

# Start of repair work on Scabbing Flat Bridge from Monday 29 July

July 2024



Transport for NSW acknowledges the Wiradjuri people as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pays respect to Elders past and present.

Transport for NSW will commence essential safety maintenance and repair works on Scabbing Flat Bridge from Monday 29 July.

## What work are we doing?

The work at Scabbing Flat Bridge on Arthurville Road, 4km south of Geurie will include replacing decaying timber, installing temporary support systems, repairing piers, and replacing cross girders and stringers to provide structural integrity to the bridge.

Transport for NSW (Transport) will continue to implement a 16-tonne load limit on Scabbing Flat Bridge throughout this complex work to protect the bridge structure and allow work to safely take place.

## When we'll be working

Work will begin on **Monday 29 July** and is **expected to allow the current load limit to be removed by early 2025, weather permitting.**

We will be working between **7am** and **4pm** **Monday to Friday, from Monday 29 July 2024.** **There will be no work on Saturdays, Sundays or public holidays.**

All work activities and dates are subject to weather and site conditions.

## What will this mean for you?

The bridge will remain open with traffic control and a **40km/h speed limit** in place during work hours, which may affect travel times by up to **five minutes.**

It is expected some work will need to be carried out under full bridge closures. Transport will notify the community when these intermittent closures will be required.

The 16-tonne load limit for heavy vehicles has been in place since 1 December 2023 and will remain in place until the repair work is completed.

Vehicles over 16 tonnes will not be permitted to travel across the bridge and should use the detours listed below and illustrated in the attached map.

## Detour routes

**Detour route via Wellington** - Vehicles need to detour via Renshaw McGirr way/Suntop Road/Arthurville Road. Motorists should allow for **25 minutes extra travel time.**

**Detour route via Dubbo** - Vehicles need to detour via Obley Road/ Eulandool Road/Nubingerie Road/Benolong Road/Arthurville Road. Motorists should allow for **45 minutes extra travel time.**

Please allow for additional travel time depending on your destination. We have included a map for more information.

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## Managing our impacts

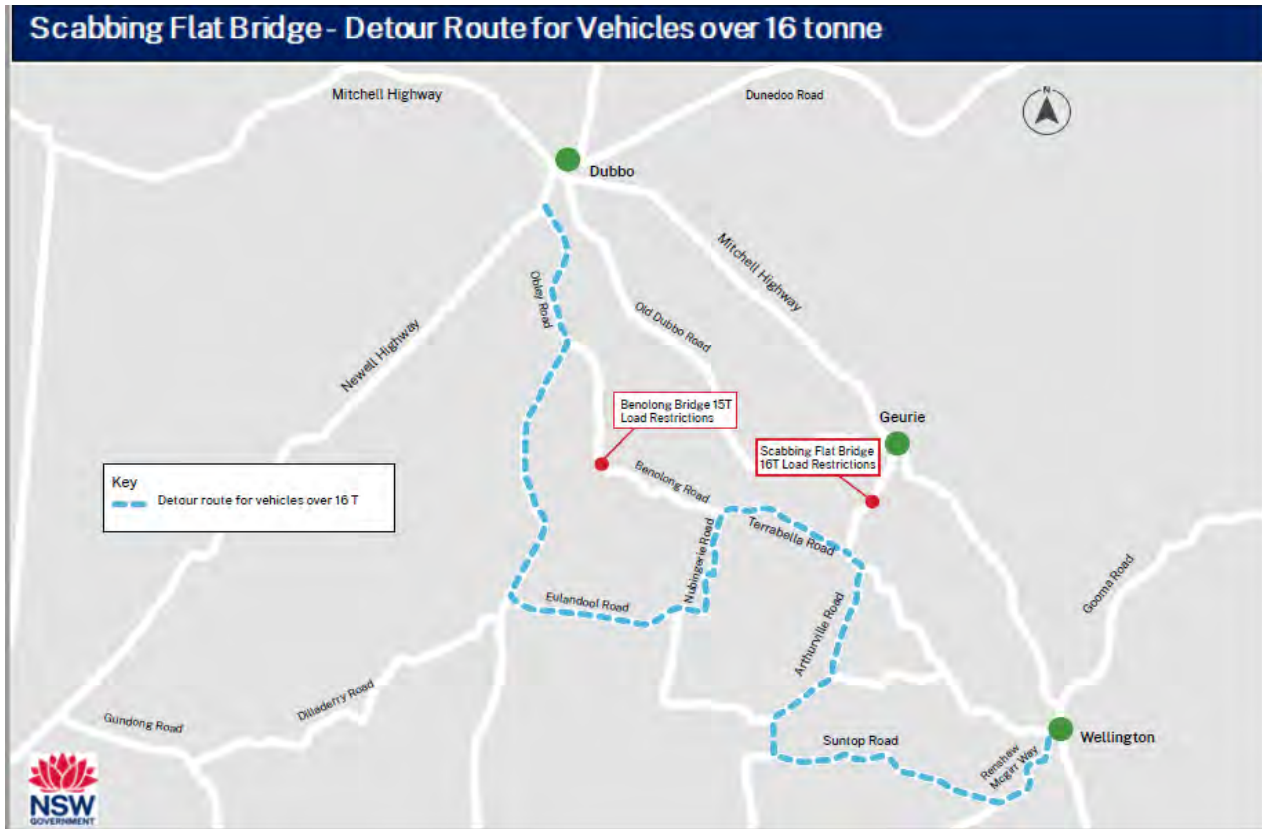
We are committed to lifting the load limit as soon as possible to minimise impacts to the community.

We understand that these changed traffic conditions may be inconvenient, and we thank you for your patience while we complete these essential works.

The work will involve the use of machinery which generates some noise. We will make every effort to minimise noise by turning off machinery and vehicles when not in use.

If you have any concerns about this work, please contact us on 1800 167 499.

## Map of location including detour for heavy vehicles



## Contact us



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