Out of hours work at 1 Memorial Avenue, Penrith and Punt Road, Emu Plains, from Friday 20 October

The NSW Government is building a new pedestrian and cyclist bridge over the Nepean River to connect Penrith and Emu Plains.

Roads and Maritime Services is continuing to deliver the new bridge to provide a safe crossing for pedestrians and cyclists over the Nepean River and improve connections to existing and future shared paths, including the Great River Walk.

Early morning concrete pour

Roads and Maritime will carry out an early morning concrete pour for the bridge’s western support pier on the west bank of the Nepean River. This work will take one shift in late October/early November. The confirmed date will depend on weather conditions, and nearby residents will be advised when the date is confirmed.

The concrete pour will start from 3:30am at the coolest part of the day, to avoid problems during the setting of the concrete and to avoid cracking.

The work will involve:

- installing traffic controls including opening gates and temporary lighting towers
- setting up concrete boom pumps and other equipment
- pouring concrete.

We have included a photograph to show where the work will take place.

Further deliveries of bridge components to site

In addition to the previously advised five nights of bridge components being delivered to the site under police escort, we will need to carry out further escorted night deliveries between Friday 20 October and Friday 19 January. For safety reasons and to limit the impact to the road network, all deliveries will take place between 3am and 5am.

Access to the Memorial Avenue compound will be from the gates off the Great Western Highway. The bridge components will be unloaded within standard working hours to minimise noise for local residents.

Christmas holiday period work hours

We will not carry out work during the Christmas and New Year holiday period on the Nepean River Bridge between Saturday 23 December 2017 and 7am on Monday 8 January 2018.

During this time the compounds will be locked and all road construction restrictions removed.
How will the work affect you?

There may be some noise and vibration associated with this work. We will make every effort to minimise noise, including ensuring our work program allows opportunities for respite. Portable lighting will be used and we will focus lights only on the working area to minimise light spilling into nearby residences.

Contact

If you have any questions, please contact our delivery partner Seymour Whyte Constructions, on 1800 851 934 or email us on nepeanbridge@rms.nsw.gov.au. For more information on our projects, visit rms.nsw.gov.au.

Thank you for your patience during this important work.

![Location and Photograph of Western Support Pier](image-url)