# **BRIDGE INN ROAD UPGRADE**



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We're upgrading Bridge Inn Road between Plenty and Yan Yean roads to help you get home sooner and safer.

# What's been happening

Since our last update, we've:

- continued building sections of retaining wall between Towerhill Avenue and Independence Boulevard
- started installing drainage between Windermere Parade and Garden Road
- started relocating water, gas and telecommunications infrastructure.

These works will continue into 2023, and we'll keep you updated on their progress.

#### Meet the project team

We'll be in your local area early in the new year to talk about the design and our upcoming works.

Come down and meet the team at:

- Mernda Station Tuesday 17 January 4pm to 7pm
- Mernda Town Centre Thursday 19 January 11am to 2pm

Image above: Major works continue on the Bridge Inn Road Upgrade.



### Sign up for updates

# What we're doing and when

In the coming months, we'll start intersection upgrades and continue building the new bridge over the Plenty River.

#### Intersection upgrades

From early 2023, we'll start works to upgrade the intersections at Resort Boulevard, Towerhill Avenue and Windermere Parade. We'll progressively close each intersection for approximately eight weeks while works take place.

While the intersections are closed, we'll:

- relocate utility services and install new drainage
- remove existing medians
- install new sections of walking and cycling path
- construct turning lanes and kerbs.

There will be detours in place and minor delays are expected.

We'll provide further information about the timing of these closures in the new year to help you plan your journeys.

#### Plenty River Bridge update

We've started building foundations for your new bridge over the Plenty River.

From mid-January to mid-2023, we'll work extended hours (from 7am to 6am) at the bridge. During this time, night works will include activities such as formwork installation, which are expected to generate only low levels of noise.

Piling works at the bridge will likely continue until the end of January, during normal construction hours.

#### **Traffic impacts**

There'll be ongoing lane and road closures, changed traffic conditions, detours and speed reductions until construction is complete in 2025.

We'll also need to temporarily close some right turns from Bridge Inn Road into local roads for short periods of time so we can safely complete our works.

Please observe on-road signage and the directions of our traffic controllers at all times, so we can keep you and our workers safe.

For more information about upcoming closures, please visit bigbuild.vic.gov.au/disruptions.

#### **Construction impacts**

Our construction activities may generate varying levels of noise, dust and vibration at times. We'll have measures in place to ensure these impacts are minimised.

Most of our works will take place between 7am and 6pm, Monday to Friday and 7am to 5pm, Saturdays. The progress of these works will depend on weather and ground conditions. When we need to work at night, we'll let you know ahead of time.

Please call us on 1800 105 105 if you have any questions while these works are taking place.





Our interactive map showing the project concept design is available to view at roadprojects.vic.gov.au/bridgeinn.

## Stay informed

We'll continue to send you regular construction updates to let you know about upcoming works. You can also subscribe to receive email or SMS updates at roadprojects.vic.gov.au/ subscribe or by texting Bridge Inn to 0499 073 073.

#### Contact us

If you have any questions or to speak with a member of our project team, please call **1800 105 105** and select option 5. You can also send us a message by visiting roadprojects.vic.gov.au/contact.

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