

November 2020

Richmond Bridge and traffic improvements project, investigations on The Driftway, Richmond

The Australian and NSW Governments have allocated funding to deliver traffic improvements including an additional bridge between Richmond and North Richmond.

Transport for NSW will do surveys and ground investigations along The Driftway over the coming months. These investigations will assist in designing proposed safety improvements between Londonderry Road and Blacktown Road as part of the Richmond Bridge and traffic improvements project.

We are continuing work to determine the preferred option for the upgrade, following previous community consultation on proposed options. Transport for NSW will engage widely with the community on a preferred option when finalised.

The project aims to:

- reduce congestion between Richmond and North Richmond and build for future growth
- improve travel times and journey time reliability
- improve resilience during floods
- improve safety and public and active transport connections.

What will the work involve?

Transport for NSW will carry out field investigations to understand the area and ground conditions.

These investigations will include ground and utility surveys within the road corridor between Londonderry Road and The Driftway, as well as small ground excavations that will take place at multiple locations along The Driftway, and at the Londonderry Road intersection and Blacktown and Racecourse Road intersection.

We have included a map to show where we will work.

Our work schedule

We will complete this work between **2 December 2020 and 30 January 2021, weather permitting.**

Most of this work will be done during standard daytime work hours. However, there is some work that needs to be carried out at night on Londonderry Road and Blacktown Road to minimise traffic disruption and reduce safety risks to the workers and motorists. We will notify properties that may be impacted by this work before it starts.

How will the work affect you?

There may be some impact to residents during this work, including noise and dust. We will make every effort to minimise these impacts.

Traffic changes

There will be temporary traffic changes during our work to ensure the work zone is safe. This will include lane closures with stop and go contra flow traffic control in place. Please keep to speed limits and follow signs and traffic controllers' directions. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

We appreciate and thank you in advance for your patience while we carry out this important work.

Our work schedule

Work will complete this work between **2 December 2020 and 30 January 2021**. There will be a two week break in the work between 24 December 2020 and 10 January 2021.

Our standard work hours are between **7am and 6pm Monday to Friday** and **8am to 1pm on Saturdays**.

Our night work hours are between **8pm and 5am** from **Sunday to Friday**, weather permitting.

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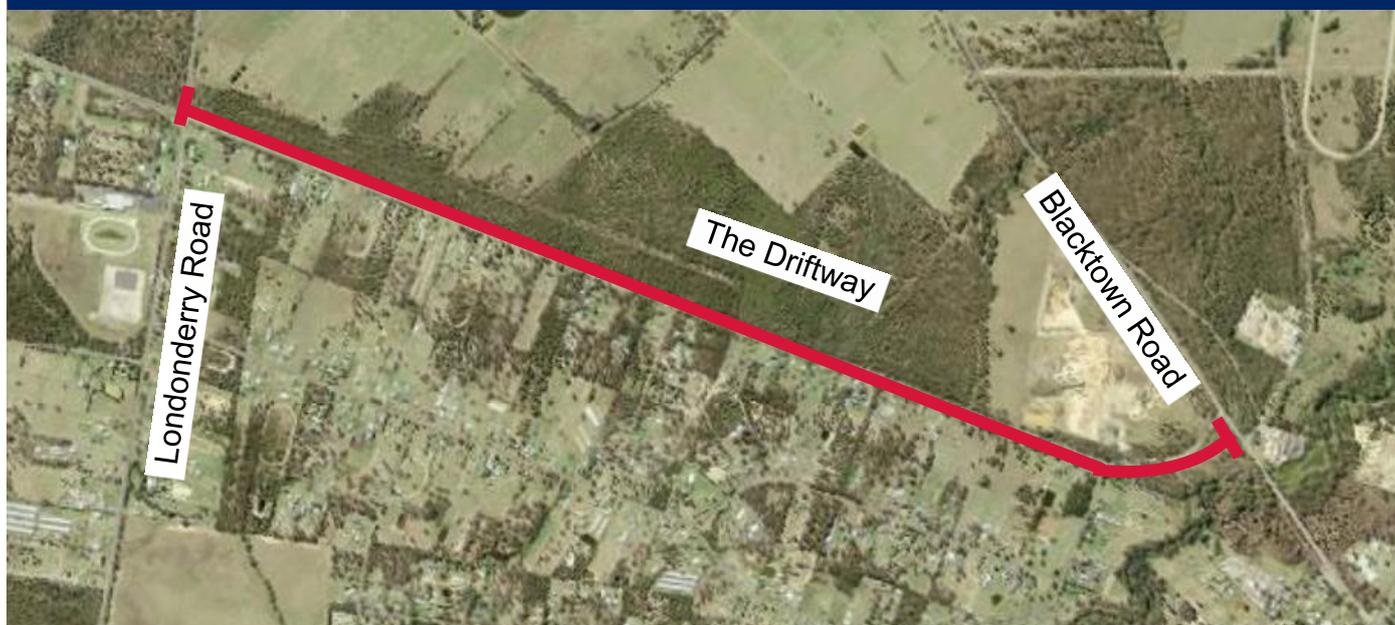
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Location of the investigations along The Driftway, Richmond



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