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M4 CHURCH ST OFF RAMP EXTENSIONS COMPLETE

Drivers using the M4 Motorway off ramp at Church Street will be safer and face less congestion when new and extended lanes open ahead of tomorrow morning's peak.

Minister for Roads Andrew Constance said the project was a key safety priority following a number of incidents near the eastbound exit to Church Street.

"We fast-tracked delivery of this upgrade before Christmas, which will keep traffic flowing and drivers safe as they exit this busy part of the M4," Mr Constance said.

"The eastbound left turn lane is nearly 100 metres longer to help reduce traffic queues and improve the efficiency and safety of the off ramp, especially in peak periods.

"The upgrades will allow even more vehicles to pass through the traffic lights each time they turn green, reducing queuing on the Motorway."

A new right turn only lane for motorists heading towards Woodville and Parramatta Roads has also been installed, further increasing the capacity of the off ramp where thousands of vehicles exit the M4 daily.

Member for Parramatta Geoff Lee said the upgrade work follows a safety review of the M4 Motorway and its surrounds.

"The Government looked closely at data like crash statistics and road user behaviour, which showed completing this work near Parramatta was a key priority," Mr Lee said.

"Transport for NSW will continue monitoring traffic flow now improvements are in place. We urge all motorists to please drive to the conditions, indicate and slow down on approach to ensure you merge safely and legally onto the extended off ramp."

A maintenance bay is also being installed on the southern side of the off ramp, to help repair crews respond to any issues on the Motorway. Work will also be carried out to make the road surface smoother, and improve signage and lighting.

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