

Works Update

Gap Road & Horne Street intersection upgrade, Sunbury

What we're doing

We're upgrading the intersection of Gap Road and Horne Street in Sunbury, to make it safer and improve traffic flow. Works will be completed by late 2018.

The improvements we're making to the intersection include:

- Removing the existing roundabout, and installing traffic lights at the intersection
- new dedicated right-hand turning lanes from all directions
- signalised pedestrian crossings
- dedicated bike lanes
- new traffic lights synchronised with nearby level crossing

As part of this upgrade we need to relocate underground services, including phone lines and other telecommunications services, water and sewer, gas and power (including power poles).

What have we completed so far?

We've been busy relocating the underground services to clear the intersection so that we can install the new lanes and traffic lights. So far we have:

- installed Telstra and NBN conduits and pits
- completed Telstra cabling works
- completed the new water main installation

What's happening now?

Service relocation works are continuing and over the next two months you'll see us:

- complete the water relocation works including the removal of the old water pipes
- finish all NBN cabling works
- begin the relocation of power poles and overhead lines
- commence drainage and pavement construction works

Relocation works involve a variety of construction techniques, with a lot happening underground and some works above ground. Our crews will need to cut into the road and excavate down to where certain services are located in order to move them safely and correctly.

When to expect us

7am – 5pm, Monday to Friday

Local residents and businesses will be advised in advance when extended working hours may be required and if there are any significant changes to the program. We encourage you to sign up for our email alerts.

We may need to close the intersection in some or all directions with detours in place to work on the intersection. We may run overnight works that close or partially close the intersection to minimise traffic disruptions. If intersection closures are required, we'll keep you updated once dates are confirmed.

What to be aware of

There may be lane closures in place on weekdays outside peak hours (between 9.30am – 3.30pm) to ensure the safety of our crew and the community, and to minimise traffic impacts. There may be delays. Please be aware of changed traffic conditions and look out for new signage.

Access to homes and businesses will be available **at all times**, but traffic controllers will be on site if access is restricted for any reason.

We'll keep the impact on the community and road users to a minimum, but we expect there will be some medium-high level noise from some of the digging and road-cutting works. Once certain services have been relocated, there may be short-term service disruptions while they are reconnected to the new service. Reconnections will be undertaken overnight where practical, to keep disruptions to a minimum. Your service provider will notify you if you are affected by this.

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