Epping Road widening proposed design modifications including changes to access

The NSW Government is funding road upgrades in Epping Town Centre as part of its Urban Activation Precincts Program including two key projects which aim to improve the road network.

Roads and Maritime Services is proposing some changes to one of the projects including a raised central median and altering the Epping Road and Essex Street intersection.

We welcome your feedback on these changes until Friday 19 December 2014.

Background

Epping Town Centre is one of the NSW Government’s Urban Activation Precincts Program which aims to deliver more homes in places with access to infrastructure, transport, services and jobs.

Roads and Maritime is proposing two projects to support the development of this precinct including:

- Project 1: Beecroft Road and Carlingford Road
- Project 2: Epping Road widening and Essex Street

Roads and Maritime consulted on both projects earlier this year and has further refined the design of Project 2.

Proposed improvements

As part of Project 2, Roads and Maritime is proposing to widen Epping Road between Essex Street and Blaxland Road and upgrade the Essex Street/Epping Road intersection to support housing growth and reduce traffic in the area.

The proposal also aims to address the community’s safety concerns after 14 crashes were reported on Epping Road, between Essex Street and Blaxland Road between 2008 and 2013.

The change would mean people accessing properties along this road would only be able to turn left-in and left-out of their driveways. Motorists travelling on Epping Road would also only have left-in and left-out access at Forest Grove and Smith Street.

Intersection changes

To improve traffic flow, Roads and Maritime is proposing to remove right-turns from Epping Road into Essex Street, in either direction.

There would also be provision made for a left-turn lane from Essex Street into Epping Road westbound, which would be added if required in the future.

We have included a map to help explain the proposed changes.
For more information on the Epping Road Widening project please visit www.rms.nsw.gov.au/projects or contact DownerMouchel on Phone: 1800 332 660 or email: enquiries_nsw@downermouchel.com

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Next steps

We are continuing to develop the detailed design for this project and welcome your feedback.

We are preparing a community consultation report, which will outline the feedback received from the community and stakeholders from this current round of consultation.

Roads and Maritime will display the Review of Environmental Factors (REF) for the Epping Road widening project for comment in mid-2015.

You will have an opportunity to meet the project team at community information sessions, ask questions and make a comment before the REF is assessed and determined by Roads and Maritime.

We will be in touch closer to the display date and provide further information about the community information sessions.

Have your say

Roads and Maritime welcomes your feedback on the proposed design modification by Friday 19 December 2014 via:

Email: enquiries_nsw@downermouchel.com

Mail: DownerMouchel
Epping Town Centre road and intersection improvements
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For more information visit the Roads and Maritime website http://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/projects or call us on 1800 332 660.

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