



OXLEY HIGHWAY TO KEMPSEY

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Planning for this project is funded by the NSW State Government.

This is the first in a series of updates on the project to identify a highway upgrade route of a 38-kilometre section of the Pacific Highway from the Oxley Highway to Kempsey.

In assessing route options for this project the NSW Roads and Traffic Authority (RTA) has appointed GHD Pty Ltd to manage the investigations in a study area between the Oxley Highway interchange at the Pacific Highway to the southern end of the dual carriageway at the Maria River (south of Kempsey). The area under investigation starts at the Oxley Highway interchange at the Pacific Highway and finishes at the southern end of the dual carriageway at the Maria River (near Kempsey).

Community Involvement

Comments from members of the community, landowners and other key stakeholders, including government agencies are being considered in identifying route options for the Oxley Highway to Kempsey Upgrade.

A community liaison group was formed in December 2004 and meeting minutes and other information can be found on the RTA website (see below). Community updates are being distributed and members of the community are encouraged to call the project information line for further information on 1800 154 724 (freecall) during business hours. In addition, you can contact:

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