

TRAFFIC ALERT



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TEMPORARY DELAYS ON HUME HIGHWAY AT TABLE TOP

Motorists are advised of temporary delays on the Hume Highway north of Table Top tomorrow (Tuesday 8 July) due to the construction of the grade-separated interchange with the Olympic Highway.

An RTA spokesperson said the construction of the overbridge forms part of duplication of the Hume Highway, which is fully funded by the Australian Government under the AusLink program.

“The new overbridge will be located near the existing intersection of the Olympic and Hume Highways at Table Top,” the spokesperson said.

“When completed, it will provide motorists with a safe and efficient overpass across the Hume Highway,” the spokesperson said.

From 7am to 10pm (weather permitting), bridge girders will be lifted over the Hume Highway for the construction of the overpass at the intersection with the Olympic Highway.

The work will require both the crane and girders to be parked on the Hume Highway, with traffic diverted on to a side track.

Traffic controllers will be on site to escort motorists, with moderate delays expected at times.

Electronic message signs will be in place to provide motorists with advanced warning of the temporary delays and the traffic diversion.

Motorists are asked to be alert for workers when travelling through the construction zone, and in the interests of safety, follow all temporary traffic controls.

The Southern Alliance Hume Highway duplication project involves duplicating 32km of the Hume Highway from Woomargama to Table Top.

The work is being undertaken by the Hume Highway Southern Alliance which consists of the RTA, Abigroup and SKM (Sinclair Knight Merz).

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