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SCHOOL ZONE REMOVAL ON NARELLAN ROAD AT MOUNT ANNAN

Member for Camden Chris Patterson announced that the 40km/h school zone on Narellan Road has been removed.

"Roads and Maritime Services, Transport for NSW, Mount Annan Christian College, Camden Council, Busways and myself have all been involved in consultation with each other on the solution to remove the school zone while maintaining a safe environment for students," Mr Patterson said.

"Roads and Maritime Services undertook work on Mount Annan Church Road, which allows buses to use this road to access the school and closes the pedestrian gate onto Narellan Road from this property.

"With the work completed, the 40km/h school zone on Narellan Road from Mount Annan Drive to 150 metres west of the access road has been removed," said Mr Patterson.

"Motorists have been informed of the speed limit change by electronic signs on site from Tuesday 2 October.

"The removal is a culmination of a lot of people's hard work to work toward a common goal for our commuters and most importantly, the safety of the students, although we were told this could never happen," Mr Patterson said.

"I thank everyone involved, particularly the RMS crews who undertook the work to remove the school zone and have been highly efficient and professional throughout the works.

"This is not the solution to congestion on Narellan Rd but is a step in the process of reducing travel times along the road.

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