

Victoria Bridge upgrade Stage 1 – day and night closures and project update

Transport for NSW is upgrading the historic Victoria Bridge over Stonequary Creek, Picton. The upgrade will improve longevity and reduce future maintenance costs for this historically significant bridge.



Victoria Bridge upgrade Stage 1 – the solid timber top chords providing support for the bridge will be removed and replaced

Day and night closure

Between **7am Monday 14 December** and **5pm Friday 18 December**, weather permitting, the bridge will be closed to vehicle traffic during the day and at night while temporary supports are installed under the bridge.

A full closure is required to install these supports to brace the bridge so that parts of its timber structure can be replaced. Work to install the supports will be done during the day between **7am** and **5pm, Monday to Friday**.

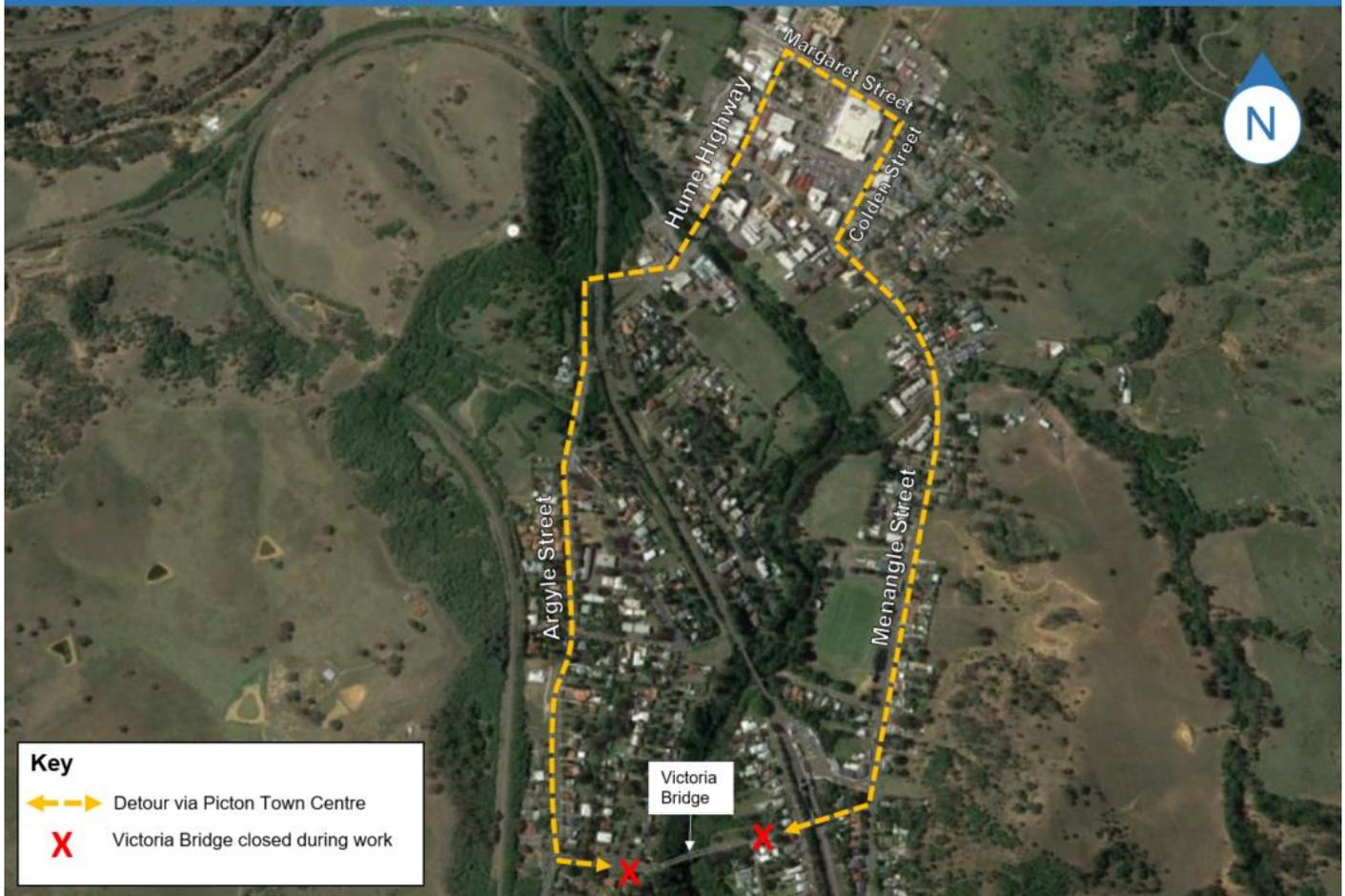
Pedestrian access across the bridge will be maintained during this work.

Traffic will be detoured via Menangle Street, Colden Street, Margaret Street, Old Hume Highway and Argyle Street. We have included a map on the other side of this notification.

In the event of an emergency requiring the bridge to be used as an evacuation route, work will be stopped and the bridge will be reopened to vehicle traffic.

Please keep to the speed limits and follow signs and traffic controllers' directions.

Temporary closure of Victoria Bridge



Work schedule update

In October we wrote to you to advise that there would be up to 17 days of 24 hour closures to install temporary supports and remove and replace the top supports. Due to the difficulty of working around the constricted space, 12 days of these closures have been delayed and will now occur in early 2021. We will notify you again closer to the planned dates.

There will be no work during the Christmas Holiday period from **Friday 25 December**. Work will resume in the New Year from **Monday 4 January 2021**.

Contact

If you have any questions, please contact the project team on **1800 313 075** or victoriabridgepicton@transport.nsw.gov.au. For more information on our projects, visit <https://www.rms.nsw.gov.au/projects/victoria-bridge-picton>.

Thank you for your patience during this important work.



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