## Out of hours work



**JUNE 2015** 

**CHARLES STREET (GWYDIR HIGHWAY) EARLY WORK** 

The NSW Government is funding early work as part of the second crossing of the Clarence River at Grafton. As part of this work, the project may need to work at night, outside standard working hours. This out of hours work minimises the impact to motorists and ensures the safety of workers and road users.

## **Paving works**

Concrete paving work on the west bound lanes is nearing completion. On 2 and 3 July 2015, night work is required to lay asphalt on the road connecting the new concrete pavement to the existing road.

This work will be carried out at night to minimise impacts on traffic and for the safety of workers and motorists.

Following this activity, traffic will be moved onto the new roadway during the week starting 6 July. This will allow work to continue on the opposite side of the road.

## Proposed out of hours work

Standard working hours are Monday to Friday 7am to 6pm and Saturday 8am to 1pm.

Out of hours activities for asphalt paving is proposed to take place over two nights, between 6pm and 7am **Thursday 2 and Friday 3 July**, weather permitting. If work is delayed, it will be rescheduled to Monday 6 July and Tuesday 7 July. No out of hours work will take place on Sunday.

## How will noise and vibration be managed?

The work will involve the use of lighting towers, delivery vehicles, asphalt paving machines and light vehicles. We will manage noise and vibration associated with the work through regular monitoring and ongoing consultation with impacted individuals.

The project team has prepared mitigation measures to manage the out of hours work. This includes programming noisier activities earlier in the evening, minimising heavy machinery interaction and the use of reversing squawkers.

A 24 hour phone line is available if you have any issues with out of hours noise and vibration. You can speak to a project representative by phoning 1800 633 332 (and select the Charles Street option). This will ensure your issues are investigated immediately.

During the out of hours activities, traffic management may be in place to ensure the safety of motorists, residents and workers.

Electronic message signs will also be used to advise of any upcoming night works that impacts traffic.

If you require further information please contact the community relations team on 1800 633 332 or email <a href="mailto:graftonbridge@rms.nsw.gov.au">graftonbridge@rms.nsw.gov.au</a>

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