

Pacific Highway upgrade between Lisarow and Ourimbah

Community Update – December 2018

The NSW Government invested \$70 million to upgrade the Pacific Highway between Lisarow and Ourimbah to improve traffic flow and safety.



Upgraded Pacific Highway between Lisarow and Ourimbah – October 2018

Thanks to the community

Roads and Maritime Services would like to thank the community, nearby residents and motorists for their patience and support during work to upgrade the Pacific Highway between Lisarow and Ourimbah.

The upgraded highway will improve safety and traffic flow, reduce travel times for motorists and improve connectivity for pedestrians and cyclists.

Key features of the upgrade include:

- duplication of the Pacific Highway to provide two lanes in each direction
- new traffic lights with pedestrian crossing facilities at the intersections of the Pacific Highway with Ourimbah Street, Teralba Street and Walmsley Road
- a shared pedestrian and cycle path on the western side of the highway
- two new bridges across Cut Rock Creek.

Key statistics

- The upgrade will improve traffic flow and travel times for about **30,000 motorists** travelling along this **1.6 kilometre** section of the highway each day
- More than **1,200 workers** were inducted on site during construction of the upgrade
- More than **700 cubic metres of recycled glass** processed at a local facility was used in the upgrade (crusher material and drainage aggregate)
- More than **8000 cubic metres of recycled concrete** was used in the upgrade (road base, select material and other use).



New traffic lights at intersection of the Pacific Highway and Walmsley Street



Intersection
improvements



Improving
traffic flow



Improving
safety

What's next?

In November the construction contract was awarded to Daracon Contractors to build the next stage of the Pacific Highway upgrade between Parsons Road and Ourimbah Street in Lisarow.

The main construction work will start in early 2019. The first stage of work will include establishing the site compound, clearing vegetation, erosion and sediment control, and survey work.

We will provide more information about work times, activities and changed traffic conditions closer to the work starting.

The next stage of work will include:

- two lanes in each direction on the Pacific Highway between Parsons Road and Ourimbah Street
- a new bridge over the rail line, replacing the existing narrow bridge near Railway Crescent
- new traffic lights at the Railway Crescent and Tuggerah Street intersection with the Pacific Highway
- upgrading the existing traffic lights at The Ridgeway
- improved pedestrian and cycle paths along and across the highway
- improved access to the parking area at Lisarow Railway Station.

Contact us

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Thank you for your patience during this important work.