

ITEM 25

CITY OF WOLLONGONG TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MINUTES OF MEETING HELD 20 MAY 2020

The City of Wollongong Traffic Committee meeting was held on 20 May 2020. Items listed in 2 and 4 are to be adopted by Council through delegated authority. The items listed in Section 3 of the minutes are the object of this report and must be determined by Council. They are recommended to Council for approval for temporary Regulation of Traffic on public roads for works or events by independent parties.

## RECOMMENDATION

In accordance with powers delegated to Council, the Minutes and Recommendation related to Regulation of Traffic, of the City of Wollongong Traffic Committee held on 20 May 2020, be adopted.

## REPORT AUTHORISATIONS

Report of: Andrew Heaven, Manager Infrastructure Strategy and Planning (Acting)  
Authorised by: Andrew Carfield, Director Infrastructure + Works - Connectivity Assets + Liveable City

## ATTACHMENTS

- 1 Nolan Street, Unanderra
- 2 Princes Highway, Unanderra

## BACKGROUND

- 1 Unanderra Nolan Street – Ward 3  
(Item 3.1 of Wollongong Traffic Committee Minutes of Meeting)**  
Nolan Street – Level Crossing Road Closure 1 August to 2 August 2020

### Background

Sydney Trains have arranged a closure of the Illawarra and South Coast rail lines for maintenance work including improvements to the Nolan Street level crossing, on the weekend 1 and 2 August 2020. The Nolan Street level crossing will be closed from 9pm on 1 August until 12 noon on Sunday 2 August 2020.

A weekend closure will have the least impact on bus services and there is adequate time for bus services to be re-routed. The traffic control plans submitted include acceptable detour arrangements. In conjunction with the work at Nolan Street there will be a concurrent closure of the level crossing on the Princes Highway Unanderra as set out in Item 3.2.

### Consultation

Consultation with effected residents and bus operators is a condition of approval for the applicant.

### Proposal Supported Unanimously

The submitted traffic management plans be approved for the road closure of the Nolan Street level crossing from 9pm on Saturday 1 August until 12.00am on Sunday 2 August 2020.

- 2 Unanderra Princes Highway – Ward 3  
(Item 3.2 of Wollongong Traffic Committee Minutes of Meeting)**  
Princes Highway – Level Crossing Road Closure 1 August to 2 August 2020

### Background

Sydney Trains have proposed a closure of the Princes Highway level crossing for the weekend 1 August to 2 August 2020 as part of the same project as in Item 3.1 above. The Princes Highway level crossing will be closed in two stages. The first is from 5am until 11am on Saturday 1 August 2020, and the second closure will be concurrent with a closure of Nolan Street from 9 pm on 1 August 2020 until 12 noon on Sunday 2 August 2020.

A weekend closure will have the least impact on bus services and there is adequate time for bus services to be re-routed. The traffic control plans submitted include acceptable detour arrangements.

Subsequent to the meeting the Sydney Trains Project Manager has agreed to install trailer mounted message boards by the side of each level crossing (Nolan Street included) indicating that the level crossings will be closed with detours in place as set out for the 1 and 2 of August 2020.

### **Consultation**

Consultation with effected residents and bus operators is a condition of approval for the applicant.

### **Proposal Supported Unanimously**

The submitted traffic management plans be approved for the road closure of the Princes Highway level crossing from 5am to 11am on Saturday 1 August 2020, and for a second period from 9pm on Saturday 1 August until 12.00am on Sunday 2 August 2020.

### **PLANNING AND POLICY IMPACT**

This report contributes to the delivery of Our Wollongong 2028 goal “We have affordable and accessible transport”. It specifically delivers on the Service Plan 2019-20.



