Intersection upgrade – Bermuda Street and Christine Avenue

March 2017

About the project:

The Department of Transport and Main Roads will soon commence work to upgrade the intersection of Bermuda Street and Christine Avenue, Varsity Lakes.

The upgrade will improve traffic flows and lead to improved safety for motorists, cyclists and pedestrians travelling through the intersection.

The upgrade of pedestrian crossings on Bermuda Street will not only increase pedestrian safety, it will also result in additional green time for through and turning traffic, improving travel times for motorists.

Work details:

- Extension of existing right turn lane on Christine Avenue (eastbound) into Bermuda Street (south).
- Creation of staggered pedestrian crossings on Bermuda Street (north and south).
- Reconstruction of existing traffic islands.
- Upgrade of traffic signals.
- Revised line marking and upgraded signage.

Timeframes:

- Construction is scheduled to commence early April 2017 and expected to be completed late June 2017 (subject to weather).
- Works will take place mainly at night between the hours of 8pm to 4am, Monday to Friday.
- Every effort will be made to minimise noise from heavy machinery by restricting use wherever possible to 8pm - 11pm.

Expected impacts:

- Changed traffic conditions on Bermuda Street, and Christine Avenue including temporary lane closures and speed restrictions during construction work.
- Pedestrian crossings will be temporarily impacted. Pedestrians should proceed with caution through the work zones.
- Advance warning signs will be in place and traffic controllers will direct traffic through the work zone.
- Reverse warning alerts and flashing light beacons on construction vehicles are a safety requirement and will be used at all times during work hours.
- Lighting towers will be directed away from residences and businesses.

Safety First – Please drive carefully through roadworks; your safety and our employees' safety is important to us!

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