Site establishment on Old Windsor Road, Bella Vista from Monday 11 February 2019

The NSW Government is upgrading Sydney’s road network, easing congestion, improving traffic flow and reducing travel times.

Roads and Maritime Services is widening Old Windsor Road from two to three lanes in each direction between Seven Hills Road and Norbik Drive in Bella Vista. The extra lanes will help ease congestion and improve traffic flow along Old Windsor Road, especially during peak times. The project will take around 12 months to complete, weather permitting.
We have planned the work schedule so the road upgrade can be completed as quickly as possible, limiting the impact on the local community. Some work needs to be carried out at night to minimise traffic disruption and reduce safety risks to the workers.

This first stage of work includes establishing the site compound, removing trees and vegetation, installing traffic controls, investigating and locating utilities as well as drilling holes and saw-cutting.

We will be updating you on this project as work progresses, including informing you in advance about future work schedules and night work.

If you have any questions or concerns about this night work schedule, please contact the project team by Monday 25 February at pinchpoint@rms.nsw.gov.au or 1800 572 004.

Community consultation

We consulted with the community and Blacktown City and Hill Shire Councils on this project in 2017. The results of the consultation can be found at rms.work/widenoldwindsor.

Tree and vegetation removal

To widen the road we need to remove the vegetation and trees from the median strip. At the end of the project, we will replace this vegetation and trees with grass. An additional twelve trees and some vegetation will be removed from the M7 on ramp area to improve visibility and safety for motorists. These trees will be replaced in a nearby area.

How will the work affect you?

Our work may be noisy at times. However we will do everything we can to minimise its impact, including completing noisier activities by midnight. Noise barriers along Old Windsor Road, will minimise the impact of noisy tasks.

Traffic changes

There will be temporary traffic changes during our work hours to ensure the work zone is safe. Lane closures will be in place and may affect travel times. 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.