

December 2018

Work outside of normal construction hours for the new Grafton bridge project

To complete the bridge pier structures, work outside of normal construction hours will be required five times between December and February 2019.

Concrete quality is significantly affected by the temperature at which it is poured. The project team would like to work outside the approved construction hours to allow concrete to be poured at the coolest time of the day to ensure the best results.

The current approved construction hours for the project are:

- Monday to Friday 7am to 6pm
- Saturdays 8am to 1pm

The project team would like to work outside these hours at the following times:

Month	Out of hours work	Work activity
18 December, one day	4 – 7am	Pouring and compacting concrete
January, three days	4 – 7am	Pouring and compacting concrete
February, one day	4 – 7am	Pouring and compacting concrete

How will the work impact me?

The work is noisy and involves concrete trucks, pumps, vibration machines and light towers. We will reduce these impacts by

- Offering alternative accommodation to impacted residents on each of the five nights work occurs
- Directing light towers downwards and away from residences to reduce light spill
- Turning machines off when not in use
- Planning activities to minimise noise from reversing vehicles

- Parking trucks away from residential areas as much as possible
- Parking work trucks within the construction zone to reduce impacts on residential access
- Use of targeted noise shielding to prevent noise impacts leaving the work zone.

If any impacted residents do not agree to this extension to work hours, the independent Environmental Representative overseeing the environmental impacts for the project will make a decision about extending the work hours.

Noise monitoring will be conducted during work hours and project staff will be contactable during the work hours on 1800 918 759 to address any concerns.

Contact us

If you would like to make an enquiry or complaint, or to register your general feedback, please contact the Community Relations Team via

- 1800 918 759
- graftonbridgecommunity@fultonhogan.com.au
- PO Box 546 Grafton, NSW 2460
- Visit the Community Display Centre at the corner of Duke and Pound streets, Grafton.

For more information on this project, visit <u>www.rms.nsw.gov.au/graftonbridge.</u>



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