

# KINGSFORD SMITH DRIVE UPGRADE

## Project construction update

September 2016

**From September 2016, the Kingsford Smith Drive upgrade will establish new and larger work areas.**

New and ongoing work between Amy Street and Theodore Street will include:

- removal of the existing centre median
- line marking, kerb construction and the installation of traffic barriers and fencing
- widening of footpath sections between Toorak Road and Riverview Terrace
- construction of temporary footpaths at Harbour and Remora Roads
- temporary relocation of the inbound bus stops at Riverview Terrace and Crescent Road
- closure of on-street parking on sections of Kingsford Smith Drive and Harbour Road
- traffic signal and street light work
- selected tree removal in accordance with all required approvals (refer map overleaf)
- road widening and drainage activities on Cooksley and Yulestar Streets
- service location and relocation works
- removal of tram shelter at Crescent Road, which will be reinstated at project completion
- ongoing preparation for piling in the river.

### What to expect

Work will involve:

- the use of construction equipment including chainsaws, excavators, trucks, compaction equipment, road saws, vacuum excavators, asphalt equipment, line marking and concrete trucks, water blasters, cranes, barges and lighting towers
- noise associated with the use of construction equipment
- vehicles and equipment with flashing lights and white noise (non-tonal) reversing beepers for the safety of onsite workers
- changed traffic conditions including lane, footpath and parking closures, as required
- traffic control and signage to direct pedestrians, cyclists and motorists around the work areas, as required.

### Changed traffic conditions and installation of traffic barriers

From early September, traffic will be moved towards the northern (outbound) side of Kingsford Smith Drive to accommodate works starting on the southern (inbound) side of the road.

To ensure the safety of motorists and construction workers, new lane lines will be marked in sections from early September and the speed limit reduced to 40km/h. From mid-September, concrete barriers will be installed progressively between Cameron Rocks Reserve and Theodore Street on the southern (inbound) side of Kingsford Smith Drive. Barriers will also be installed along sections of Harbour Road, Nudgee Road, Remora Road and Yulestar Street.

Construction access and exit gates will be installed at various locations to allow construction vehicles to access the work area.

Due to traffic permitting restrictions, the majority of line marking and barrier installations will take place at night. Access to all properties will be maintained during this work.

### Shared user path closure

From late September, the southern (river side) shared user path between Racecourse Road and Cameron Rocks Reserve will close to pedestrians and cyclists in order to install traffic barriers and commence construction work.

The newly widened footpath on the northern side of Kingsford Smith Drive will be available for pedestrians and cyclists.

### Bus stop relocations

Due to the installation of traffic barriers on the southern (inbound) side of Kingsford Smith Drive, inbound bus stops at Riverview Terrace and Crescent Road will be temporarily relocated to nearby locations. All changes will be clearly signed.

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## Permanent road closures

From late September 2016, a number of permanent closures will be required as part of the upgrade. This includes:

- Closure of right turn out of Harbour Road
- Closure of right turn from Kingsford Smith Drive into College Street.
- Closure of Curtin Avenue West at Remora Road

## Closure of right turn out of Harbour Road

The right turn out of Harbour Road onto Kingsford Smith Drive will be permanently removed. Alternate eastbound access to Kingsford Smith Drive from Harbour Road is via Hercules Street and Remora Road.

## Closure of right turn into College Street

The right turn from Kingsford Smith Drive (westbound) into College Street will be permanently removed. Alternate access to College Street is via Alison Street and Hilda Street, or Nudgee Road and Hants Street to the west.

## Closure of Curtin Avenue West at Remora Road

In October 2016, Curtin Avenue West will be permanently closed at Remora Road. Alternate access to Curtin Avenue West is via Finnegan Street from the west and Cullen Avenue from the east.

## On-street parking lanes closed

From late September, on-street parking will be removed in the following locations:

- Kingsford Smith Drive, opposite Riverview Terrace
- Kingsford Smith Drive, between Racecourse Road and Harbour Road
- Harbour Road, adjacent to Hamilton Park.

## Vegetation removal

Some trees will need to be removed along Kingsford Smith Drive to accommodate the upgrade. Please see map below.

Site clearing activities will be undertaken in accordance with all required approvals. Fauna spotter-catchers will conduct pre-clearing surveys and be on site during clearing activities.

## Construction hours

The majority of work will take place from 7am-6pm, Monday to Friday and from 8am-1pm on Saturday.

Due to traffic permit requirements, some work will be required to take place at night **between 8pm and 5am, Sunday to Thursday**. If any out-of-hours work is required, Lendlease will directly notify residents in the vicinity of the works.



## More information

More information will be made available during September about road and footpath changes and closures on our website at [www.ksdupgrade.com.au](http://www.ksdupgrade.com.au).

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