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PROJECT NOTIFICATION

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Level crossing upgrade – Wards Lane

Inland Rail is a once-in-a-generation project connecting regional Australia to domestic and international markets. Australian Rail Track Corporation (ARTC) has engaged INLink (a joint venture between BMD Constructions and Fulton Hogan) to upgrade and build the first section of the Inland Rail, from Parkes to Narromine.

Temporary road closures

As part of the work we are upgrading level crossings between Parkes and Narromine. While we do this, we need to temporarily close public roads to lay the new rail.

Wards Lane closure will be extended to install the new rail, eliminating the need for a second closure in the future. Wards Lane will now remain closed until end of March 2020.

Timing and location of works:

Wards Lane, Alectown;

- ▶ Between Bogan Road and Plowman Lane, Parkes
- ▶ Extended **until end of March 2020**
- ▶ Road detour will be via Plowman Lane, Goonumbla Lane and Bogan Road.

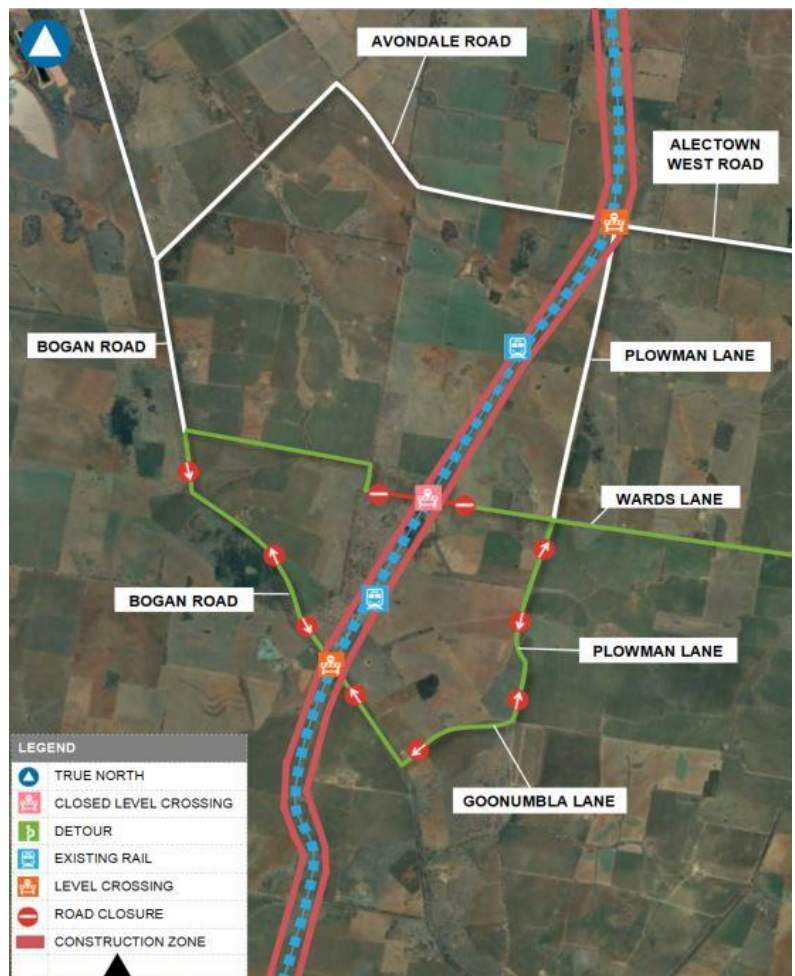
What we will be doing

- ▶ Laying new rail and sleepers
- ▶ Build road formations and new plate over rail
- ▶ Welding rail into place
- ▶ Install new gravel (ballast), tamp (adjust) rail into place
- ▶ Install permanent signage and fencing

What to expect

- ▶ During the work there will be heavy vehicles travelling to and from the work sites
- ▶ Traffic management with detour signage will be in place to assist those impacted by the road closure.

Level crossing upgrade map
(This is an artist's impression only and is not to scale.)



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Community safety

- ▶ All work areas will be protected or fenced to ensure safety to the public
- ▶ Our sites will be clearly signed to identify work zones, and the community will be notified where required
- ▶ **Once rail has been installed in each section, the rail will be 'live' and construction trains will be intermittently passing across the level crossing. For your continued safety, please ensure you are stopping at level crossings.**

Work hours

Our standard working hours until mid-2020:

- ▶ 7:00 am to 6:00 pm Monday to Friday
- ▶ 8:00 am to 1:00 pm Saturday.

If work is required outside these hours, impacted residents will be notified in advance.

We appreciate your understanding as we build this once-in-a-generation project. We can be contacted **24 hours a day, 7 days a week on 1800 732 761.**

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