IMPROVEMENTS TO 
BATEMANS BAY BRIDGE

Andrew Constance Member for Bega today announced work is about to start to improve Batemans Bay Bridge over the Clyde River.

"Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) will replace the boom gates and make improvements to the access to the control house," Mr Constance said.

"The new boom gates will operate more freely and prevent vehicle access when the bridge opens.

"To minimise the impact on the traffic, this work will be carried out at night.

"Work to install the boom gates will be carried out Sundays to Thursdays from 7pm to 3am from 2 May.

"For two weeks during May, one lane will be closed to traffic and a 40km/h speed limit will apply.

"Portable traffic lights will guide motorists through the work site.

"Outside of this two week period, there will only be occasional traffic disruptions.

"The pedestrian walkway will be intermittently closed while the boom gate is replaced and pedestrians will be escorted through the worksite.

"RMS will also be installing an additional access walkway and stairs on the centre of the bridge to provide safer access to the control house for the bridge caretaker.

"The bridge will not be able to be opened for maritime traffic while the work is carried out," Mr Constance said.

The $1.2million project is expected to be completed by the end of June, weather permitting.