Transport for NSW

Upcoming work on Maitland Road, Hexham

Hexham Straight Widening

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Transport for NSW acknowledges the Awabakal people as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pay respects to Elders past and present.

The Australian and NSW Governments are investing in the upgrade of the section of Maitland Road known as Hexham Straight, between Newcastle Inner City Bypass and Hexham Bridge

Transport for NSW will be completing out of hours work in June for the safety of motorists and workers and to ensure work is carried out as efficiently as possible.

What work are we doing?

Work includes:

- Installation of barriers and line-marking
- Removal and building new road pavements, including asphalting
- Concrete road slab repairs
- Stormwater and pavement investigations
- Traffic signal work
- Bridge work.

When and where we'll be working?

We'll be working on the Maitland Road between the Newcastle Inner City Bypass and the Oak Precinct from **Saturday 1 June** to **Sunday 30 June**.

Normal working hours are between **7am** and **6pm** on **weekdays** and **8am** and **1pm** on **Saturdays**.

Out of hours work will happen at **night** between **7pm** and **7am** from **Sunday** to **Thursday**, weather permitting.

What will this mean for you?

You may notice:

- Workers and vehicles
- Lane closures and traffic control
- A temporary 40 km/h reduced speed limit during some activities
- A temporary reduced speed limit of 60km/h will remain in place through the work zone for the safety of motorists and workers.
- Contra-flow arrangements will be in place during road slab repair and asphalt works. Motorists are advised to use alternative routes where possible or allow extra travel time with up to 15-minutes delay.
- Noise from machinery and equipment.

Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs.

Managing our impacts

The night work will involve the use of machinery which generates noise.

We will make every effort to minimise noise by completing noisier activities earlier in the night and turning off machinery and vehicles when not in use.

Directly affected residents will be contacted and advised of the likely impact and what we are doing to minimise disruption during the work.



Our night work schedule (weather permitting)

| Activity | Duration |
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| Traffic signal work, including barrier and line-marking adjustments at the intersections of Maitland Road and Newcastle Inner City Bypass and Old Maitland Road | 15 nights |
| Road crossings for the traffic control signals between Newcastle Inner City Bypass and Old Maitland Road at Hexham | 6 nights |
| Removal of traffic islands, pavement construction and asphalting in the medians and at the intersections of Maitland Road and Newcastle Inner City Bypass and Old Maitland Road | 15 nights |
| Pavement investigation, removal of concrete medians and reconstruction of pavements between Newcastle Inner City Bypass and Shamrock Street | 15 nights |
| Asphalting works between the Newcastle Inner City Bypass and the Oak Precinct | 21 nights |
| Service investigation between Newcastle Inner City Bypass and Sandgate Cemetery | 5 nights |
| Stormwater works at Old Maitland Road, Sandgate | 5 nights |
| Concrete slab road repairs from Hexham Station to the Oak Precinct | 10 nights |
| Overhead utility adjustments and outages between Newcastle Inner City Bypass and The Oak Precinct | 5 nights |
| Changes to the traffic arrangements including line mark removal and replacement, barrier adjustments and traffic signal work between Old Maitland Road (east) to Old Maitland Road (west) | 5 nights |
| Removal of existing traffic control signals infrastructure at Hexham railway station | 2 nights |
| Bridgework at Ironbark Creek | Up to 10 early mornings |
| Delivery of plant, equipment and materials between Newcastle Inner City Bypass and the Oak Precinct | As required |
| Vegetation and road maintenance work | As required |

Contact us



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