Alleena overtaking lanes and safety improvement works south of West Wyalong





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The Newell Highway Program Alliance (NHPA) is excited to announce the completion of overtaking lanes and road safety improvement works at Alleena, about 20 kilometres south of West Wyalong. The overtaking lanes add about two kilometres of northbound and southbound overtaking lanes on the Newell Highway.

The NHPA is jointly funded by the Australian and NSW Governments to deliver about 40 overtaking lanes over four years on the Newell Highway. In early 2021 the Australian Government announced \$76.54 million for road safety improvement works to be carried out adjacent to six of the overtaking lane projects.

The work includes widening the road shoulders and centreline, and installing rumble strips along the highway.

Since starting in early 2019, the NHPA have now completed 27 overtaking lanes and road safety improvement works at an additional six sites. Work on the Alleena overtaking lanes started in August 2021 and through effective traffic management measures, motorists experienced delays of less than 5 minutes during construction.

We thank you for your patience during these works.





Increase overtaking opportunities



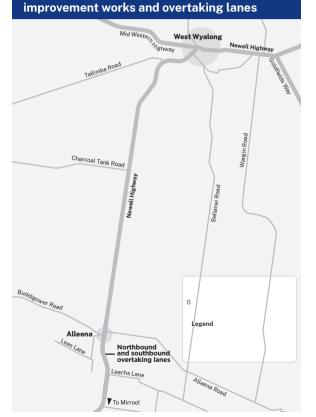


For more information about the NHPA or other overtaking lanes we are working on, please contact the project team on: e info@newellhpa.com.au t 1800 577 295 i For more information visit: nswroads.work/nhpa

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Fast facts

- 180 total workers employed (includes 12 NHPA staff)
- 60 local workers
- 24 Aboriginal workers
- 40 female workers
- 47 trainees
- 64 nest boxes installed for birds, owls, microbats and squirrel gliders
- 10,000m3 of dirt excavated and reused on site
- Zero potable water used for construction



Map showing the location of the Alleena safety

Overtaking lanes and safety improvements at Alleena

