

TRIPOLI WAY EXTENSION PROJECT

PROJECT UPDATE MAY 2025



About the Project

The construction of the Tripoli Way Extension (Albion Park Bypass) is set to improve the traffic flow and road safety at key intersections within the Albion Park town centre.

The extension of Tripoli Way has been part of the Council's long-term strategic plan, designed to efficiently manage the commute for the growing local community.

The primary objective of this project is to alleviate congestion on the Illawarra Highway in Albion Park by establishing a two kilometre long continuous corridor connecting Terry Street in the east to Broughton Avenue in the west, effectively bypassing the town centre.

Works Update

Early works including trenching and installing electrical conduits and electrical pillars commenced in March and progressed throughout May.

In total, 10,800 metres of conduit will be installed, which is currently over 80% completed. This will make way for new utility cabling, with Telstra and Optus on site to update networks in June and July.



Key Project benefits

- Improve traffic flow & ease congestion
- Enhancing the transport network
- Increased road safety

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What happens next?

July 2025



Electrical Connections to new network

- Power outages and service transfers - Ferrycarrig will be notifying you of these.
- Ongoing drilling, trenching and laying conduit.
- Backfilling trenches or steel covering at the end of each day.
- Removing redundant infrastructure; streetlight poles will remain until main works.

August 2025



Completion of early works

- Demobilisation and final works complete.

Late 2025



Tendering for Main Works to commence later in 2025.

Ferrycarrig on site

Our contractor Ferrycarrig is on site and can work with you to help mitigate any concerns and provide solutions to help support you during the works period.

Ferrycarrig will provide you with information about these works through notifications in your letterbox and email.

Contact Ferrycarrig at:

community@ferrycarrig.com.au or 0481 226 839



Standard Hours

Most of the work will take place during the day between **7am and 6pm Monday to Friday**.



Night Works

Some work may need to be carried out at night to help minimise traffic impacts and ensure safety to the public and workers. Residents will be notified prior to any night work.



Project planting

As part of the project, we'll plant around 670 trees and 80,000 native plants and shrubs along the new road extension.

Our Nursery team has now begun the two-year task of propagating the plants, which will be replanted along the road verges to help keep the area green and vibrant once the project is complete.

Vegetation that was removed during early works has already started being re-used as mulch in other projects across Shellharbour City.

Thanks to motorists for your patience and the local community for understanding as work continues.

Contact us If you have any questions or require more information about this project call Council on (02) 4221 6111 or visit letschatshellharbour.com.au

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