



ALTERNATIVE ROUTE FOR TEMPORARY N3 ROAD CLOSURE Affecting the Flyover Bridge from Durban CBD (N3 Westbound) to King Shaka International Airport (N2 Northbound)

CLOSURE OF FLYOVER BRIDGES WILL TAKE PLACE OVER 5 CONSECUTIVE WEEKENDS STARTING ON SATURDAY 05 OCTOBER 2024 AND ENDING ON MONDAY 04 NOVEMBER 2024 AT 02:00.

- Closure 1: Saturday 05 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 07 October 2024 at 02:00
- Closure 2: Saturday 12 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 14 October 2024 at 02:00
- Closure 3: Saturday 19 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 21 October 2024 at 02:00
- Closure 4: Saturday 26 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 28 October 2024 at 02:00
- Closure 5: Saturday 02 November 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 04 November 2024 at 02:00

NOTE THAT THE REMAINDER OF THE EB CLOETE INTERCHANGE WILL REMAIN FULLY OPEN TO TRAFFIC.

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Durban, 23 September 2024 - The South African National Roads Agency SOC Limited (SANRAL) has announced the following closures for bridge jacking at the EB Cloete Interchange, affecting the route from Durban CBD (N3 Westbound) to King Shaka International Airport (KSIA) (N2 Northbound).

CLOSURE OF THE FLYOVER BRIDGE FROM DURBAN CBD (N3 WESTBOUND) TO KSIA (N2 NORTHBOUND) AS FOLLOWS:

- Closure 1: **Saturday 05 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 07 October 2024 at 02:00** to remove barriers
- Closure 2: **Saturday 12 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 14 October 2024 at 02:00** for the first stage of vertical jacking of the bridge deck
- Closure 3: **Saturday 19 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 21 October 2024 at 02:00** for the second stage of vertical jacking of the bridge deck
- Closure 4: **Saturday 26 October 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 28 October 2024 at 02:00** for the third stage of vertical jacking of the bridge deck
- Closure 5: **Saturday 02 November 2024 at 14:00 to Monday 04 November 2024 at 02:00** to install barriers

NOTE THAT THE REMAINDER OF THE EB CLOETE INTERCHANGE WILL REMAIN FULLY OPEN TO TRAFFIC

When traveling on the N3 Westbound exiting from Durban CBD and wanting to continue to the N2 north the following **alternative routes** are recommended:

- Continue on the N3 Westbound towards St James Avenue (Pavilion) Interchange;
- Take the Off Ramp;
- Turn right onto St James Avenue;
- Take the loop ramp on the left back onto the N3 towards Durban;
- On approaching EB Cloete interchange take the offramp to the N2 Northbound (towards KSIA).

This major road network is and has been under major stress for a number of years, as traffic volumes have exceeded the original design capacity of the EB Cloete Interchange and its feeder

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These closures are necessary to facilitate the vertical jacking of the bridge deck at the EB Cloete Interchange, affecting the route from Durban (N3 Westbound) to King Shaka International Airport (N2 Northbound). The bridge will be raised and widened over the N2, as part of SANRAL's extensive upgrade of the EB Cloete Interchange. This work will take place over five consecutive weeks, ensuring the necessary improvements to the capacity and efficiency of this key transport route.

As required for the safety of both road users and the construction team, full traffic accommodation will be in place.

Trucks and heavy vehicles planning to use this particular ramp are advised to try and delay trips over this period and/or find suitable staging areas over this timeframe to avoid major congestion. Public transport operators are asked to ensure their drivers are aware of route closures and alternatives affecting their commuter routings.

Light vehicle traffic, as well as emergency services and traffic management are advised to make use of alternative routing.

A detailed alternative routing guide is included below can be found on this link: www.nra.co.za

All road-users are advised to plan their routes ahead of time and where possible leave for destinations earlier than usual.

SANRAL appeals to road users to note and comply with the advance warning signs and speed restrictions when travelling towards and through the construction work zones. To prioritise the safety of both the construction workers and road users, the speed limit along the route will be reduced during construction.

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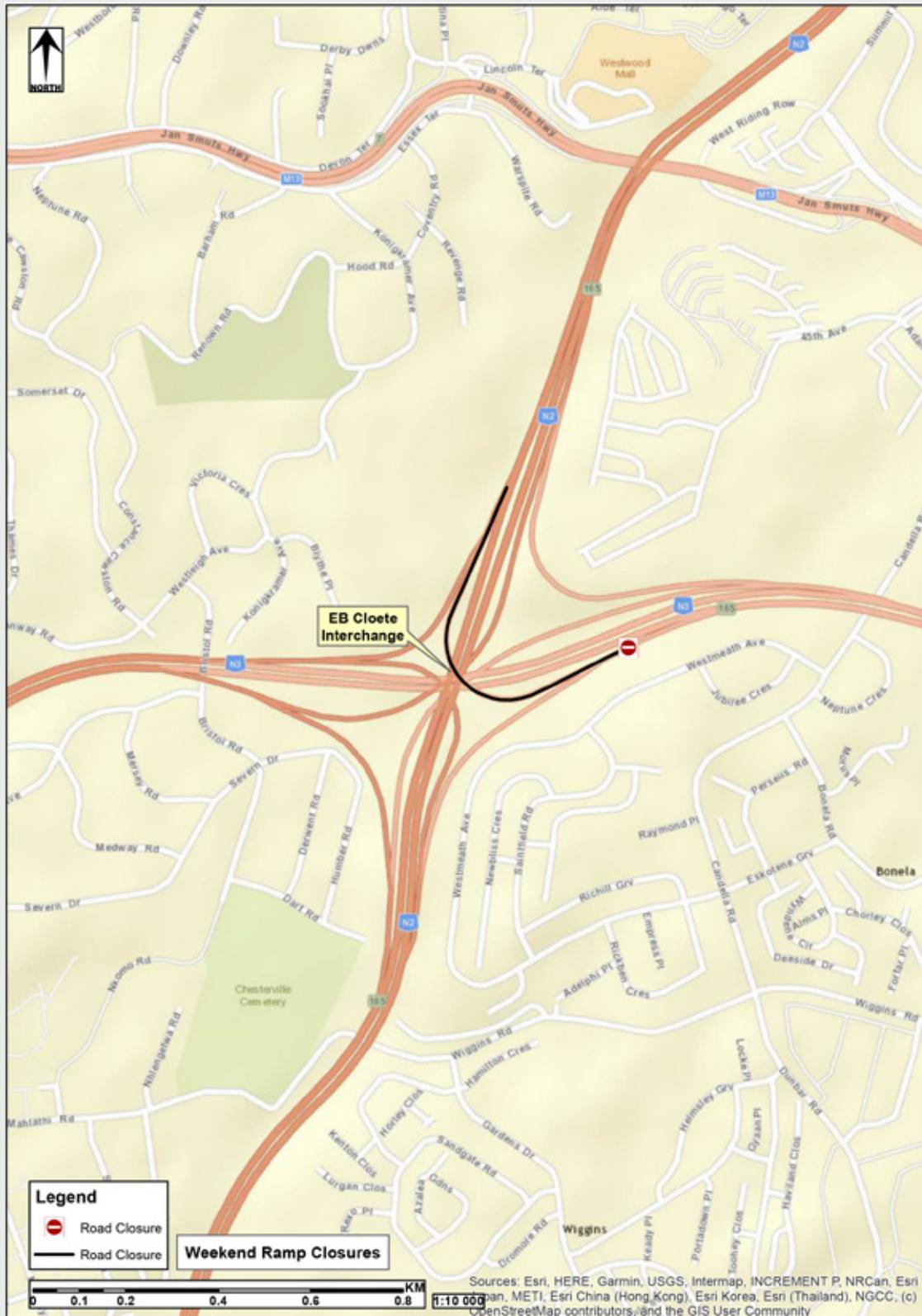
See the route closure map and alternative route guides overleaf.

WEEKEND TEMPORARY CLOSURES OF FLYOVER BRIDGE FROM DURBAN CBD (N3 WESTBOUND)

For detailed dates and times of closures please consult the following page.



Consider whether you need to travel during the planned construction work.





DETAILED ALTERNATIVE ROUTE GUIDE

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NOTES TO READERS

Read together with the Alternative Routes Map. This identifies routes across the city for consideration as you plan your travel.

STEP 1

Consider whether you need to travel during the planned placement of bridge beams or if you can delay travel.

STEP 2

Identify the direction of your travel and find this direction in the headings of options provided overleaf.

STEP 3

Consider your travel options while referring to the route map provided.

STEP 4

Use your GPS Maps function ahead of travel to get up to date information that may affect your travel times. Visit www.i-traffic.co.za/region/KwaZulu-Natal

STEP 5

Ensure you leave yourself enough time for the trip, noting potential speed limit changes and alternative route congestion.

Alternate Route from CBD Heading North

Remember that each travel option listed below is made up of a number of routes.

OPTION 1

Take the M4 Ruth First Highway and head North (Route 2). Turn left onto the M41 Off Ramp at La Lucia and head West (Route 3). Turn left on the N2 Off Ramp to King Shaka International Airport. Join The N2 and head North.

OPTION 2

Take Umgeni Road and head North (Route 5). Continue North on Chris Hani Road (Route 4). Take the N2 On Ramp to King Shaka International Airport. Head North on the N2 (Route 15).

OPTION 3

Take Umgeni Road and head North (Route 5). Continue left on Umgeni Road and head West. Take the N2 On Ramp to King Shaka International Airport head North on N2 (Route 15).

OPTION 4

Head West on N3 (Route 6a). Turn left onto Felix Dlamini Off Ramp. Turn right and head North on Felix Dlamini Road (Route 14). Turn left onto Umgeni Road (Route 9). Take the N2 On Ramp to King Shaka International Airport Head North on N2 (Route 15).

OPTION 5

Continue past the N2 North bound ramp closure (Route 6b). Take the St James off ramp. Turn Right onto St James Road (Route 11). Keep left and take loop ramp back to CBD (Route 6a). Take the N2 North bound off ramp to King Shaka International Airport. Head North on N2 (Route 15).



ALTERNATIVE ROUTE MAP

Consider whether you need to travel during the planned construction work.
 If it is possible delay travel. For up to date information please visit the
 official SANRAL website on www.nra.co.za

