

Media Release

Hills M2 Planned Road Works

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Motorists who use the Hills M2 motorway after 9pm at night are being urged to plan their journey during essential maintenance works starting Sunday 12 July through to the end of September.

A spokesperson for Hills M2 said the work on the motorway will involve the grinding off and re-laying of the road surface and is required to ensure that the M2 maintains its high standards of safety and provides a smoother ride for motorists.

“The majority of the work will occur on the motorway on and off ramps and merge lanes,” the spokesperson said.

“This essential maintenance work will be undertaken after hours and will involve some lane closures and the closure of motorway on and off ramps.

At various times through the period of work the following entry and exit ramps will need to be closed:

- Abbott Rd / Old Windsor Road
- Pennant Hills Road
- Beecroft Road
- Herring Road
- Lane Cove Road
- Delhi Road

The spokesperson said the overnight closures of ramps will be advertised via on road variable message signs (VMS) with up to date information about the status of the ramps available on the Hills M2 website.

To minimise traffic impacts, these closures will take place from 9.00pm to 5.00am the next morning.

The spokesperson said that residents living adjacent to the work sites will be impacted by the noise of work.

“Every effort will be made to minimise the impact of the work on local residents however unfortunately some level of disruption is inevitable.

The schedule may change for operational reasons or bad weather, so motorists are advised to take notice of roadside VMS and check www.hillsm2.com.au especially if they travel after 9pm at night.

The website will also provide maps of detour routes in the event of a ramp closure.

“Delays and diversions are expected during the works, so we ask that motorists be patient and observe the motorway signage while we work to improve the motorway”, the spokesperson said.

The management of Hills M2 apologise for any inconvenience caused during this time.

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