



Bridge removal and M4 Motorway closure at The Northern Road, South Penrith from Friday 7 June

The Australian and NSW Governments are jointly funding this work as part of the \$1.6 billion upgrade of The Northern Road between Narellan and South Penrith

Roads and Maritime Services has opened a new bridge over the M4 Motorway at The Northern Road, South Penrith. The new bridge, when finalised, will feature three lanes and a dedicated bus-only lane in each direction, as well as dual turning lanes on and off the M4 Motorway in all directions. The improved bridge and M4 interchange will improve safety, increase road capacity and reduce traffic congestion.

The existing bridge now needs to be removed. To remove the key parts of the bridge there will be an extended full closure of the M4 Motorway at the interchange with The Northern Road. This closure is necessary to ensure motorists and our workers are safe and work is carried out as efficiently as possible.

M4 Motorway closure – June long weekend

The M4 Motorway will be closed at the Northern Road, South Penrith over the Queen's Birthday long weekend from **9pm on Friday 7 June to 4am on Tuesday 11 June**, weather permitting. Historical traffic data indicates that this weekend is a lower than normal traffic volume time to carry out this closure.

During the closure, the **M4 Motorway will be closed to general traffic** in either direction at The Northern Road.

Motorists are encouraged to avoid the M4 Motorway in this area during the closure and instead use alternative routes. The busiest traffic times are expected to be:

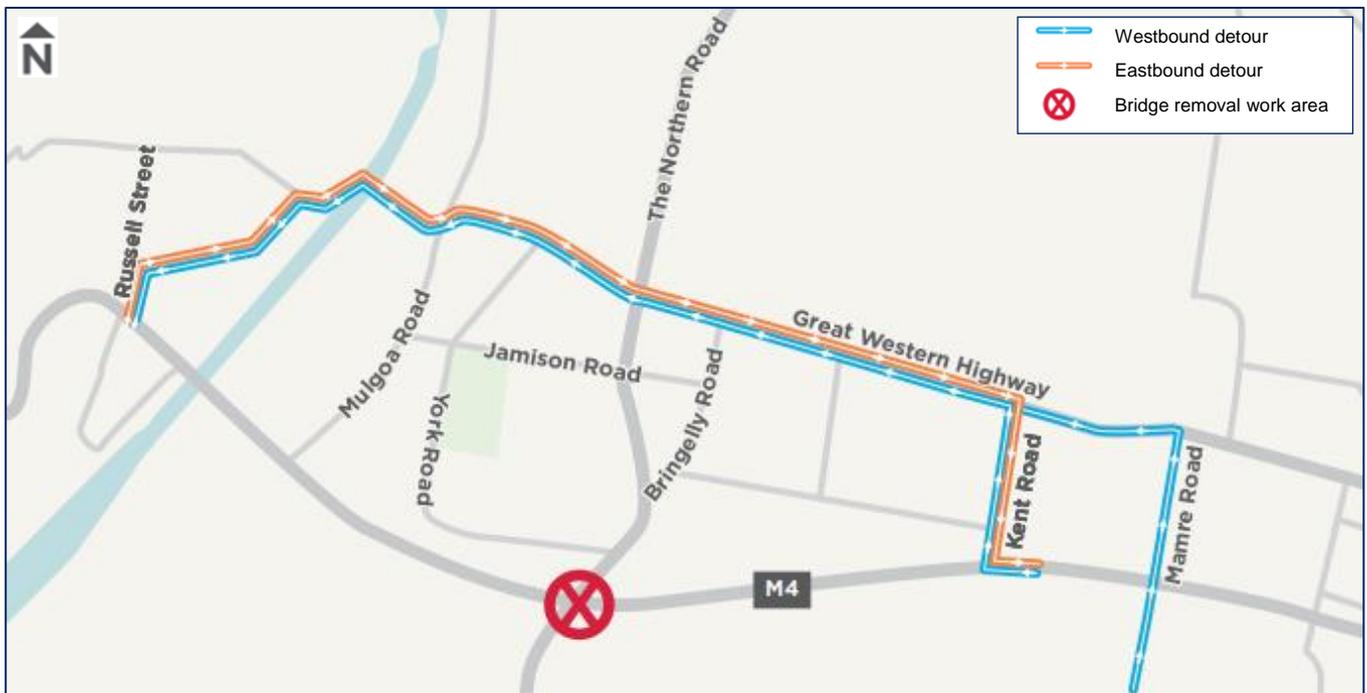
- **between 10am and 3pm on Saturday 8 June**
- **between 10am and 2pm on Sunday 9 June**

Please plan ahead and allow extra travel time if you need to be in the area, or travel on the M4 during the closure.

Diversions and detours will be in place during the closure. We have included a map to show the location of work and the main detour routes via the Great Western Highway that will be marked.

Vehicles will still be able to enter and exit the M4 Motorway in both directions at The Northern Road during the closure. However, motorists are advised to avoid the area for non-essential activities

Electronic message signs will be updated during the closure based on traffic conditions in the area to direct motorists to the best available routes.



Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of detour signs and traffic controllers. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

For our neighbours

To ensure we remove the bridge as efficiently as possible, work will be carried out continuously during the closure, **24 hours per day**.

Our work may be noisy at times and will involve:

- cranes
- excavator hammers
- saw cutting
- loading and unloading trucks
- hand tools

Every effort will be made to minimise impact on residents by:

- adapting our construction methods to reduce night work impacts as much as possible
- alternating between work locations to minimise continuous impact on residents
- using equipment fitted with noise mitigation devices
- monitoring noise at night.

Contact

If you have any questions or complaints, please contact our delivery partner Lendlease on 1800 870 665 or TNR.community@lendlease.com.

For more information on our projects, visit rms.nsw.gov.au/thenorthernroad.

Thank you for your patience during this important work.



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