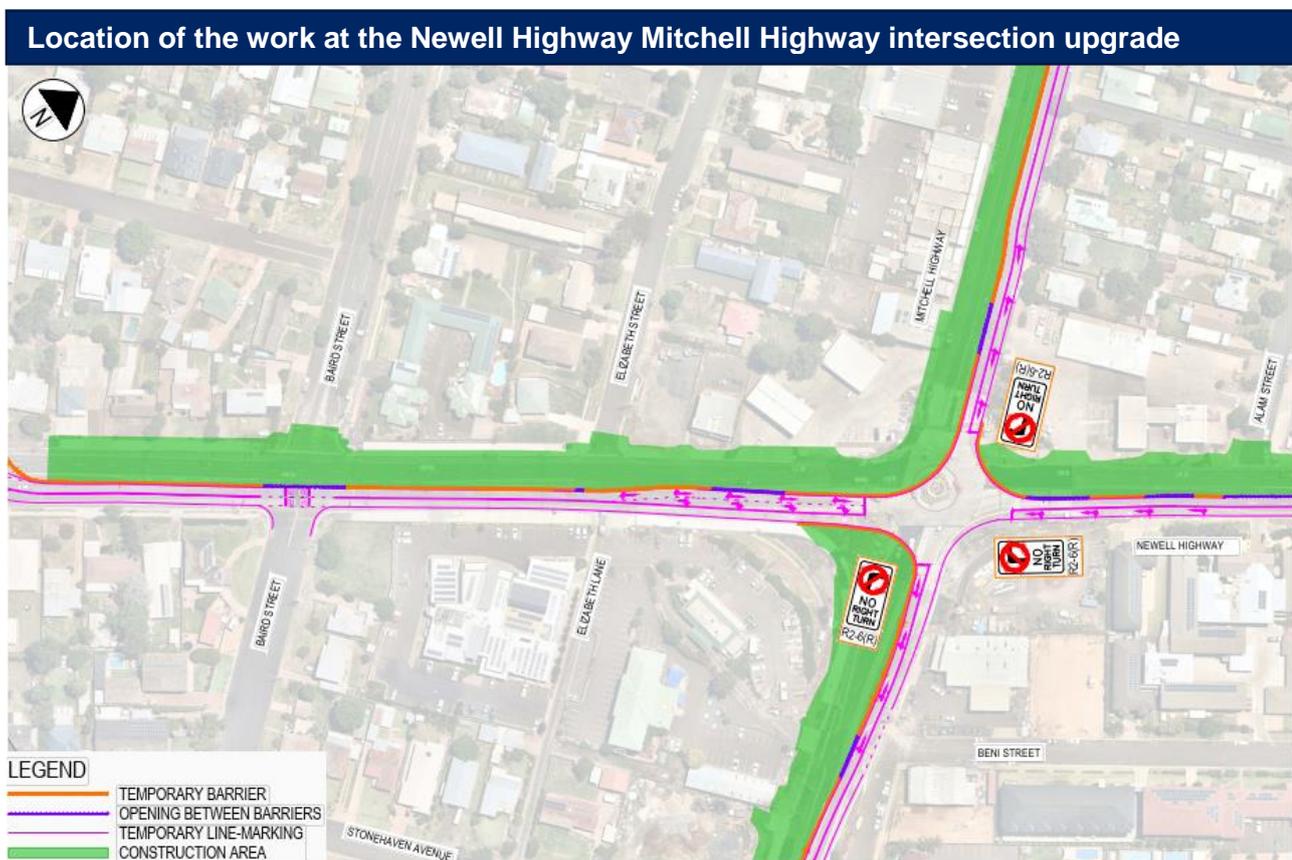


Night work to prepare for a traffic switch at the Newell Highway Mitchell Highway intersections, Dubbo from Tuesday 22 June 2021

The NSW Government is funding \$20 million to upgrade the Newell Highway and Mitchell Highway intersection to improve safety and efficiency.



Transport for NSW is upgrading the Newell Highway and Mitchell Highway intersection in Dubbo to improve traffic flow, which will reduce travel time, improve safety and ease congestion in and around Dubbo.

As part of this work, traffic will be moved onto a section of newly built pavement on all four legs of the intersection. During this time, right hand turn access will be restricted for vehicles turning right from the Mitchell Highway westbound lane, Mitchell Highway eastbound lane and the Newell Highway southbound lane. The attached map shows the location of the work and traffic switch.

To minimise impact on motorists, preparation work for this traffic switch will take place at night between **7pm and 6am on Tuesday 22 June**, weather permitting. From **7am Wednesday 23 June** traffic will travel on the new lanes, weather permitting.

How will the work affect you?

Our work may be noisy but every effort will be made to minimise impacts on residents.

Residents inside the traffic control area will be able to access their property, however access arrangements may be affected. Consultation with impacted residents is ongoing.

Traffic changes

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

Access to Baird Street and Elizabeth Street intersections will be impacted from 5 July 2021, for approx two weeks, weather permitting. During this time access to the Newell Highway will be via Young Street.

Motorists are advised to allow additional travel time, drive to the conditions and follow the directions of signs and traffic control.

A wide load detour will be in place via Minore Road, North Street, Erskine Street, Golden Highway and Wheelers Lane. The wide load detour will be in place 24 hours a day during construction.

A heavy vehicle detour for the Mitchell Highway will be in place via Thompson Street, Erskine Street, Golden Highway and Wheelers Lane. The heavy vehicle detour will be in place 24 hours a day during construction.

Please keep to the displayed 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, please contact the project team on 1800 803 818 or Dubboprojects@transport.nsw.gov.au.

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Thank you for your patience during this important work.



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