

May 2018

Night intersection work - Hume Highway and Homebush Road, Strathfield, from Friday, 4 May

The NSW Government is funding these improvements as part of its \$300 million Urban Roads Pinch Points Program, which aims to reduce congestion and improve travel time on Sydney's busiest corridors.

Roads and Maritime invited feedback in November 2017 about the improvements to the intersection of the Hume Highway and Homebush Road.

We received comments from 50 people including one petition signed by 30 people. Two people supported the proposal, three supported the proposal with conditions, 42 opposed the proposal (including individuals who signed a petition) and three did not state a preference. Key matters raised included:

- increased traffic congestion in the area
- increased risk to safety of motorists, pedestrians and school children
- impacts to local business, parking and vehicle access on Homebush Road
- speeding on Homebush Road
- road surface on Liverpool Road
- traffic light phasing.

After considering all responses, along with the proposal's aims and design requirements, we have decided to proceed with the improvements with minor changes. We will be:

- extending the right turn lane by about 120 metres westbound on Hume Highway
- retaining eight parking spaces on the western side of Homebush Road between the Hume Highway and High Street, during the morning peak period from 8am to 10am; and
- retaining 12 parking spaces on the eastern side of Homebush Road between the Hume Highway and High Street during the afternoon peak period from 4pm to 6pm.
- repainting road marking and installing signage.

We have included a map showing the location of work.

We have summarised the feedback and our responses to it in a community consultation report, which is available on our website rms.nsw.gov.au/pinchpoints

We thank everyone for considering the proposal and for their feedback.

Our work schedule

We will be on site to deliver the improvements for a total of **10 nights shifts** between **Friday**, **4 May** and **Friday**, **29 June**, weather permitting. Our work hours will be from **8pm** to **5am**, between **Sundays** and **Fridays**. We will not be working public holidays.

How will the work affect you?

Our work may be noisy at times but we will do everything we can to minimise its impact, including completing the noisier night work activities by midnight.

We will arrange the work so local residents and road users will not be affected for more than two consecutive nights, or for more than six nights in a month.

Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic changes during our shift hours to ensure the work zone is safe.

Street parking around the work zone will be temporarily unavailable during shift hours. We will also be parking vehicles on nearby side streets before and after shifts, which will affect available street parking in this period.

Lane closures will be in place and may affect travel times. Please keep to speed limits and follow signs and traffic controllers' directions. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

Contact

If you have any questions, please contact our delivery partner, Ventia Boral Amey Joint Venture, on 1800 677 700 or nswenquiries@vbajv.com.au.

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