Night work continuing on The Northern Road, South Penrith from Monday 1 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.

As part of The Northern Road upgrade between Glenmore Parkway and South Penrith, Transport for NSW will carry out additional night work along The Northern Road, local side streets, the M4 interchange bridge and the M4 Motorway.
Our work
This work includes:

- building retaining walls and bridge structures
- utility work including investigations, cutovers, underboring, removing overhead lines
- installing drainage
- setting up and adjusting barriers and signage
- installing traffic signals
- building road layers, placing asphalt and line marking
- general earthwork and landscaping.

To minimise the impact on road users, we will carry out this work at night from Monday 1 June 2020 to Monday 31 August 2020, weather permitting. Our work hours will be from 9pm to 9am on Fridays and Saturdays, and from 9pm to 5am Sundays to Thursdays.

There will be up to five night shifts per week, with no more than three consecutive night shifts carried out in the same location.

To support industry and continue to deliver critical infrastructure during the evolving Coronavirus situation, the NSW Government has introduced new rules allowing construction sites, including public infrastructure projects, to operate on weekends and public holidays. We may need to work extended hours on Saturdays, Sundays and Public Holidays between 7am and 6pm, weather permitting. We will notify residents who will be impacted of any additional work.

What to expect
Some activities may be noisy. The project team will limit these impacts wherever possible. Every effort will be made to minimise noise impact on residents by:

- using non-tonal reversing beepers on machinery
- turning off equipment and vehicles when not in use
- using lighting towers only when necessary
- directing noise generating equipment away from resident properties where possible.

Traffic changes
For the safety of motorists and workers, most of the work will take place behind concrete barriers. There will be some traffic changes and temporary lane closures which may affect travel times. Detours will be in place which may affect travel times. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of signs and traffic controllers.

Electronic message signs will also be in place to direct road users through these changes. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

Contact
If you have any questions or complaints, please contact our delivery partner Lendlease on 1800 870 665 or TNR.community@lendlease.com. Thank you for your patience as we carry out this work.

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