

Three-night detour on the Mitchell Highway between Bathurst and Orange, 11-13 September



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

Transport for NSW is carrying out important safety work as part of the Mitchell Highway safety upgrades between Bathurst and Orange.

Work will take place at various locations on the Mitchell Highway between Bathurst and Lucknow. We have included a map to show location of the works.

We will be carrying out the work at night to minimise impacts to motorists and ensure the safety of our workers.

What work are we doing?

The work includes the removal of temporary steel barriers at Vittoria Curve, asphalt patching and vegetation control at Robin Hill and wire rope repairs and vegetation control at Oakey Creek.

When we'll be working

Nightwork will commence from Monday

11 September, and is expected to take three nights to complete, weather permitting.

Work hours are between **7pm to 5am.**We will let you know in advance if we need to do any work outside these times.

How will the work affect you?

This work will require a full closure of the highway to ensure safety of workers and motorists. Access will be maintained for residents and emergency vehicles.

There will be some noise generated from plant and equipment and light spill from lighting the work area.

We will aim to complete noisier activities before **midnight** and direct lighting away from residences and motorists where possible.

Traffic changes

During nightwork hours, all traffic will be diverted on the Mid Western Highway and Millthorpe Road via Blayney. The detour will add an additional 15 minutes to travel times, please plan ahead and allow additional travel time.

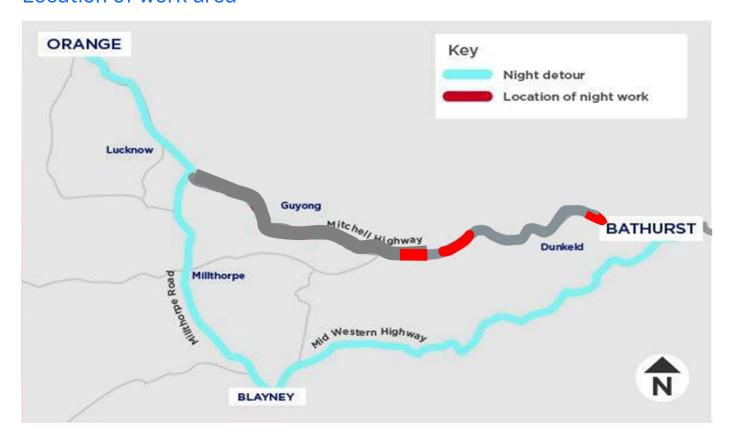
Traffic control will be in place with a hard closure for east bound traffic east of Lucknow at the intersection of Milthorpe Road and the Mitchell Highway. For westbound traffic, there will be hard closure at Marys Lane.

Variable messaging signs will be place to alert motorists and assist in directing traffic via the detour.

Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs.

For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, **visit livetraffic.com** or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

Location of work area



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