



# Nowra Bridge project

## Upcoming night work in October

September 2023



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

### Upcoming night work

Night work will be carried out from **Tuesday 3 October to Tuesday 31 October 2023**, on the Princes Highway, Scenic Drive, and Bolong, Illaroo and Bridge roads. Traffic changes will include lane closures, intermittent stop/slow traffic conditions, and reduced speeds of 40 km/h during work.

For the safety of workers and road users, and to avoid extended traffic delays during the day, work will be done at night between 6pm and 7am, weather permitting.

### Site shutdown over the long weekend

The Nowra Bridge project site will be shut down for the October long weekend from **6pm Friday 29 September until 7am Tuesday 3 October 2023**. There will be no construction work during this time. Reduced speed limits near work zones will continue to be enforced.

### Details of planned work

| Location   | Activities  | Occurrence      |
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| Princes Highway (between Mattes Way and north of the Shoalhaven River) | Expansion joint work on Bomaderry Creek Bridge. Placing and removing temporary traffic barriers, constructing concrete medians and safety barriers, saw cutting, installing street lighting, pavement work and line marking activities.   | Up to 20 nights |
| Bolong Road  | Material stockpiling and deliveries. Installing traffic control systems. Placing and removing temporary traffic barriers, constructing concrete medians, saw cutting, pavement work and line marking activities.  | Up to 15 nights |
| Illaroo Road   | Placing and removing temporary traffic barriers and materials. Installing street lighting, drainage, traffic control systems, road pavement, medians and line marking activities.   | Up to 20 nights |
| Princes Highway (bridge crossings)                                     | Constructing concrete medians and safety barriers, saw cutting, line marking activities.  | Up to 15 nights |
| Princes Highway (south of the Shoalhaven River to Moss Street)         | Placing and removing temporary traffic barriers and material. Saw cutting and milling road pavement. Constructing safety barriers. Installing drainage, street lighting, traffic control systems, footpath, road pavement, kerb and gutter, traffic reconfigurations and line marking activities. | Up to 20 nights |
| Bridge Road  | Installing traffic control systems, constructing concrete medians, saw cutting, pavement work and line marking activities.  | Up to 15 nights |
| Scenic Drive   | Vehicle movements, material stockpiling and deliveries.   | Up to 20 nights |

## Why is work carried out at night?

There are several reasons why work is required outside standard construction hours including:

- Safety – work outside standard construction hours helps us improve safety by minimising the interactions between road users, pedestrians and workers
- Traffic – to safely carry out activities, traffic may be stopped, detoured or reduced to one lane. By working at night, delays are minimised and journey times for motorists and businesses are less affected
- Utilities – work may be required at night to minimise impacts on utility services and networks
- Weather – even when it's not raining, temperature and wind can impact activities including placing concrete and laying asphalt
- Quality – the quality of concrete and asphalt can be impacted if activities are not continuous

## How will the work affect you?

During this work we will be using machinery and equipment that generate light, noise and vibration. We will make every effort to minimise disruption by:

- turning off machinery and vehicles when not in use
- using noise shields where practical
- directing temporary lighting down and away from homes

- planning activities close to residents within standard construction hours and scheduling noisy activities earlier in the night, where possible
- fitting equipment with devices to minimise noise including reversing squawkers rather than beepers
- monitoring noise so we can manage any potential impacts and adjust our work, where possible.

Equipment being used during night work includes light vehicles and trucks, cranes, elevated working platforms, lighting towers, power tools, concrete pump trucks, drill rigs, water trucks, street sweepers, asphalt machinery, rollers, excavators, and graders.

We will continue to monitor noise and vibration impacts during this work.

## Contact us

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact our project team:

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