



Transport for NSW

# Albion Park Rail bypass

Project update | April 2021



New motorway being built on the right looking towards Yallah

## What we've been doing


Work since November 2020 has included:

- building pavement, laying asphalt and line marking
- drainage, signage, street lighting, traffic signals and barriers
- opening another section of the East West Link
- installing the traffic lights on the new East West Link
- installing the last 31 bridge planks on the project.

 earthworks  
**95%**  
complete

**100%**  
planks  
installed 

  
Over  
**55,200 tonnes**  
of asphalt laid

 **192**  
of **484**  
signs installed

## Upcoming work

Work over the coming months will include:

- completing work on the 13 bridges
- continuing with pavement construction, laying asphalt and line marking
- building the shared paths
- repairing the road pavement on a section of Croome Road
- completing the noise mound along the new motorway between Croome Road and Durgadin Drive
- asphaltting and installing traffic signals on the Oak Flats interchange
- continuing drainage, signage, street lighting, traffic signals and barriers
- continuing with landscaping and revegetating.

## Upcoming traffic changes

In the coming weeks, a section of the motorway between Yallah and Albion Park will open in a temporary arrangement.

This section of the motorway will only provide access to and from Albion Park as we continue work on the bypass at the southern end of the project.

Motorists will travel over eight of the thirteen bridges including the twin bridges over Macquarie Rivulet. These twin bridges are over 200 metres long and include 230 planks.

### Access for Albion Park

Motorists travelling to Albion Park, Jamberoo and Moss Vale will temporarily exit to the right at Yallah onto a new section of the motorway taking them to Terry Street.

The northbound motorway entry ramp from Albion Park will open, allowing motorists from Albion Park (Terry Street) to travel north on the new motorway.

A detour will be in place for cyclists travelling to Albion Park while work on the shared path into Albion Park continues. To access Albion Park cyclists can use the shared paths on the existing Princes Highway, Station Street and Tongarra Road.

### Illawarra Highway cul-de-sac

At this time, a section of the existing Illawarra Highway next to the new motorway will permanently close to through traffic.

A cul-de-sac will be built near Croome Lane and access to nearby residences and businesses will be maintained.

Access to residences and businesses on Terry Street near Taylor Road will be via Albion Park or the new motorway.

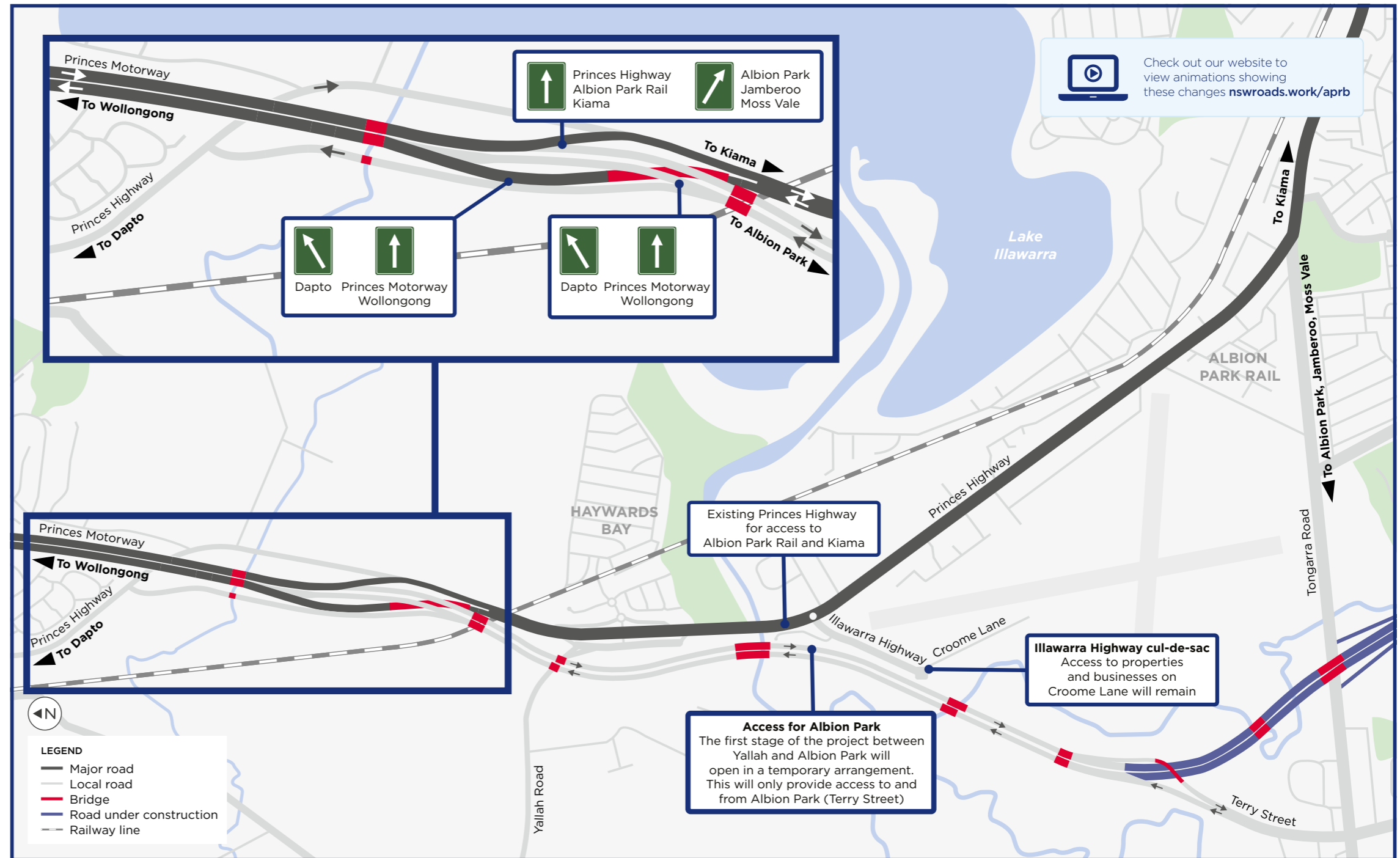
### Access for Dapto, Yallah and Haywards Bay

Motorists travelling south from Dapto, Yallah and Haywards Bay will continue to use the existing highway through Albion Park Rail.

Access to Albion Park, Jamberoo and Moss Vale for these motorists will be via the existing highway and Tongarra Road.

Access north on the Princes Motorway for Dapto motorists will remain unchanged.

Motorists from Yallah and Haywards Bay travelling north will continue to use the existing Princes Highway.



### Access for Albion Park Rail and Kiama

Motorists travelling from Wollongong will continue to use the existing highway to travel south towards Albion Park Rail and Kiama.

For the safety of workers and motorists, some of this work will be carried out at night.

Traffic control and reduced speed limits will be in place during this work. Please drive to the conditions and follow the directions of signs and traffic control at all times.

Electronic signs will advertise in advance when traffic changes will occur.

## Community information session

You are invited to a community information session where you will be able to find out more about the upcoming traffic changes, ask questions and meet members of the project team.

**When:** Thursday 6 May 2021  
5pm - 8pm

**Where:** Albion Park Rail bypass Training Hub  
1914 Illawarra Highway, Albion Park Rail  
(the corner of Princes Highway and Illawarra Highway)

This will be a COVID-safe event and we will follow social distancing and capacity limits, hygiene, cleaning and record keeping guidelines from the NSW Government.

The information sessions will run for 30 minutes each. Please register your attendance to secure a spot in one of these sessions by **Wednesday 5 May 2021**.

You can register on the project website or by contacting us on **1800 708 727**.

# Supporting community projects

## Albion Park Public School

Students at Albion Park Public School returned from their holiday break to improved playgrounds courtesy of the project team.

The team built a small retaining wall in the main playground with over 100 tonnes of topsoil and mulch used to level a section of bare and uneven ground. The area was sprayed with grass seeds and will boast new bench seats.

A natural drain was built and grassed, making the infant's playground safer and more accessible.



Albion Park Public School playground after work was finished in January 2021



Garden beds made from leftover metal sleeves

## Headway Wollongong

Last year, the project team donated some leftover metal sleeves that had been used for piling works. The metal sleeves were used by Headway Wollongong to make garden beds. Vegetable seedlings will be planted by community members as part of their disability support services program.

## Contact us

If you have any questions or would like more information on the Albion Park Rail bypass project please contact our project team on:



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