

# Mount Ousley interchange

## Upcoming closures of the M1 Princes Motorway (Mount Ousley Road) and Picton Road

October 2024



Transport for NSW acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pays respect to Elders past and present.

We are building a new interchange on the M1 Princes Motorway at the base of Mount Ousley to improve connectivity, safety and efficiency for those travelling through the gateway to Wollongong.

### When we'll be working

Our first multiple night closure of the M1 Princes Motorway (Mount Ousley Road) from Bulli Pass to Memorial Drive and Picton Road between M1 Princes Motorway and Almond Street at Wilton will now occur in November 2024, between 8pm and 4am on:

- **Sunday 3 November, Monday 4 November and Wednesday 6 November**
- **Sunday 10 November, Monday 11 November and Wednesday 13 November.**

Should these full road closures not occur due to weather, they will be rescheduled for the following fortnight.

### What work are we doing?

Work during the closure includes:

- extensive removal of vegetation
- installing barriers and signs
- building site access gates
- removing part of the southbound noise wall and installing a temporary noise wall
- completing drainage work relocating utilities, installing temporary street lighting
- pavement work and line marking.

During these closures Transport for NSW will also be carrying out maintenance work on the M1 Princes Motorway between Bulli Tops and Memorial Drive, and on Picton Road between the M1 Princes Motorway and Almond Street at Wilton. Work will include vegetation removal, guardrail repairs, pavement testing, line marking and cleaning drains to improve safety.

### How will this work affect you?

There will be some noise and lighting associated with this work. We will make every effort to minimise these impacts.

Equipment being used during work will include light vehicles and trucks, vacuum trucks, lighting towers, generators, excavators with hammers and chainsaws, rollers and graders, compaction equipment, road profiler and saw, asphalt paver and spray seal truck, concreting equipment, linemarking truck, chainsaws and mulchers, and cranes.

### Traffic impacts

During full closures of the M1 Princes Motorway (Mount Ousley Road) from Bulli Pass to Memorial Drive and Picton Road between M1 Princes Motorway and Almond Street at Wilton, detours will be in place.

- Light and heavy vehicles less than 19 metres long and under 50.5 tonnes, travelling between Wollongong and Bulli Tops can detour via Memorial Drive and Bulli Pass.
- Heavy vehicles over 19 metres long and more than 50.5 tonnes will not be able to access Bulli Pass and are advised to delay their journey or they will be parked up.
- Road users travelling between Wollongong and the Hume Motorway can detour via Memorial

Drive, Bulli Pass, Appin Road, or the Illawarra Highway (Macquarie Pass).

- Light vehicles can also detour via Wilton Road (Broughton Pass).
- Local access to Mount Ousley Road between the Princes Highway and Gowan Brae Avenue will be maintained.

Electronic message signs will advertise road closure dates in advance and any changes to dates due to weather impacts.

### Access window for heavy vehicles over 19 metres long and more than 50.5 tonnes

Heavy vehicles over 19 metres long and more than 50.5 tonnes, will be given a 30-minute window of access during the full closures on:

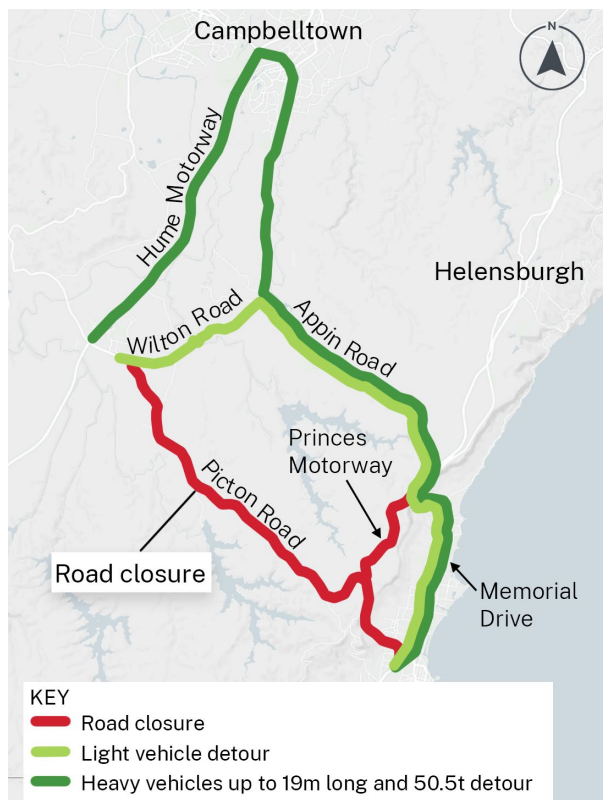
- **Monday 4 November and Wednesday 6 November**
- **Monday 11 November and Wednesday 13 November.**

Operators of these heavy vehicles are advised to register in advance and they will be escorted through the site at 12am (midnight) on the dates listed above.



To register your interest in using this access window, please scan the QR code. Register by **Monday 28 October 2024**.

### Detour map



### Contact us

To receive the latest information about closure dates, please visit the project website to subscribe for emails and SMS updates.

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