

# Inner West Busway along Victoria Road



FACT SHEET – APRIL 2009

## Catching a bus What to expect during construction

### Summary

There will be a number of work crews undertaking different tasks along Victoria Road during the project. Some of these activities will be undertaken concurrently to:

- Adjust traffic signals and relocate utility services.
- Build the approaches to the new bridge.
- Remark traffic and bus lanes.
- Install overhead lane usage signs.
- Remove the median and rebuild the pavement in Drummoyne.
- Widen the footpath and remove the pedestrian island at the Lyons Road intersection, Drummoyne.
- Establish a new bus bay at Cary Street, Drummoyne.
- Install the permanent QMB 'quick moveable barrier' in Drummoyne.
- Remove or adjust various turning lanes through Drummoyne and Rozelle.
- Remove the median and replace with a new redirective barrier in Rozelle.
- Install new pedestrian fencing in Rozelle.
- Remove palm trees between Evans and Darling Streets, Rozelle.

### Bus stop and footpath closures

Temporary closures may be required. Signs will be in place to safely direct cyclists and pedestrians around these closures and to temporary bus stops.

### Road closures

Victoria Road will remain open at all times. Temporary lane closures will be required. Traffic management will be in place to direct drivers safely through or around the work crews.

### Timeframe

Work in Rozelle is due to start in mid 2009 and will take about 12 months to finish. Work in Drummoyne is due to start in early 2010 and will take about nine months to finish.

The moveable median barrier will not start operation until the bridge is finished. Notifications will be delivered in the local area when work is about to start.

*Timeframes are estimates only. Times may change due to a number of factors, such as weather.*

### Construction hours

Due to the need to ensure that Victoria Road remains unimpeded during peak hours, the RTA has approval to undertake construction work at any time (24 hours per day). All construction activities done before 7am or after 6pm on any day, on weekends or public holidays, are subject to measures specified in the Construction Noise and Vibration Management Plan.

### Related fact sheets and links

- [Catching a bus: What to expect on completion](#)
- [Project documents](#)
- [RTA website – Building the bridge](#)
- [RTA website – Live traffic cameras](#)
- [State Transit Authority - bus timetables](#)
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