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## Traffic survey for Huskisson

As part of Shoalhaven City Council's planning for a Huskisson bypass, contractors will conduct a traffic survey at a number of road sites in Huskisson during 22-23 January and Friday 12 February 2010.

Council has been collecting road traffic data since May 2009, but these latest surveys will provide more detailed information on traffic movements in the village.

The contractor will use video cameras located throughout the town centre to survey traffic conditions. The surveys will also record traffic volumes and patterns of traffic movement. The cameras will be removed after the surveys are completed. The data collected will not be used for any other purpose.

Following the survey Council will engage a consultant to complete a traffic study of the town centre including a review of the proposed Huskisson bypass.

After the traffic survey, more detailed environmental and cultural studies will need to follow if Council resolves to proceed with the planning of the bypass.

Traffic data collected for the study needs to be enough to allow Council to thoroughly examine existing traffic conditions in and around the town centre, including testing the effectiveness of any proposed Huskisson bypass. Planning projections and traffic modelling techniques will also be used to forecast future traffic conditions.

If you need further information about the Huskisson Traffic Study, or the upcoming traffic surveys, you can contact Council's Transport Engineer on (02) 4429 3142.

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