

Proposed upgrade of Maitland Bay Drive and Picnic Parade intersection, Ettalong Beach

Environmental assessment | October 2019

The NSW Government is investing \$7 million to improve traffic flow and safety for road users and pedestrians, improve amenity and access into and out of Ettalong Beach.

Background

This section of Maitland Bay Drive is used by around 19,000 vehicles a day and the intersection provides links between Ettalong Beach, Woy Woy and the suburbs on the eastern side of Rip Bridge.

We have included a map to show the proposed improvements which include:

- Installing a raised concrete roundabout and raised concrete medians
- New right and left turns into Kitchener Park carpark from Maitland Bay Drive, but left turn out only
- On-road lanes for cyclists
- New shared pathway to connect to existing footpath on the eastern side of Picnic Parade
- New pedestrian refuge on Picnic Parade
- No disturbance to Blackwall Mountain or trees on northern side of Maitland Bay Drive.

Have your say

Residents, business owners and community groups are invited to comment on the Review of Environmental Factors (REF) and the concept design for the proposal.

The REF outlines the key features and objectives of the proposal, the options Roads and Maritime Services has considered, as well as any potential environmental impact.

Review of Environmental Factors (REF)

The REF is a planning and assessment report that sets out the proposal, its potential environmental and social impacts and proposed mitigation measures. It is made available for community members and other stakeholders to review and submit their comments and questions.

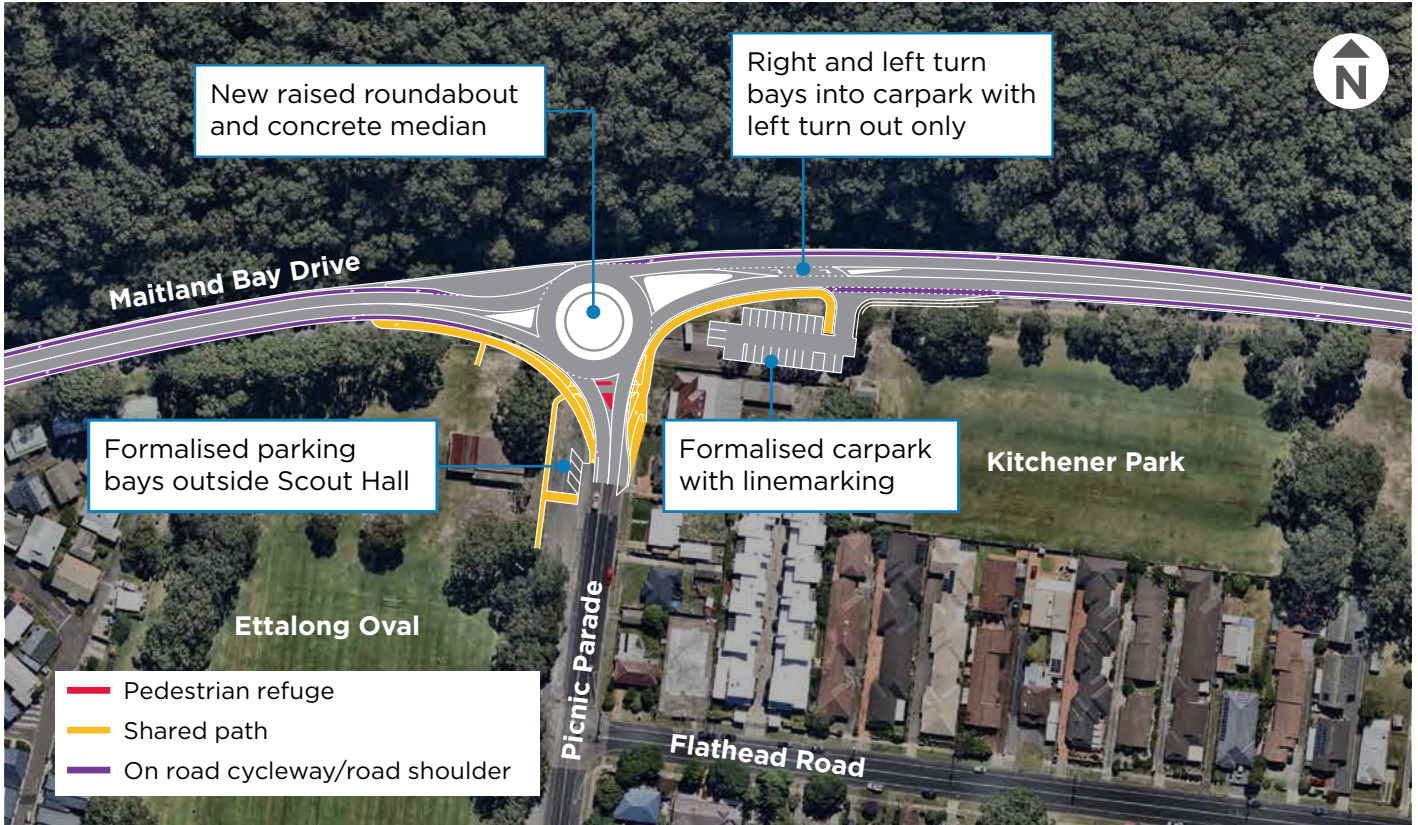
Roads and Maritime has prepared an REF to assess the need for the proposal and its potential impacts, which may include during construction, traffic disruption, some noise and vibration, and removal of some vegetation.

Next steps

The REF and concept design are on display until **Monday 18 November 2019**. You can view documents at Woy Woy Library at the corner of Blackwall Road and Oval Avenue, Woy Woy, Umina Beach Library, West Street, Umina, or online at rms.work/MaitlandBayDrive.



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For information or to make a submission

All submissions must be received by **5pm on Monday 18 November 2019**. For more information and to email a submission contact Project Manager, Vicky Lee, at:

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