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New South Wales Government



Upgrading the Pacific Highway – Karuah to Bulahdelah upgrade sections 2 and 3 Commencement of works on Whimbrel Drive, Nerong

Dear resident,

The NSW Roads and Traffic Authority (RTA) has contracted Abigroup Contractors Pty Ltd to design, construct and maintain for 10 years the Pacific Highway Karuah to Bulahdelah upgrade sections 2 and 3. This project is jointly funded by the NSW and Australian governments.

This 23 km upgrade of the Pacific Highway commences approximately 1 km south of Viney Creek Road West and ends just south of Booral Road, approximately 3 km south of Bulahdelah. The upgrade will essentially parallel the existing highway with a deviation at Burdekin's Gap.

Abigroup proposes to commence the following works at the entrance of Whimbrel Drive, Nerong in April 2008 through to early July 2008.

Works will include:

- Service re-location works.
- Installation of drainage lines.
- Telephone box re-location (21 April 2008 – weather permitting)
- Initial traffic switch onto the southern side of Whimbrel Drive, allowing for road construction works on the northern side.
- Once the northern side of Whimbrel Drive is complete, traffic will be switched to the northern side, allowing for road construction works to commence on the southern side.

Works are scheduled for completion in late June 2008 (weather permitting).

Construction activities will occur Monday to Friday 6.30am to 7.00pm and Saturday from 8am to 5pm. Nearby residents will be advised of any construction activities occurring outside normal working hours.

Abigroup apologises for any inconvenience that may be caused and asks for your patience during this period.

For more information about the project, please call the project information line on **1800 726 567** (toll free), email the project team at karuah@abigroup.com.au or visit the project website www.rta.nsw.gov.au/pacific (click on Karuah to Bulahdelah upgrade 2 and 3).

Yours faithfully

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