

M5 Motorway upgrade westbound from Moorebank Avenue to Hume Highway

Release of Submissions Report

April 2024



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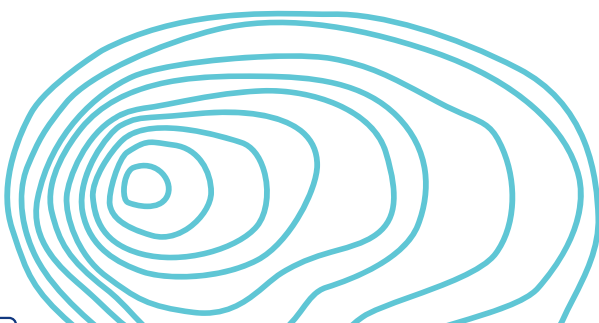
The NSW Government is planning to ease congestion and improve safety on the M5 Motorway for motorists travelling westbound between Moorebank Avenue and Hume Highway.

Background

Transport for NSW (Transport) is progressing with plans to upgrade the M5 Motorway westbound from Moorebank Avenue to Hume Highway and upgrade the M5 Moorebank Avenue interchange.

These upgrades will reduce congestion, improve the efficiency and safety of the road network for all road users. Upgrading the interchange will accommodate the increase in heavy and light vehicle traffic from the Moorebank Logistics Park.

Transport prepared a Review of Environmental Factors (REF) for the M5 Motorway Westbound Traffic Upgrade. The REF was publicly displayed from 29 August 2022 to 29 September 2022 on Transport's project website nswroads.work/m5motorwaywestbound.



Community Feedback

Thank you to everyone who submitted feedback.

Of the submissions, 22 per cent were in support of the proposal, 13 per cent objected to the proposal and 13 per cent were partially supportive of the proposal. The remaining 52 per cent of submissions offered no position on whether they supported or objected to the proposal.

Feedback supporting the proposal said it would:

- improve safety
- remove the dangerous traffic weave
- improve traffic congestion
- support the expected increase in traffic around the Moorebank Logistics Park (MLP) precinct.

Key matters raised by the community included:

- further refinements required for proposed active transport provisions, such as inclusion of pedestrian footbridges and shared cycle pathways
- whether vehicles travelling northbound on Moorebank Avenue will still be able to access the Hume Highway exit
- the length of time for construction and the impact to local traffic.

How we responded

Following exhibition of the REF, the proposal design has been refined (referred to as 'the revised design') in response to community feedback and further progression of the design.

We have prepared a detailed Submissions Report which summarises feedback received during the public display and our responses. You can access this report online at nswroads.work/m5motorwaywestbound.

Next steps

We will continue to work with the Liverpool Council and local stakeholders while developing the revised design. We will update the community with a timeframe for construction, including anticipated start and finish dates, closer to commencement of work on site.



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