

# Mona Vale Road East upgrade

## Community update

September 2023



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

The NSW Government is upgrading Mona Vale Road between Manor Road, Ingleside and Foley Street, Mona Vale, from two lanes to four lanes to ease congestion, reduce travel times and improve safety.

### Construction progress

Over the past three months, construction has been progressing well. You may have noticed we have;

- almost finished surfacing the new lanes on Mona Vale Road
- finished building the stormwater detention basin
- finished building new kerbs and footpaths
- prepared for landscaping
- built a section of the permanent concrete median near the western end of the project
- started building the new truck arrester bed
- finished installing traffic barriers and steel railings on top of the new retaining walls
- finished placing the first two layers of asphalt along the full alignment. We will place the final layer of asphalt and carry out linemarking later this year.



Photo: Asphaltting on new westbound lanes near Boundary Street (looking west)



## Getting ready to open to traffic

We would like to thank the community for their ongoing patience while we have been upgrading Mona Vale Road East. It has been a long journey with unprecedented weather and challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic. It is expected that most of the major work will be complete by December this year. This includes opening the new signalised intersection in place of the existing roundabout at Ponderosa Parade and Samuel Street, finishing laying all the new road surfaces and installing the fauna bridge and underpass. Some minor work will be carried out in the new year, including landscaping, fauna fencing, some traffic barriers and signage.



Photo: new concrete median dividing the new east and westbound lanes near Ingleside Road (looking west)



Photo: excavation for the new truck arrestor bed

## New fauna bridge

On the evening of Friday 18 August, we closed Mona Vale Road to complete the lifting of the new Fauna Bridge near Lane Cove Road.

The fauna bridge will be the first of its kind dedicated to animals to safely cross Mona Vale Road, linking the Ku-ring-gai and Garigal National Parks.



## Ponderosa Parade roundabout

Planning is now underway for the reconfiguration of the Ponderosa/Samuel Street roundabout to a full signalised intersection. The posts for the new traffic lights will be installed soon.



## Looking ahead

Over the next few months, you will see us:

- Work on the Ponderosa Parade/Samuel Street intersection
- preparing areas for landscaping
- completing the works on the fauna bridge
- installing safety barriers along the side of the new road
- continuing with construction of the new permanent concrete median.

## Contact Us

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