Infrastructure Investment Program
Newcastle Inner City Bypass, Rankin Park to Jesmond
New South Wales

Australian Government Funding: $360.0 million
New South Wales Government contribution: $90.0 million
Total: $450.0 million

Project description
This project involves construction of a bypass of inner city Newcastle. The bypass will be built between Rankin Park and Jesmond, to the west of John Hunter Hospital. It will provide traffic relief to the surrounding road network.

Jobs supported
- This project is expected to support 900 direct and indirect jobs.

Project benefits
Benefits include:
- Improved efficiency and network reliability.
- Reduced congestion and improved travel times.
- Improved connectivity between people with jobs and services, and goods with markets.
- Improved road safety for all road users.

Project timelines
- This project is expected to start in late 2021 and be finished by mid 2025.