Work on Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach from Wednesday 30 March

The NSW Government is funding this $24,000 project at the intersection of Avalon Parade as part of its $500 million Black Spot Program, which aims to make the State’s roads safer and reduce the risk, incidence and severity of crashes on the road network.

Roads and Maritime Services sought feedback from the community and stakeholders on our proposed intersection improvement in April 2015. The proposal includes installing a mast arm for a traffic light and pedestrian fencing, changing traffic light phasing and signage and improving kerb ramps.

We received feedback from 57 people and organisations. The majority supported the proposal but wanted additional improvements for pedestrian safety at the intersection. We have prepared a Community Consultation Report that summarises the feedback and our responses to it. A copy is available by contacting Sheila Maidment on 1800 735 563 or at info@ltjv.com.au

After reviewing the feedback, we have decided to proceed with the project and make some additional improvements for pedestrian safety. We thank everyone who provided comments and the community and stakeholders for considering the proposal.

What happens next?

This work will take six shifts to complete, between Wednesday 30 March and Wednesday 27 April, excluding weekends and public holidays, weather permitting. Our working hours will be from 7am to 5pm and from 9pm to 5am. The work will include:

- Installing a traffic light on a mast arm on the eastern side of Barrenjoey Road
- Installing a 15 metre pedestrian fence to encourage people to cross at the traffic lights
- Holding eastbound motorists on Avalon Parade turning right into Barrenjoey Road on a red arrow to allow people to start crossing before vehicles turn
- Removing the Left Turn on Red permitted after stopping’ sign on the north west corner of the intersection
- Upgrading all kerb ramps and improving pedestrian and cyclist access
- Installing a larger Give Way to Pedestrians sign on the south east corner of the intersection
- Installing line marking and signs.

We have included a map to help explain the project.

How will the work affect you?

There will be some noise associated with this work. We will make every effort to minimise its impact, including by carrying out the noisiest work during the day and before 11pm.
Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe.

Lane closures will be in place and may affect travel times. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

Contact

If you have any questions, please call our delivery partner LT Joint Venture on 1800 735 563 or email info@ltjv.com.au. For more information on our projects, visit rms.nsw.gov.au