# Richmond Bridge and approaches



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### Further improvement to reduce congestion for Richmond Bridge and approaches starting 14 June 2015

The Australian and NSW governments are reducing congestion on Richmond Bridge and approaches to cater for current and future traffic needs. The Australian Government has provided \$18 million in funding to improve three intersections.

The three intersections targeted for improvement work are Kurrajong Road/Bells Line of Road intersections with Grose Vale Road, Yarramundi Lane and Bosworth Street.

The work on the three intersections will be carried out in two stages. Stage one will be improvement work to the intersection at Kurrajong Road, Yarramundi Lane, and Old Kurrajong Road and stage two will be work at the intersections at Bells Line of Road and Grose Vale Road, and at Kurrajong Road and Bosworth Street.

In March 2015, Roads and Maritime Services started work on Stage 1. The work includes:

- Widening the intersection to allow for a dedicated right turn lane from Kurrajong Road into Old Kurrajong Road for motorists travelling south
- Providing a dedicated left turn lane from Old Kurrajong Road into Kurrajong Road including a westbound acceleration lane.

In early June Roads and Maritime stopped right turns eastbound on Kurrajong Road into Old Kurrajong Road to maintain a safe site for workers and motorists while construction is completed on this intersection improvement work. This project is expected to finish in January 2016.

The right turn restriction means that eastbound motorists on Kurrajong Road wishing to travel south now need to turn right at Bosworth Street. This intersection will be upgraded as part of the Stage 2 projects.

To alleviate increased congestion from the right turn change, Roads and Maritime is extending an existing no stopping zone about 50 metres (in front of the motel only) eastbound on Kurrajong Road just west of Bosworth Street. This restriction will improve traffic flow because it will provide more capacity for road users travelling through the intersection, while still allowing motorists to turn right. We are also investigating changing the traffic light phasing to provide more time for the right turn from Kurrajong Road into Bosworth Street and will make adjustments, if appropriate.

"No stopping" sign as will be installed on Sunday 14 June and will be effective immediately. This work will be carried out at night between 8pm and 5am, weather permitting.

Lane closures will be in place while the work is carried out to ensure the safety of road users and workers. Road users are asked to follow the direction of traffic controllers, adhere to reduced speed limits and follow traffic signs.

For more information contact DownerMouchel Phone number: 1800 332 660, email: <u>enquiries\_nsw@downermouchel.com</u>

There will be some noise associated with this work, but every effort will be made to minimise the impact on residents. We apologise for any inconvenience this work may cause and appreciate the patience of residents and road users.

#### Stage 2 projects

Roads and Maritime will soon be seeking feedback from the community and stakeholders on Stage 2 projects. The proposal for intersection improvement to reduce congestion at Kurrajong Road, March Street and Bosworth Street will include some permanent parking restrictions. We will provide detailed information to the community on this proposal in July and will seek comments at this time. Feedback from the community and stakeholders will be considered in our decision making and design process.

Roads and Maritime will continue to keep the community informed about this project.

For further information please contact our delivery partner DownerMouchel on 1800 332 660 or enquiries\_nsw@downermouchel.com





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