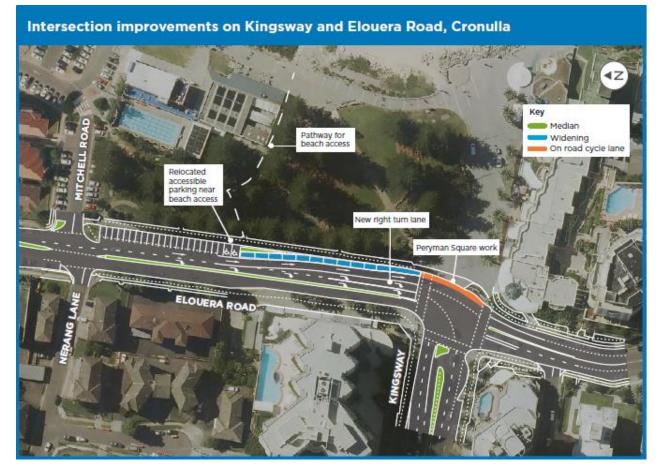


Intersection improvements on Kingsway and Elouera Road, Cronulla

Community engagement summary

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The NSW Government is delivering this project as part of its program to ease congestion and improve travel times on Sydney's busiest corridors.

Roads and Maritime Services is upgrading the intersection of Elouera Road and Kingsway, Cronulla. Elouera Road will be widened to create an additional right-turn lane onto Kingsway, allowing for better traffic flow and reducing congestion in the through lane onto Gerrale Street.

The widening involves converting existing parking spaces from rear-to-kerb to parallel, with a net loss of 15 spaces. The work also involves relocating existing garden beds on Peryman Square, which are maintained by Sutherland Shire Council.

Community engagement

In November 2018, Roads and Maritime called for public feedback on options to offset the reduction in parking spaces and for preferred plantings in the re-established garden beds. The engagement period closed on 17 December 2018. There were 29 votes in support of one or more parking offset options and eight submissions expressing preferred options for Peryman Square garden bed plantings. No submissions commented on our proposed accelerated work schedule.

The project post on the Roads and Maritime Facebook page achieved an audience reach of 32,000. It attracted 189 comments and 269 reactions, ranging from positive to negative.

Engagement outcomes

The most popular option to replace parking lost on Elouera Road was Option B. This would change untimed parking on Mitchell Road to four hour timed parking. Roads and Maritime will support parking this option in discussions with Sutherland Shire Council, which is responsible for local parking spaces.

There was also community support for maintaining the present garden bed plantings in Peryman Square. Those findings will inform our discussions with the Council.

There were no comments submitted about the proposed work schedule. We will work up to five nights a week at time so complete the project as soon as possible.



You can view and download the project engagement report on the Roads and Maritime website: rms.work/kingswayelouera.

Next steps

Early work was completed in December 2018. Major work is due to start in mid-2019. We will update the community about the timing and duration of work before it begins.



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