

Out of hours work on Martin Bridge, Taree from Sunday 15 November

The NSW Government is investing in essential maintenance to preserve the structural integrity of Martin Bridge and to reduce future maintenance costs.

Transport for NSW and construction partner, Eptec, started maintenance work on Martin Bridge in May 2020.

What are we doing?

We will be carrying out limited night work as part of the repainting work. Work is required outside normal project hours for the safety of workers and road users, and to minimise traffic delays.

The night work program will include five nights of work per month with three weeks of respite to minimise impact to you. This night work program will help to accelerate the delivery of the project.

Traffic on the bridge will be reduced to one lane during the work. Access to and from Taree would be maintained throughout the work with no detours required.

We will be working from **Sunday 15 November** for **five nights** between **7pm** and **5am**, weather permitting. This initial night work will include installation of scaffolding and preparation for steel repairs.

How will the work affect you?

The work will involve the use of machinery which generates some noise. We will be using cordless power tools, manual tools, portable generators, lighting towers and work trucks during the work.

We will carry out the noisiest work before 11pm and make every effort to minimise noise when possible throughout each shift including installing noise blankets and switching machinery off when not in use. We will also be using work methods which reduce noise as much as possible.

Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe. Lane closures and a reduced 40km/h speed limit will be in place. Travel times may be affected.

Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs. 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 or feedback about this work, please contact our contractor, Jeff Morris on 0450 488 955.

Thank you for your patience during this important work