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COMMUNITY INVITED TO PROVIDE INPUT ON OPTIONS FOR AN ADDITIONAL BRIDGE AT GRAFTON

Information and options for an extra crossing of the Clarence River at Grafton are now on display, an RTA spokesperson said.

The RTA is conducting two information sessions and two community workshops to help identify a location for a new bridge and approaches to achieve the best outcome for the whole community.

“While earlier studies confirmed the bridge location, it also identified the need to look at the roads that would connect a new bridge to the existing road network.

“The preliminary road corridor options are now on display and preliminary traffic modelling of these options has been carried out,” the spokesperson said.

“These options provide a basis for community consultation and environmental investigations to help the RTA develop more detailed route options which will be put on public display later this year for further feedback from the community.”

Two information sessions will be held on Wednesday 3 March at the Grafton Community Centre from 10am to 12pm and from 6.30pm to 8.30 pm.

There will also be two community workshops on Thursday 11 March for which residents will need to register.

These workshops will provide a chance for members of the community to provide feedback on the RTA’s investigations.

The latest brochure, display and traffic review can be downloaded from the RTA’s website www.rta.nsw.gov.au or seen by visiting:

- Grafton Shopping World, Duke Street, Grafton
- RTA regional office, 31 Victoria Street, Grafton
- Clarence Valley Council administration centre, Prince Street, Grafton
- RTA Motor Registries at Maclean and Grafton

“This next step in the process is vital to allow planning to provide clarity for Clarence Valley Council, residents and the community,” the spokesperson said.

“We would encourage residents and businesses of the Clarence Valley area to become involved in this next phase of the planning process.”

To find out more or to register for one of the community workshops, please contact 1800 633 332.

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