

Safety improvement work at Great Western Highway, Pendle Way and Ettalong Road intersection, Pendle Hill from 28 August 2023

Community Notification

August 2023







Transport for NSW acknowledges the Dharug people as the traditional custodians of this land on which we work and pay respect to Elders past and present.

Transport for NSW will carry out safety improvement work at the intersection of Great Western Highway, Pendle Way and Ettalong Road, Pendle Hill from Monday 28 August 2023.

The work will involve extending the Great Western Highway right turn bays at the intersection, by approximately 100 metres in each direction, to ease congestion and improve road safety for road users.

Road Safety Program

This project is being delivered as part of the Road Safety Stimulus Program, which aims to improve safety and reduce crashes on NSW roads. Since 2020, the Australian and NSW governments have invested more than \$600 million into road safety projects across NSW as part of this program.

The project has been informed by investigation work carried out at the intersection in 2021 and 2022.

The project will involve:

- narrowing the central median on Great Western Highway to enable the extension of the right turn bays (in both directions)
- installing new drainage infrastructure
- resurfacing the existing asphalt road surface
- line marking.

What work are we doing?

Before we can start construction, we will establish a site compound on Great Western Highway, Prospect and carry out further investigation work at the intersection.

Site compound

The site compound will be established on Great Western Highway, Prospect opposite the Fox Hills Golf Club. The location of the compound site can be seen on the map overleaf.

The site compound will be used for the storage of equipment, construction materials and staff amenities. It will be used during both day and night work hours.

When will we be working?

Day work - to establish the site compound, we will carry out day work between Monday 28 August and Friday 29 September 2023.

Our work hours will be from **Monday** to **Friday** between **7am** and **5pm**.

Night work - to complete the investigation work, we will carry out six night shifts between **Monday 28 August** and **Friday 29 September 2023**, weather permitting.

Our work hours will be from **Sunday** to **Thursday** between **7pm** and **5am** the next day.

We will not work on Friday nights, Saturdays or on public holidays.

Start of construction work schedule

We expect to start construction from **Tuesday 3 October 2023**, with the work expected to take approximately six months to complete.

Our work hours will be from **Sunday** to **Thursday** between **7pm** and **5am** the next day. We will work up to five nights a week. We will not work Friday nights, Saturdays or on public holidays.

We will notify the community if the proposed construction schedule should change.



How will the work affect you?

Our work may be noisy at times, however, we will make every effort to minimise our impacts by:

- using noise blankets around our work site while we are completing the noisier activities
- using quieter equipment where possible
- turning off equipment and vehicles when they are not in
- completing the noisier work by midnight
- continually monitoring our construction noise levels.

Bus stop and traffic changes

Bus stop changes - the bus stop on Great Western Highway (Stop ID: 214567) near the intersection will be temporarily closed during our night work hours when we are working directly in front of the bus stop. During these times bus users will need to use the bus stop on Pendle Way (Stop ID: 214568). Traffic controllers will be on site to assist bus users during these times.

Traffic changes - there will be temporary traffic changes to make sure the work zone is safe.

Temporary lane closures will be in place. At times, a contraflow traffic arrangement may also be used which affect travel times. This traffic arrangement will see motorists temporarily redirected onto the opposite carriageway for a short distance whilst passing the work zone. Motorists unable to access businesses, homes or side streets within the contraflow are advised to use the next available side street after they exit the contraflow to redirect to their destination.

A 40 km/h speed limit reduction will be in place during the construction period while we are working at night and a reduced speed limit of 60 km/h will be in place at all times for the duration of the project. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs.

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Please contact our delivery partner, Fulton Hogan, to request project updates via email.

Location of work and compound site – Great Western Highway, Pendle Hill and Prospect



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