



## Appendix C Route Options Display Advertising

## PACIFIC HIGHWAY – MACKSVILLE TO URUNGA ROUTE OPTIONS DISPLAY

Planning for this project is funded by the NSW State Government

The Roads and Traffic Authority (RTA) is planning to upgrade approximately 40 kilometres of the Pacific Highway to dual carriageways between Macksville and Urunga as part of the Pacific Highway Upgrading Program. Following ongoing investigations, a number of route options have been identified and are now on display for public comment.

Route options are being displayed broken up into four sections of the upgrade:

- Section 1: From the northern end of the proposed Warrell Creek Deviation to the existing highway north of the Nambucca River.
- Section 2: From the existing highway north of the Nambucca River to where the existing highway crosses the North Coast Railway line west of Nambucca Heads.
- Section 3: From where the highway crosses the railway west of Nambucca Heads to Little Newry State Forest in the vicinity of Mines Road south of Urunga.
- Section 4: From Mines Road to the southern end of the Raleigh Deviation.

In response to requests from the Macksville community, the project team has also investigated the feasibility of route options to the west of Macksville. As a result, two additional options have been shortlisted, which are located outside the investigation area originally announced in June 2003. The additional options bypass both Warrell Creek and Macksville before rejoining the existing highway west of Nambucca Heads.

The route options will be displayed from Tuesday 30 November 2004 to Wednesday 2 February 2005. Display locations and times are listed below.

### **Nambucca Shire Council**

Princess Street, Macksville.  
Mon – Fri, 9am – 4pm

### **Bellingen Shire Council**

Hyde Street, Bellingen.  
Mon – Fri, 8.30am – 4.30pm

### **Outside Australia Post #**

Bonville Street, Urunga.  
Mon – Fri, 9am – 5pm

### **Warrell Creek Fire Brigade**

Cnr Sonny's Road and Albert Drive.  
Daily, 9am – 5pm

### **Bowraville Technology Centre**

High Street, Bowraville.  
Mon – Fri, 9am – 5pm

### **Nambucca Plaza #**

Pacific Highway, Bellwood.  
Mon – Wed, 8am – 7pm  
Thur – Fri, 8am – 7.30pm  
Sat – Sun, 8am – 6pm

### **RTA Nambucca Motor Registry**

Ridge Street, Nambucca Heads.  
Mon – Fri, 9am – 4pm

### **RTA Pacific Highway Office**

Prince Street, Grafton.  
Mon – Fri, 8.30am – 4.30pm

**#Staffed displays will be held on: Tuesday, 7 December 2004, outside of the Urunga Australia Post (from 9am to 5pm); Wednesday, 8 December 2004, at the Macksville Senior Citizen's Hall, Princess Street, (from 9am to 5pm); and on Thursday, 9 December 2004, at the Nambucca Plaza (from 11am to 7.30pm).**

Additional information may be found on the project website at [www.rta.nsw.gov.au/pacific](http://www.rta.nsw.gov.au/pacific) (click on **Macksville to Urunga Upgrade** under the Port Macquarie to Coffs Harbour heading).

Comments and submissions are welcome and should be sent to:

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**Submissions close on Wednesday 2 February 2005.**

**For more information contact the Project Information Line on  
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