

What are the steps in planning the Princes Highway upgrade?

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PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATIONS - INCLUDING BUILDING ON PREVIOUS PLANNING STUDIES

- 1991 GERRINGONG TO BERRY ROUTE EVALUATION STUDY
- 1997 NORTH STREET BERRY BYPASS CORRIDOR
- 2005 KIAMA TO NOWRA QUANTM STUDY



CONSULTANTS APPOINTED TO INVESTIGATE OPTIONS AND PREFERRED UPGRADE



DEVELOPMENT OF PRELIMINARY ROUTE OPTIONS



SHORTLISTING OF OPTIONS



SELECTION OF PREFERRED ROUTE INCLUDING IDENTIFICATION OF STAGING OPPORTUNITIES



FURTHER INVESTIGATIONS AND REFINEMENT OF PREFERRED ROUTE



APPROVAL OF THE PROJECT

EACH OF THESE STEPS
HAS OPPORTUNITIES FOR
COMMUNITY DISCUSSION.

HOW WE DO THAT CAN BE
RESOLVED NOW. THIS COULD
INCLUDE WORKSHOPS,
INFORMATION SESSIONS, FOCUS
GROUPS ETC.

OUR CONSULTATIONS WILL
NOW EXAMINE THIS PROCESS
AND WHAT IT MEANS FOR YOUR
COMMUNITY.

So what do we need to talk about now?

- How do you and your community want to be informed and how do you want to participate?
The RTA doesn't want to determine the style of forum and then expect people to join in. We want your advice now so we can design forums you can participate in.
- What information does the community need to participate effectively in this study?
- What is the process to select the route options and then the preferred option? How do we compare options? What happens if there are differing views in the community?
- How do we value and compare, different types of land? eg. urban, rural, semi-rural, agricultural or special uses such as hospitals? What are the local community values that are important for this study?
- What does this community see as the objectives for an upgrade of the highway?

How to tell us your views

Workshops

Come to a community workshop on:

- Wednesday 3 May 2006, 6pm to 8.30pm
School of Arts Hall, Alexandra Street, Berry
- Thursday 4 May 2006, 6pm to 8.30pm
Gerringong Town Hall, Gerringong
- Tuesday 9 May 2006, 6pm to 8.30pm
Bomaderry RSL, Bunberra Street, Bomaderry

Please RSVP to the number in the blue box to ensure catering and room arrangements for the workshops.

Information stands

The RTA will also be present at information stands:

- Saturday 6 May 2006, 10am to 1pm
at Queen Street, Berry
- Saturday 13 May 2006, 10am to 1pm
at Fern Street, Gerringong
- Saturday 20 May 2006, 10am to 1pm
outside 63 Meroo Street, Bomaderry

to discuss this study. We look forward to seeing you.

→ If you would like to attend a workshop please ring Grant Sharkey on 02 4221 2409 by 1 May 2006.

→ For more information contact the RTA project manager Ron de Rooy.

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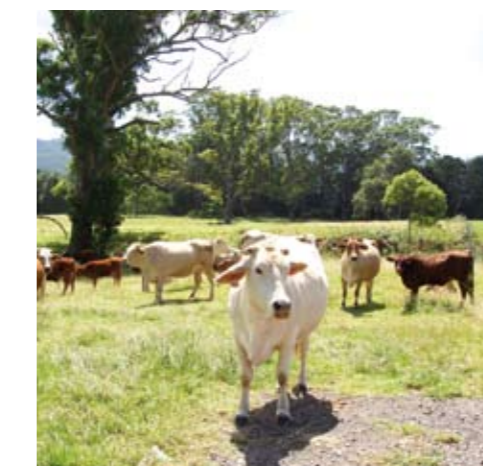
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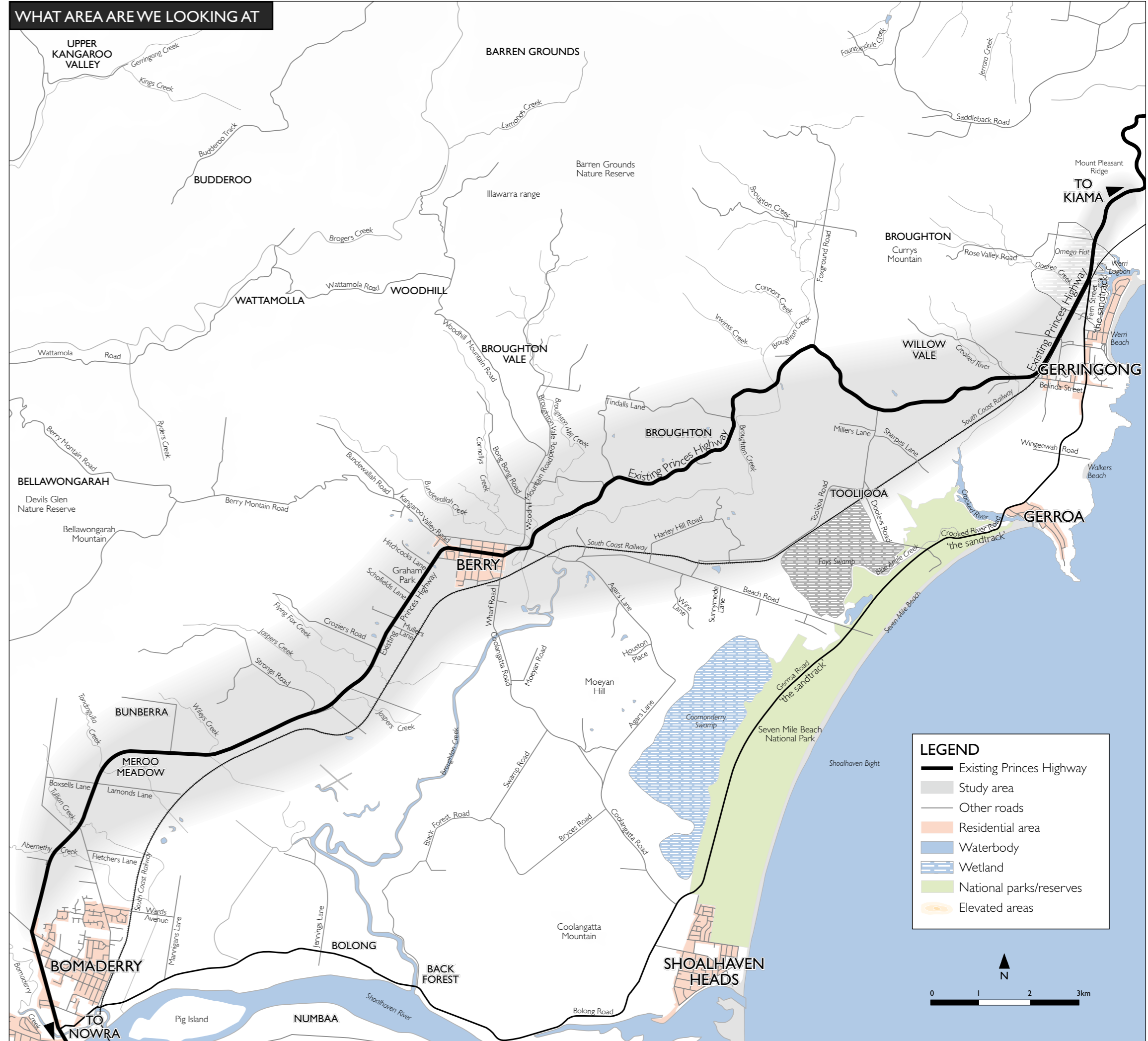
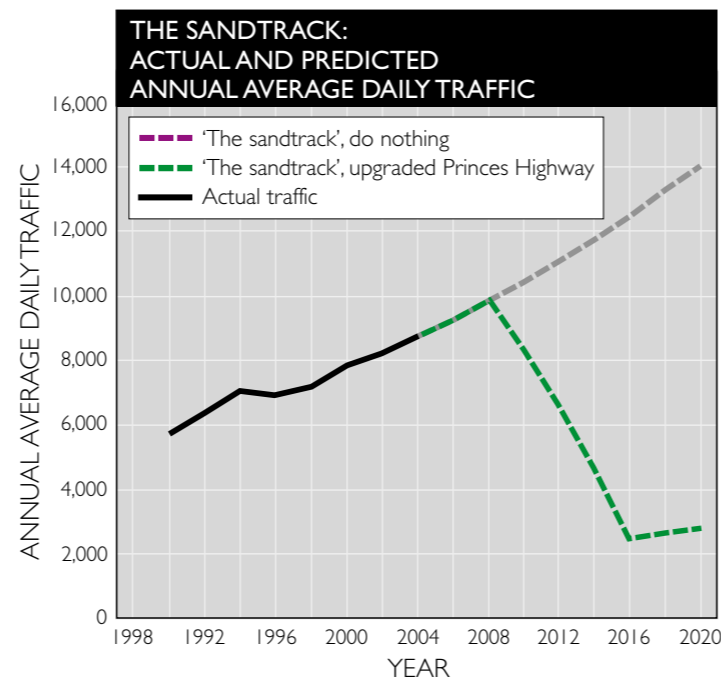
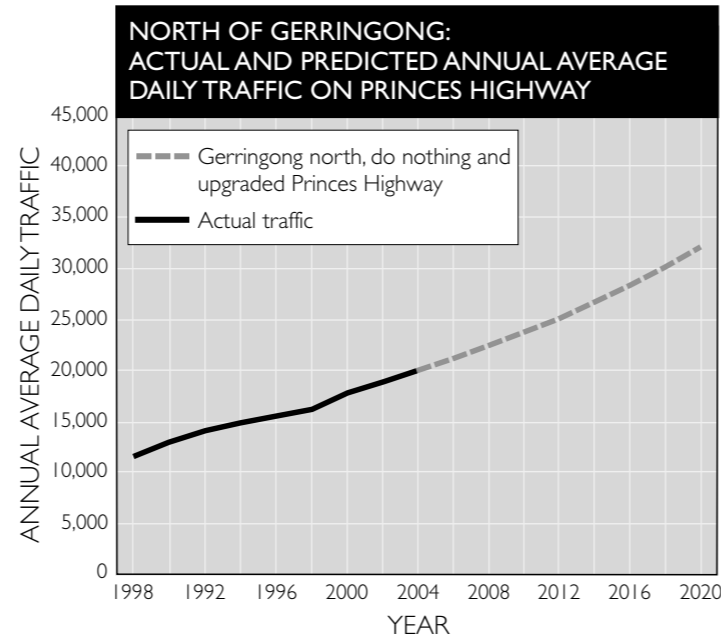


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Ultimately the NSW Roads and Traffic Authority will design a road with two lanes in each direction. This will cater for the projected increase in traffic and match the highway capacity provided to the north and south of the study area.