



Project update – Pacific Highway interchange upgrade at Cundletown

The Australian and NSW Governments are funding this \$7.4 million project through the Road Safety program to improve safety and access at the Cundletown interchange.

Transport for NSW is continuing work on the Cundletown interchange upgrade. In coming months work will involve:

- asphaltting work on the on and off ramps to form the new road surface at Princes Street
- concreting work for the new U-turn bay, located about 600 metres north of the Oxley Bend Road (southern entry)
- reshaping the roundabout on the eastern side of the interchange to accommodate larger freight vehicles
- safety barrier installation, line marking and signage upgrades.

Work will continue to be carried out between **7am** and **6pm** from **Monday** to **Friday** and between **8am** and **5pm** on **Saturdays**.

To minimise impacts to motorists, some work activities will occasionally be carried out at night between **7pm** and **5am** from **Sunday** to **Thursday**.

Due to wet weather in recent months, the project has experienced some delays and the project is now expected to be completed by **March 2023**, weather permitting.

Due to some delays with design approval, the street lighting component of the project will be delivered separately in mid-2023.



New northbound off-ramp under construction at the Cundletown interchange

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 for nearby residents by completing noisier activities earlier in the night and turning off machinery and vehicles when not in use.

During all stages of construction, access to businesses and other private property will be maintained. Pedestrian and cyclist routes will continue to be managed daily according to construction activities.

Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe. Lane closures, a reduced speed limit of 40km/h and traffic control will be in place which may affect travel times.

To improve work site safety, we will be implementing temporary closures of the northbound on-ramp and the northbound off-ramp during November with detours in place. We expect these closures to take place during the weeks starting **Monday 7 November** and **Monday 28 November**, weather permitting.

When the closures are in place, traffic will be directed to use temporary U-turn bays on the highway located 600 metres north and south of the interchange to travel to and from Cundletown.

This would result in motorists having to travel additional distances during the ramp closures:

- Northbound off ramp closure – about 2.7 kilometres
- Northbound on ramp closure – about 1.5 kilometres

In **January** and **February**, there will also be some intermittent traffic changes during day work at the Princes Road roundabout on the eastern side of the interchange which will also involve the use of these detours. We will provide more information about timing for these detours in the new year once it has been confirmed.

Electronic message signs will notify motorists when ramp closures are planned and will provide direction to motorists.

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 us

If you have any questions, please contact our Project Delivery Manager, Luke Bray on 0499 420 459 or luke.bray@transport.nsw.gov.au.

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