Slope remediation work on Bells Line of Road, near Mt Tomah from Monday 22 April 2024

Community Notification

April 2024

NSW GOVERNMENT



Transport for NSW acknowledges the Darug Peoples of the Dharawal Nation as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pay respects to Elders past and present people of the Hawkesbury.

Transport for NSW's road maintenance service provider for Western Sydney, Ventia, is carrying out pavement and slope repair work to return the road to full capacity.

This work will stabilise five slopes damaged by flooding in 2022 on the Bells Line of Road approximatley 2km west of Mount Tomah.

What work are we doing?

We will be:

- creating temporary parking areas to limit plant movements to and from site
- installing safety barriers
- clearing vegetation where needed
- scaling and removing loose rocks
- drilling and installing rock bolts, attaching the outer rock face to underlying material
- applying shotcrete
- installing steel netting
- rock scaling and slope treatment will be carried out one slope at a time.

When and where we'll be working

We'll be working at these slopes from **22 April up to 13 August 2024**, weather permitting.

Working hours for the slopes are **7am to 6pm**, **Monday to Friday, and 7am to 2pm Saturdays**. No work will occur on Sunday or public holidays.

What will this mean for you?

You may notice:

- workers and vehicles
- traffic signage
- traffic controllers to guide heavy vehicle access on and off site when needed.

Managing our impacts

We aim to manage our work to avoid impacts to the community and the environment. These measures include:

- staging our work to reduce overall traffic delays
- fencing for safety and security
- separating pedestrians from vehicle movements
- reducing our noise as much as possible and turning off plant and equipment when not in use
- protecting trees with no-go areas
- controlling erosion and sediment at the site
- targeting lighting to minimise light spill
- using a designated wash-out area for concrete trucks, with excess material taken away
- replanting trees to replace those that needed to be removed in accordance with the landscaping plan
- restoring the work sites and laydown / stockpile areas when all work is finished.

Location of work on Bells Line of Road. Mt Tomah



Traffic impacts

The Bells Line of Road will remain open while we work, with daily lane closures in place until the project completion. There will be traffic control and a reduced speed limit of 40km/h for the safety of our workers and road users. Static signs will inform road users of truck movements. For the latest updates, visit LiveTraffic.com or phone 132 701. Please see the map overleaf for more information.

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