



Bridge work at Ironbark Creek

Hexham Straight Widening

January 2024



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

The Australian and NSW governments are investing in the upgrade of the section of Maitland Road known as Hexham Straight, between Newcastle Inner City Bypass and Hexham Bridge

Transport for NSW will commence bridge piling for the new southbound bridge over Ironbark Creek.

What work are we doing?

Work includes:

- Delivery of plant and materials
- Building a temporary working platform
- Installation of bored and driven bridge piles.

When and where we'll be working

Bridge piling will commence from **mid-February** and will occur intermittently over **ten weeks**, weather permitting.

The work will be carried out during normal working hours between **7am** and **6pm** on **weekdays** and **8am** and **1pm** on **Saturdays**.

During **February**, work will also be carried out from the temporary working platform within the tidal zone during low tide events between **5.30am** and **7am** and **6pm** and **8pm**. We will also be working on two **Sundays** between **1pm** and **8pm**.

For the safety of the workers, this work is being completed during low tides.

What will this mean for you?

You may notice:

- Workers and vehicles
- Noise from machinery and equipment
- Out of hours work in the evening.

There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe.

On occasion, traffic may be temporarily slowed down to carry out some activities in the work area.

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

Managing our impacts

The work will involve the use of machinery which generates noise.

The piling work may be intermittently noisy at times.

Directly affected residents will be contacted and advised of the likely impact and what we are doing to minimise disruption during the work.





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