

May 2021

Start of work – Safety improvements on the Pacific Highway, Charmhaven from Sunday 16 May

The Australian and NSW Governments are investing in a project to improve safety and reduce the risk of crashes between Moala Parade and Lowana Avenue.

Transport for NSW will carry out the work, which includes:

- Building a U-turn bay south of Jetty Avenue, for motorists wanting to change direction to travel north
- Widening the road to provide right turn bays into Jetty Avenue and Awaba Avenue
- Installing a wide painted central median between Awaba Avenue and Lowana Avenue
- Banning right turn movements in and out of Norah Avenue, Windermere Avenue and Munmorah Avenue. These will be left in and left out only. Access for emergency vehicles will be permitted
- Banning the right turn from the Pacific Highway into Lowana Avenue (the right turn movement from Lowana Avenue onto the Pacific Highway will still be permitted)
- Installing new signage and improving line marking
- Upgrading the street lighting between Moala Parade and Lowana Avenue.

Following further consultation with the Rural Fire Service, the right turn movement into Parkside Drive will be retained. The right turn out of Parkside Drive will still be banned, however emergency vehicles will be permitted.

We will be working **Sunday to Thursday** between **7pm** and **5am** for **one week**, weather permitting. Work will then be carried out **Monday to Friday** between **7am** and **5pm** until the **end of November**, weather permitting. Some additional night work will be required towards the end of the project, however we will notify the community before this work takes place.

How will the work affect you?

The work will involve the use of machinery which generates some noise. We will make every effort to minimise noise by arranging the work in stages, completing noisier activities earlier in the night and turning off machinery and vehicles when not in use.

Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe. Shoulder closures and a 40km/h speed limit will be in place for the duration of the project and may affect travel times. Lane closures will be in place during night work.

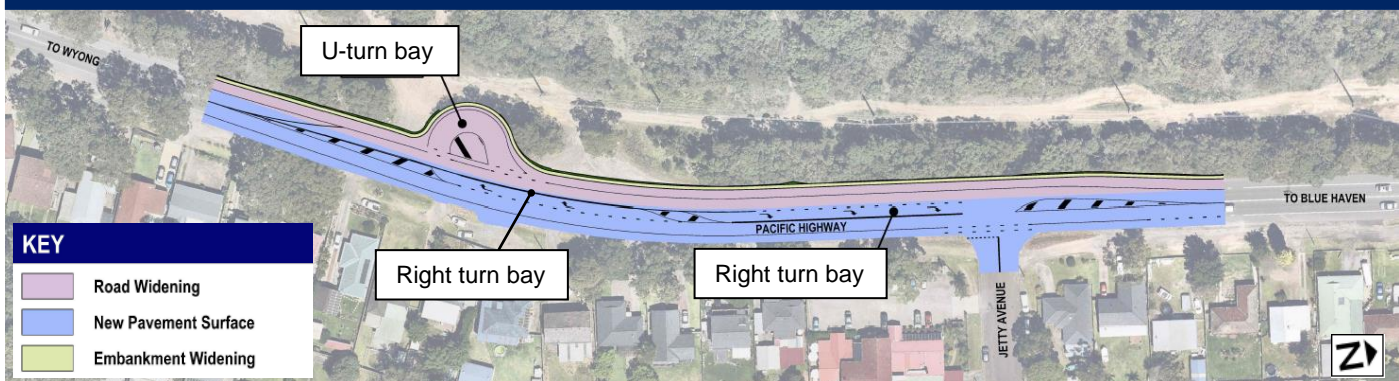
Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

Contact

If you have any questions, please contact our Project Delivery Manager, Taresh Chopra on 02 4222 3209 or taresh.chopra@transport.nsw.gov.au.

For more information on our projects, visit roads-maritime.transport.nsw.gov.au. Thank you for your patience during this important work.

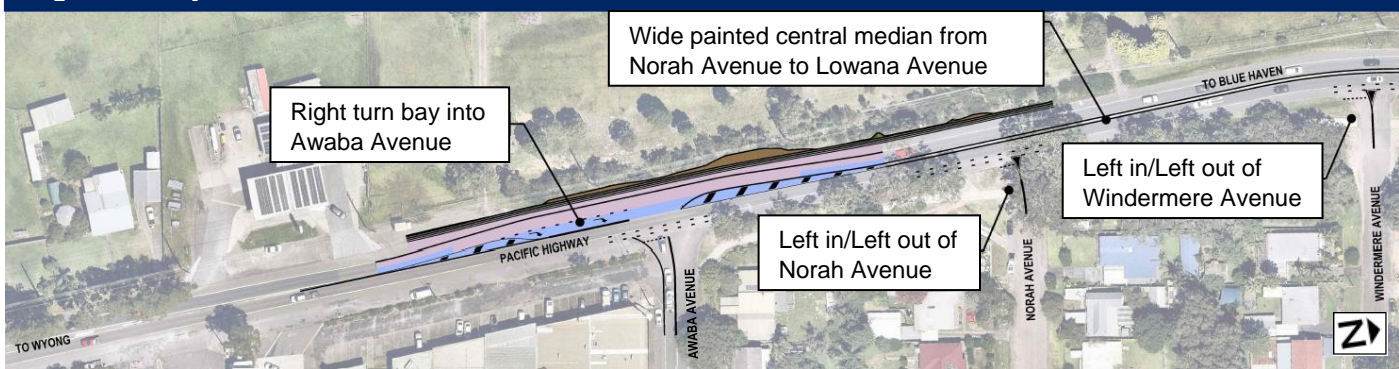
U-turn facility and right turn bay at Jetty Avenue



Painted median at Parkside Drive



Right turn bay at Awaba Avenue



Wide centreline from Norah Avenue to Lowana Avenue, with turning restrictions

