Road closure at The Northern Road and Glenmore Parkway intersection, Orchard Hills from Friday 8 May

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.

Transport for NSW is continuing work on The Northern Road upgrade between Glenmore Park and South Penrith. This work includes replacing the existing roundabout at Glenmore Parkway and Wentworth Road with new traffic lights and a service road to Penrith Golf Club.

With less people driving on the roads during this unprecedented time, we are implementing some traffic changes over the coming weeks, to take advantage of the lower traffic volumes and carry out important work on the project.

Map showing work location and road closures
Upcoming night road closures

To progress important work on this section of the project, we need to temporarily close access to Glenmore Parkway and Wentworth Road, Orchard Hills for 56 hours from 8pm Friday 8 May, reopening to traffic at 5am Monday 11 May, weather permitting. This extended closure is necessary to ensure the safety of motorists and our workers, and enables us to carry out this important work as efficiently as possible.

Following this work, we will continue to carry out night work at this location every Wednesday, Friday and Saturday between Wednesday 13 May and Friday 31 July, weather permitting. Our work hours will be 9pm to 5am on weekdays and 9pm to 9am on weekends. Directly impacted stakeholders will be contacted before work commences.

Traffic changes

Temporary traffic changes will be in place to ensure the work zone is safe for workers and road users. Electronic message signs will also be in place to direct road users through these changes.

Detours will be in place during the road closures. Access to Glenmore Parkway will be via Bradley Street and Glengarry Drive, or alternatively, Garswood Road and St Andrews Drive. Access to Wentworth Road will be via Frogmore Road and Kingswood Road. Access to Penrith Golf Club will be left in/left out only via The Northern Road. Motorists travelling southbound will need to perform a U-turn on Bradley Street at the Glengarry Drive intersection.

Road users are encouraged to avoid the area if possible during the closure and instead use the Mulgoa Road entrance and exit to Glenmore Park.

Please plan ahead and allow extra travel time for the minor detours that will be in place.

How will the work affect you?

During our work, we will make every effort to minimise the impact on residents and businesses 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.

The project team will use a variety of machinery excavate the existing road and install drainage, including excavators, bogie trucks, road saws, heavy and light vehicles, lighting towers, and power and hand tools.

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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