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PLANNED PEDESTRIAN SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS FOR ALLANDALE ROAD AT CESSNOCK

Roads and Maritime Services (RMS) will next month implement pedestrian safety improvements on Allandale Road near the intersections with McGrane and Jurd streets.

The Nationals Duty MLC for Cessnock, Trevor Khan, said the existing marked pedestrian crossings just north of McGrane Street and south of Jurd Street will be relocated by about 30 metres.

“The relocation will allow for kerb ramps and central raised concrete islands to be installed at both crossings,” Mr Khan said.

“Moving the crossings away from the right turn bays into McGrane and Jurd streets will improve the visibility of pedestrians using the crossings for motorists.

“RMS has distributed a letter to residents which includes a diagram of the planned improvements.

“Work is scheduled to start in June, weather permitting,” Mr Khan said.

More information about the project is available at www.rms.nsw.gov.au

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