

Temporary road closures on the Oxley Highway, Mount Seaview from 24 October

Oxley Highway

October 2023



Transport for NSW acknowledges the Birpai people as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pays respect to Elders past and present.

The NSW Government is funding essential reconstruction work on the Oxley Highway at Mount Seaview to reinstate full access through natural disaster affected areas.

What work are we doing?

Transport for NSW is continuing major restoration work on the Oxley Highway at Mount Seaview to return the road to pre-2021/2022 flood condition. Work includes:

- Establishing a temporary work site
- Major earthworks and some vegetation removal
- Soil nailing to stabilise slip sites
- Shotcreting to provide embankment support
- Using heavy machinery to carry out work
- Installing improved drainage

When and where we'll be working

As part of this work, the Oxley Highway will be closed temporarily between Knodingbul and Forbes River roads from Tuesday 24 October to Friday 15 December while we carry out restoration work at Slip 4 and Slip 22.

Access to Mount Seaview Road will be maintained for motorists and residents after clearing the Forbes River Road checkpoint.

The Oxley Highway will return to single lane alternating flow traffic arrangements during the NSW summer school holidays with full road closures to resume Tuesday, 30 January 2024.

We expect the full road closures to be in place until about Easter 2024.

Road closure times

The Oxley Highway will be closed temporarily from:

Tuesday to Thursday, 7am to 4.30pm and Fridays, 7am to 3pm.

No closures will be carried out on Saturdays, Sundays, Mondays or any public holidays.

Working hours

Standard working hours are Monday to Friday from 7am to 5pm and Saturdays from 8am to 12pm. Work on Saturdays may continue until 5pm with the prior approval of the project team.

Traffic changes

Please follow the direction of traffic controllers who will be present at the road closure points.

Plan your journey, avoid the area during closure times and defer the trip if possible.

Plan an alternative route via Waterfall Way or New England Highway if your trip must take place during the closure period.

For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit [livetraffic.com](https://www.livetraffic.com) or download the Live Traffic NSW App.



We will keep the community informed of future planned road closures.

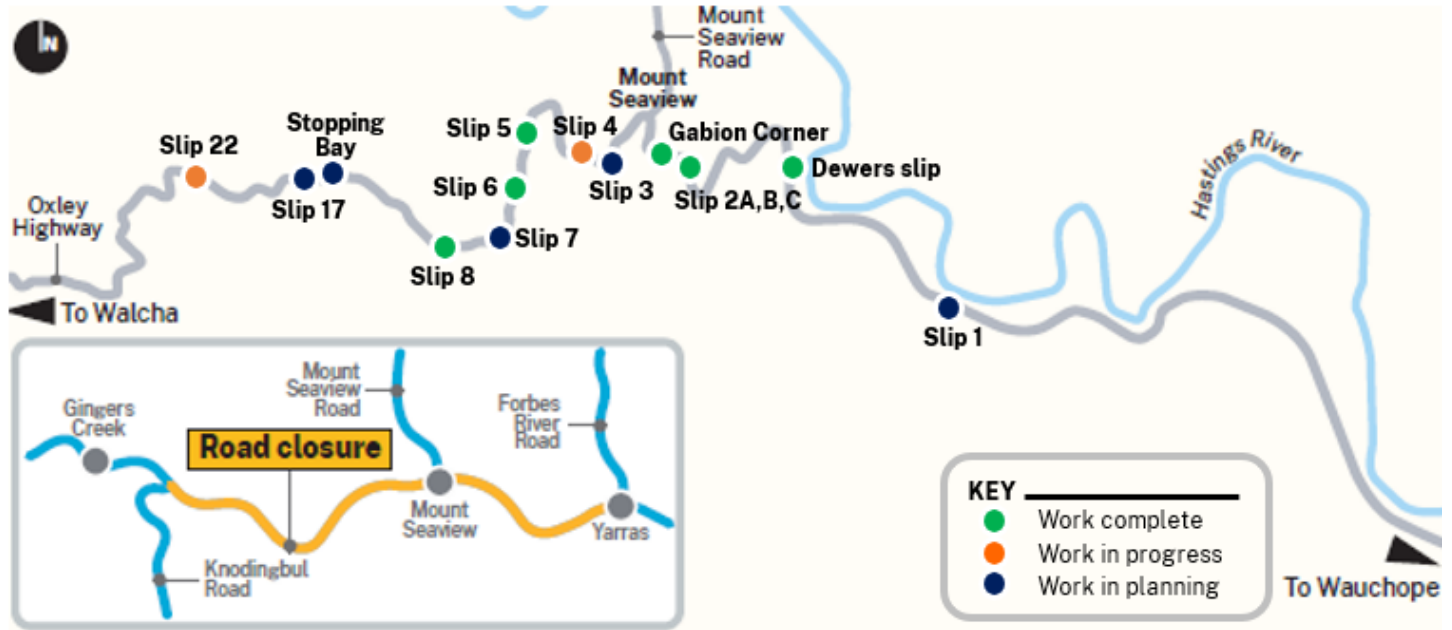
Community event exception dates

Transport for NSW has worked closely with council to minimise the impact of road closures on important local community events.

To assist road users wanting to use the highway to attend these events the Oxley Highway will remain open with traffic control in place on:

- **Thursday 16 and Friday 17 November** (Walcha Motorcycle Rally)
- **Thursday 30 November and Friday 1 December** (NSW State Cup Touch Football)
- **Friday 9 February** (Walcha Cup Race Meeting)
- **Friday 16 February** (Walcha Antique Machinery and Truck Show)
- **Thursday 7 and Friday 8 March** (Walcha Show)

Location of work area



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