

13 September 2011

Our reference: N0134

Dear resident,

Re: Night work scheduled to commence 20 September on Devlins Creek Bridge at Beecroft

The Hills M2 Upgrade will widen the existing motorway generally between Windsor Road, Baulkham Hills and Lane Cove Road, North Ryde and will deliver four new ramps to improve access to the motorway. The project aims to provide efficient and integrated transport for the community of Sydney's North-West. Major work started in January 2011 and is expected to take approximately two years to complete.

To enable Devlins Creek Bridge to be widened, an existing noise wall on the westbound carriageway needs to be temporarily removed. A temporary noise wall extending approximately 170m long will be built prior to removal of the existing noise wall.

This work will be undertaken at night when traffic volumes are lower.

What is happening with the noise wall at this location?

1. A new temporary noise wall will be constructed along the length of Devlins Creek Bridge on the westbound carriageway of the motorway. The temporary noise wall will be located closer to the traffic. The temporary noise wall will be approximately 2.1m high and will be of timber construction.
2. The existing noise wall will be removed following the erection of the temporary noise wall. This will allow for the bridge widening works to take place.
3. A new permanent noise wall will be constructed in early to mid 2012. The permanent noise wall will be made of similar materials and will be the same height (4.2 metres) as the existing noise wall.

Why can't the new permanent noise wall be constructed now?

The new permanent noise wall at this location cannot be built until the widening of the westbound carriageway over Devlins Creek Bridge is complete.

This work involves closing one lane of the westbound carriageway at night and will be undertaken from 8pm to 5.30am, refer to the table over for further details.

The following equipment will be used:

- Light vehicles
- Small tools and generators
- Lights

You may experience increased noise levels during this work. We will take measures to keep this to a minimum, including:

- Using non-tonal reversing alarms, which make a "quacking" sound instead of a "beeping" sound.
- Shrouding all stationery equipment and using hoarding where possible.



SPEEDING KILLS ROADWORKERS TOO.
Slow down at worksites.



Hills M2 Upgrade

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For more information about how we will manage noise, please refer to the *Hills M2 Upgrade Noise Management Fact Sheet* which is available on the project website www.hillsm2upgrade.com.au

The community complaints and information line 1800 196 266 (select option 2) will be attended day and night during construction. Complaints received will be responded to within two hours and investigation of the complaint will proceed at the earliest opportunity. If you have any questions or would like to provide feedback please contact the project team on the 1800 number or email enquiries@hillsm2upgrade.com.au.

Kind regards

Sanjin Muhic
Hills M2 Upgrade Community Relations Manager

If you need an interpreter, please call the Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS National) on **131 450** and ask them to telephone the M2 Upgrade project information line on 1800 196 266. Our business hours are 8.30am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday.

Cantonese

若你需要口譯員，請致電**131 450**聯絡翻譯和口譯服務署 (TIS National)，要求他們致電 1800 196 266 聯絡 M2 Upgrade project information line。我們的工作時間是 8.30am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday。

Mandarin

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Korean

통역사가 필요하시면 번역통역서비스 (TIS National)에 **131 450**으로 연락하여 이들에게 **1800 196 266** 번으로 M2 Upgrade project information line에 전화하도록 요청하십시오. 저희의 근무시간은 8.30am to 5.00pm Monday to Friday 입니다.



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A team consisting of The Roads and Traffic Authority of NSW, The Hills Motorway Limited and Hills Motorway Management Limited (as trustee of the Hills Motorway Trust)

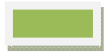
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Dates of night work to construct the temporary noise wall	Sep 20	Sep 21	Sep 22

Dates of night work



Contingency (wet weather) date



Legend:

Work area (westbound carriageway)

