

Utility relocation at Newell Highway and Mitchell Highway intersection, Dubbo from Monday 4 May

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

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The existing roundabout at the intersection of the Newell Highway and Mitchell Highway will be removed and replaced with traffic lights. The intersection will also be widened as part of the safety improvements.

The next stage of the project includes extensive utility relocations, which will continue throughout 2020. The first utility relocation work will be for Telstra relocations and stormwater relocations, which will start on Monday 4 May 2020. Telstra work will continue for approximately six weeks and stormwater relocations will take approximately six months.

The utility work will continue progressively during the year, including NBN, Nextgen, water mains, sewerage, electrical reticulation, gas, drainage and street lighting relocation within the project footprint.

Due to the complex nature of identifying and relocating multiple utilities in and around the intersection, this work will take up to seven months to complete. We will keep nearby residents and businesses informed of upcoming activities, timing and potential impacts from the work. The map on page one shows the location utility relocation work and we will keep the community informed before each new stage of work begins. Stormwater relocations are throughout the project footprint.

The utility adjustments involve a high level of complexity as the project is located at a very busy intersection in Dubbo. We will plan and implement the staging of the work around the needs of businesses at the intersection and minimise impacts where possible. To help us keep you informed, we would like to have the name and address, mobile phone and email addresses of the residents and business owners who are near the intersection, so we can provide you with information about our work as quickly and easily as possible.

If you would like to provide your details, please call 1800 803 818 (toll free) or email dubboprojects@rms.nsw.gov.au and please let us know if you would prefer to receive information via email, text message or via your mailbox.

Telstra utility relocation work will be carried out between **7am** and **6pm** from **Monday** to **Friday** for six weeks.

Some of the utility relocation work may occur after hours to minimise the impact to local residents and businesses. Transport will continue to notify the community about the timeframe of any upcoming construction activities. Night work for Telstra relocations is also scheduled between **6pm** and **6am** from **Monday** to **Friday** from the week starting 4 May 2020. This night work is expected to take one week to complete, weather permitting.

Stormwater relocation work will be carried out between **7am** and **6pm** from **Monday** to **Friday** for approximately six months. Transport will notify the community about night work for stormwater relocation.

How will the work affect you?

We will notify you in advance and make every effort to minimise community impact wherever possible

Access to businesses and residences will be maintained. Where possible all impacts will be minimised and we will consult with you directly if some temporary changes are necessary.

Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic control measures in place to ensure the work zone is safe. Changed traffic conditions may be in place for the safety of workers and road users

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.

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