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The Resident
Mudies Road
ST IVES NSW 2075

Dear Resident

Mudies Road, St Ives - Proposed Raised Pedestrian Crossing

Council is seeking your input on a proposal to replace the existing pedestrian refuge with a raised pedestrian (Wombat) crossing on Mudies Road at Memorial Avenue.

Background

Council has received numerous requests from parents of students attending St Ives North Public School for a pedestrian crossing on Mudies Road at Memorial Avenue. Pedestrian counts carried out at the intersection show that large numbers of pedestrians cross Mudies Road during morning and afternoon school peak periods.

Council has received funding from Transport for NSW under its Get NSW Active Program, to replace the existing pedestrian refuge on Mudies Road with a pedestrian crossing.

A Wombat Crossing would provide a much safer crossing point than the existing pedestrian refuge for the many school students that cross at this location. It would give pedestrians right of way when crossing the road, and would allow several people to cross the road at the same time. The raised crossing would also slow traffic on approach to the roundabout.

Proposed changes

It is proposed that the existing pedestrian refuge on the eastern leg of Mudies Road at Memorial Avenue be removed, and replaced with a Wombat Crossing. A short section of fencing is proposed on the south-eastern corner of the intersection to ensure pedestrians cross at the Wombat Crossing. The street lighting has recently been upgraded to meet current standards for a pedestrian crossing. The proposed changes are shown on the **attached** Plan *Mudies/TDA/145/24*.

Submit your feedback

Before submitting this proposal to the Ku-ring-gai Traffic Committee, we want to hear from impacted residents. Your feedback will guide our decision-making process.

How to respond:

1. Take our brief survey using the QR code provided.
2. Or, send written comments to the address above.

Deadline: Please submit your feedback by Friday 7 February 2025.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me directly.

Yours faithfully



Michael Foskett
Team Leader Traffic