Night work and traffic changes on Princes Highway near the May Street and Barwon Park Road intersections St Peters

Night work will continue to install new utility service conduits across the full width of Princes Highway near the intersection of May Street between Tuesday 15 January and Thursday 7 February. On Monday 21 January, work will also be carried out within the traffic island at the intersection of Princes Highway and Barwon Park Road.

What we’re doing
Work to install new communications and ITS (Intelligent Transport Systems) conduits across the full width of Princes Highway near the May Street intersection is taking longer than originally scheduled. This is due to the presence of congested utility services under the road surface resulting in confined working conditions, and restricted traffic approvals to close lanes on Princes Highway reducing the amount of time available to complete each shift and reinstate the road for traffic each morning. Work across Princes Highway near the May Street intersection will continue on the following nights:

- Tuesday 15 January from 7pm to 5am
- Thursday 17 January from 7pm to 5am
- Monday 21 January from 7pm to 5am
- Wednesday 23 January from 7pm to 5am
- Wednesday 30 January from 7pm to 5am
- Friday 1 February from 7pm to 5am
- Tuesday 5 February from 7pm to 5am
- Thursday 7 February from 7pm to 5am

Traffic changes at the intersection of Princes Highway and May Street will be in place on the above dates from 11pm to 5am.

On Monday 21 January from 7pm to 5am, night work will also take place within the traffic island at the intersection of Princes Highway and Barwon Park Road to erect the permanent VMS (Variable Message Sign) post and board. Wednesday 23 January and Wednesday 30 January is scheduled as contingency if the work in this location cannot be completed in one night work shift on Monday 21 January.
Due to the necessary safety and traffic approvals required for lane closures on Princes Highway, this work must take place at night outside of peak volume times.

**Night-time traffic changes**

A stop/slow traffic set up will be in place at the intersection of Princes Highway and May Street under the direction of traffic control. All existing turning movements will be maintained, however please expect delays and follow the directions of traffic control personnel.

**Additional traffic changes on Monday 21 January from 7pm to 5am (contingency: Wednesday 23 January and Wednesday 30 January from 7pm to 5am):**

- Access between Barwon Park Road and Princes Highway maintained under the direction of traffic control

**How this affects you**

Equipment used during these works will include an excavator, vacuums trucks, road saw, rock breaker, elevated work platform, crane, hand tools, construction trucks, light vehicles, compaction equipment, lighting towers and traffic control.

These works are expected to generate high noise. Every effort will be made to minimise noise and light spill associated by this work by turning off equipment and vehicles when not in use and directing noise and light generating equipment away from residential properties where possible.

The site compounds on May Street and along the southern side of Campbell Street will be used intermittently throughout the work for storage of materials and vehicle parking.

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**Legend**

- Conduit installation work area
- Two-way traffic
- One-way traffic

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**Road closure at the Barwon Park Road and Campbell Street/Road Intersection from Monday 14 January for approximately twelve weeks.** For further details please see Notification No 601 available under ‘Local Updates’ on www.westconnex.com.au/projects/new-m5.