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# Update on night work: Hills M2 Motorway

Dear Resident

NorthConnex is a nine kilometre tunnel that will link the M1 Pacific Motorway at Wahroonga to the Hills M2 Motorway at West Pennant Hills, removing around 5,000 trucks off Pennant Hills Road each day.

Further to our previous notifications, night work will continue as part of the Hills M2 Motorway integration work for the NorthConnex project. This work is expected to be completed by the end of February 2018, weather permitting.

### What are we doing?

An additional westbound lane is being built between Pennant Hills Road and Windsor Road. The new lane will allow southbound motorists using the new NorthConnex tunnel to merge safely with westbound traffic on the existing motorway.

The integration work will continue from 4 October 2016 for about 16 months. To ensure the safety of motorists and workers this work will be carried out at night between 9pm and 5am Sunday to Thursday, weather permitting. Generally, there will be no work on Friday or Saturday nights however some weekend work may be required and directly impacted residents will be notified separately.

The following activities will continue to be carried out at a number of locations over 4.8 kilometres on the motorway between Pennant Hills Road and Windsor Road. A map of the area is provided overleaf.

- Installing safety barriers on the shoulder of the motorway
- Installing temporary noise barriers on the shoulder of the motorway
- Installing electrical services
- Installing bridge girders (support beams)
- Concreting work
- Installing temporary street lights
- Installing temporary line marking
- Installing signs and safety screens
- Excavating work for the new westbound lane
- Installing and removing access gates
- Removing excess material
- Maintenance work and repairs.







#### **Managing impacts**

You are likely to experience increased noise during some of these activities. We will make every effort to minimise impacts by:

- Notifying residents and businesses before work starts near their property
- Using non-tonal reversing beepers on all machinery
- Turning off equipment and vehicles when not in use
- Where possible directing noise generating equipment away from residential properties.

## **Traffic management**

One westbound and eastbound lane will be intermittently closed as part of this work. Traffic management and signage will be in place to ensure the safety of motorists and workers. Please allow extra travel time and visit www.livetraffic.com, download Live Traffic App or call the Transport Management Centre 132 701 for the latest traffic information.

We thank you for your patience, and if you have any questions or complaints, please don't hesitate to call us on 1800 997 057, email enquiries@northconnex.com.au or visit the NorthConnex Community Information Centre at 118 Yarrara Road, Pennant Hills, open weekdays from 9am to 5pm.

Yours sincerely

**NorthConnex Project Team** 

# **Location of work activities along the Hills M2 Motorway**



Key:

Southern Interchange compound

Work areas