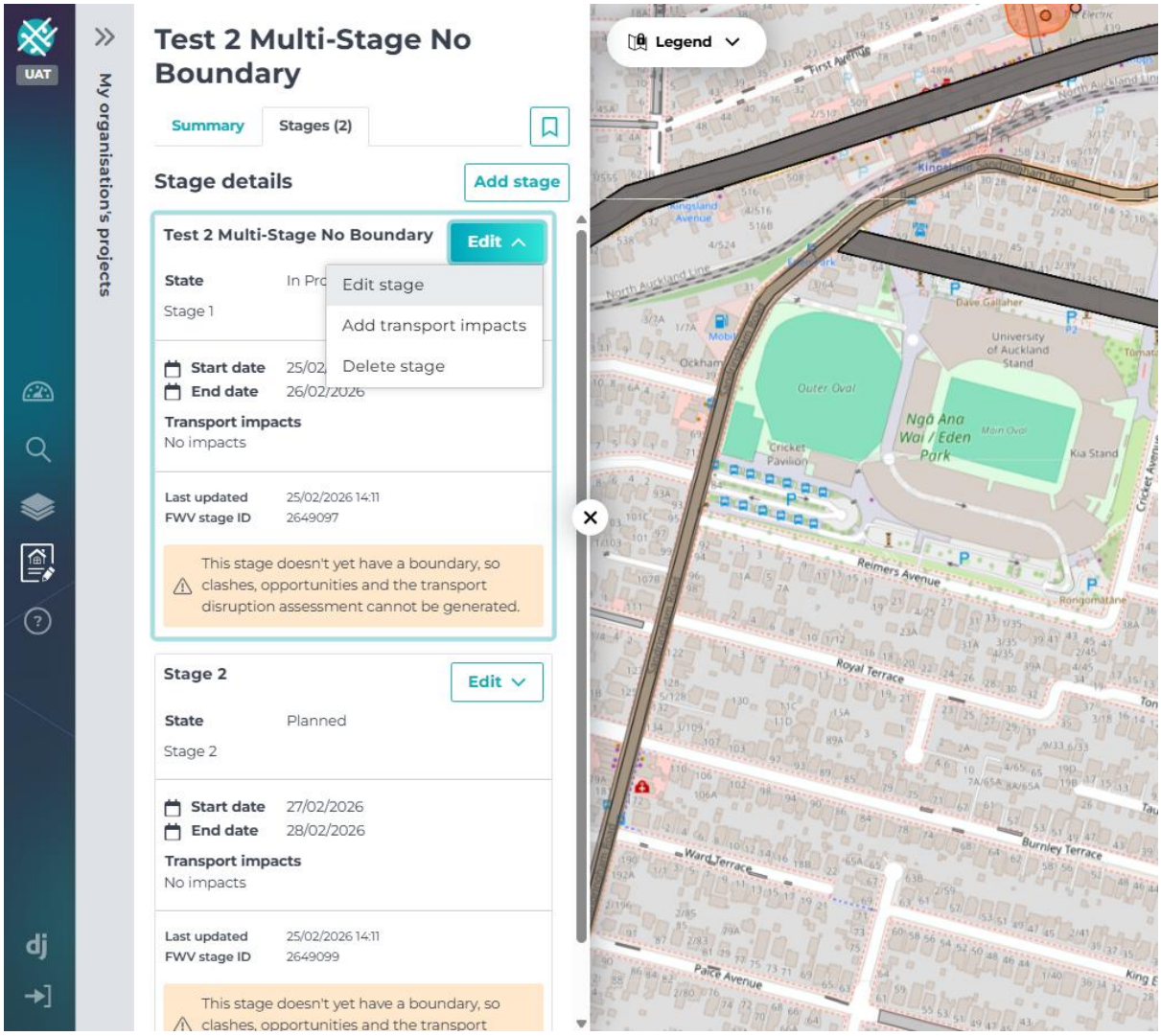


Once you have added a project boundary, you can either add transport impacts using the 'Add Impacts' button, or 'Save and close' the project. Your project will appear on the map and will now begin to detect clashes and opportunities.

What if my project is a multi-stage project?

To add a boundary to a multi-stage project, navigate to the 'stages' tab on the project summary page. Click the 'Edit' button on the stage you wish to add a boundary to, and select 'Edit stage' from the drop-down list.

This will provide you with drawing tools in the top left corner of the map to define your boundary. Once you have added a project boundary, you can either add transport impacts using the 'Add Impacts' button, or 'Save and close' the stage.



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