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Aubin Grove Station and Russell Road Upgrade Work: How will it affect you?



June Works

To build the new Aubin Grove Station and upgrade the Russell Road Bridge, major construction activities are needed over three consecutive weekends in June. The works will have significant impacts on the Kwinana Freeway and the Mandurah Line.

The work will see the installation of the Aubin Grove Station concourse building, pedestrian footbridges and the bridge beam spans for the Russell Road Bridge. To safely complete the work part of the Mandurah Line will be closed and freeway traffic will be diverted around a small section of the Kwinana Freeway.

The first diversion will take place from the evening of Saturday June 11 until the morning of Monday June 13 and similarly, over the June 18-20 and June 25-27 weekends.

Motorists and Mandurah Line passengers will need to plan their travel. We suggest considering alternative travel arrangements, avoiding Russell/Gibbs Road, allowing extra time if you must use the Kwinana Freeway, or finding an alternative route.

There are different impacts and timings for the freeway and the rail line so please check the details below.



1 Weekend One: June 11 - 13

The first weekend of work will involve two large cranes on the Kwinana Freeway's northbound lanes. Work involves the installation of the Aubin Grove Station concourse building modules and the western beam spans of both the Russell Road Bridge and the station's pedestrian footbridge.

 **Road impacts: 9pm Saturday June 11 – 4am Monday June 13**

Kwinana Freeway northbound traffic will be diverted over the freeway using the Russell Road off and on ramps. Two lanes of traffic will be maintained during the diversion, with appropriate traffic management and speed reductions.

Russell Road Bridge will be closed to all traffic. Southbound freeway traffic can exit at the off ramp to Russell Road and turn left only onto Gibbs Road – no right turn will be available. The southbound Kwinana Freeway on ramp will also remain open. Motorists west of the bridge will detour via Hammond Road (north to Beeliar Drive) and those to the east will detour via Tapper Road (north to Beeliar Drive) or Lyon Road (south to Rowley Road).



Rail impacts

The Mandurah Line will be closed between Cockburn Central and Rockingham stations, with train replacement buses operating between the two stations from **first service on Sunday June 12** to last service that evening.

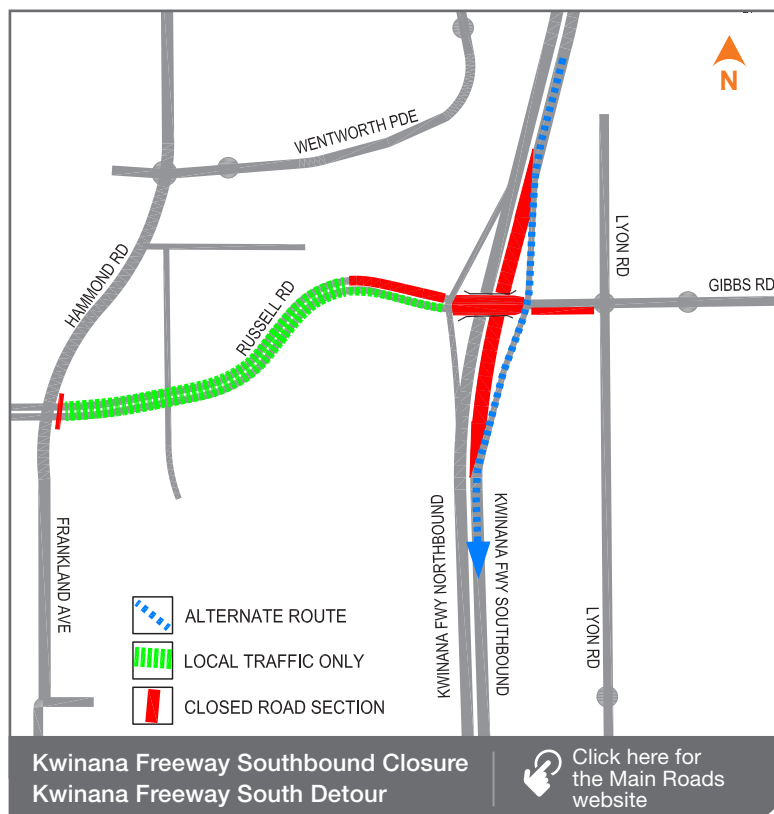
2 Weekend Two: June 18 - 20

The second weekend of work will also involve two large cranes on the Kwinana Freeway, but this time on the southbound lanes. The eastern beam spans for both the Russell Road Bridge and the station's pedestrian footbridge will be installed.

 **Road impacts: 9pm Saturday June 18 – 4am Monday June 20**

Kwinana Freeway southbound traffic will be diverted over the freeway using the Russell Road off and on ramps. Two lanes of traffic will be maintained during the diversion with appropriate traffic management and speed reductions.

The Russell Road Bridge will be closed to all traffic. Northbound freeway traffic can exit at the off ramp to Russell Road and turn only left onto Russell Road – no right turn will be available. Motorists west of the bridge will detour via Hammond Road (north to Beeliar Drive) and those to the east will detour via Tapper Road (north to Armadale Road) or Lyon Road (south to Rowley Road).



Rail impacts

The Mandurah Line will be closed between Cockburn Central and Rockingham stations with train replacement buses operating between the two stations from **first service on Sunday June 19** to last service that evening.

3 Weekend Three: June 25 - 27

The final weekend of work will see the installation of the walls for the station.

 **Road impacts: 9pm Saturday June 25 – 4am Monday June 27**

The impacts for this weekend are the same as June 11-13.

Rail impacts

The Mandurah Line will be closed between Cockburn Central and Rockingham stations with train replacement buses operating between the two stations from **first service on Sunday June 26** to last service that evening.

The Aubin Grove Station will be built using a modular method, where sections are made off-site and craned into place during the weekend works. To safely complete the work a section of the freeway must be closed, and the overhead power on a small section of the Mandurah Line must be switched off.

Why?

The three weekend diversions have been meticulously planned. The alternative was months of freeway disruptions over the life of the project. The work has been purposely planned to take place during off-peak time to minimise the impacts to road and rail users.

When completed in early 2017, Aubin Grove Station will help cater for the fast growing communities in Perth's southern suburbs. The Russell Road upgrade will help reduce congestion in these developing suburbs.



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