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Proposed bus service changes

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- ✓ New services
- ✓ Improved travel options

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Your feedback

Your views about these proposed changes are important to us.

Why we want to hear from you

Before we make a decision on our proposed changes to the bus network, we need to know the community's needs and views.

So make sure you have your say.

What you need to consider

We encourage you to think carefully about the proposed new bus network, which is detailed on the reverse of this page. We would like your feedback on any part of the proposal that may affect you.

How we design a bus network

We are dedicated public transport providers and we design our services for your ease of use and convenience.

When designing bus services we balance the needs of our many and varied customer groups.

So that we have a clear view of what's happening within an area, we review travel patterns, emerging trends, information on journeys to work and land use developments.

Community consultation allows us to gather your responses and use this feedback along with input from our stakeholders to review our proposals.

Proposed changes

The proposed changes would improve local services in the Nelson Bay area by:

- Creating a new route 131 to replace existing route 31 services which would operate seven days a week to provide better connections between Soldiers Point, Salamander Bay, Spinnaker Way, Nelson Bay and Little Beach. The route would operate via Tomaree Community Hospital, Nelson Bay, Galoola Drive and Bagnall Beach Road.
- Creating a new route 132 to replace existing route 30 services between Soldiers Point and Anna Bay. The new service would operate during weekday peak hours, connecting to Newcastle services on route 130.
- Improving route 130 to operate directly between Shoal Bay and Nelson Bay. The route would no longer divert via the Austral Street shops on selected trips. Alternative services would be available on the new route 131 which would also serve the Tomaree Community Hospital.
- Existing route 30 services between Fingal Bay and Anna Bay will be replaced by route 130. This bus route would continue to operate between Fingal Bay, Nelson Bay and Anna Bay.

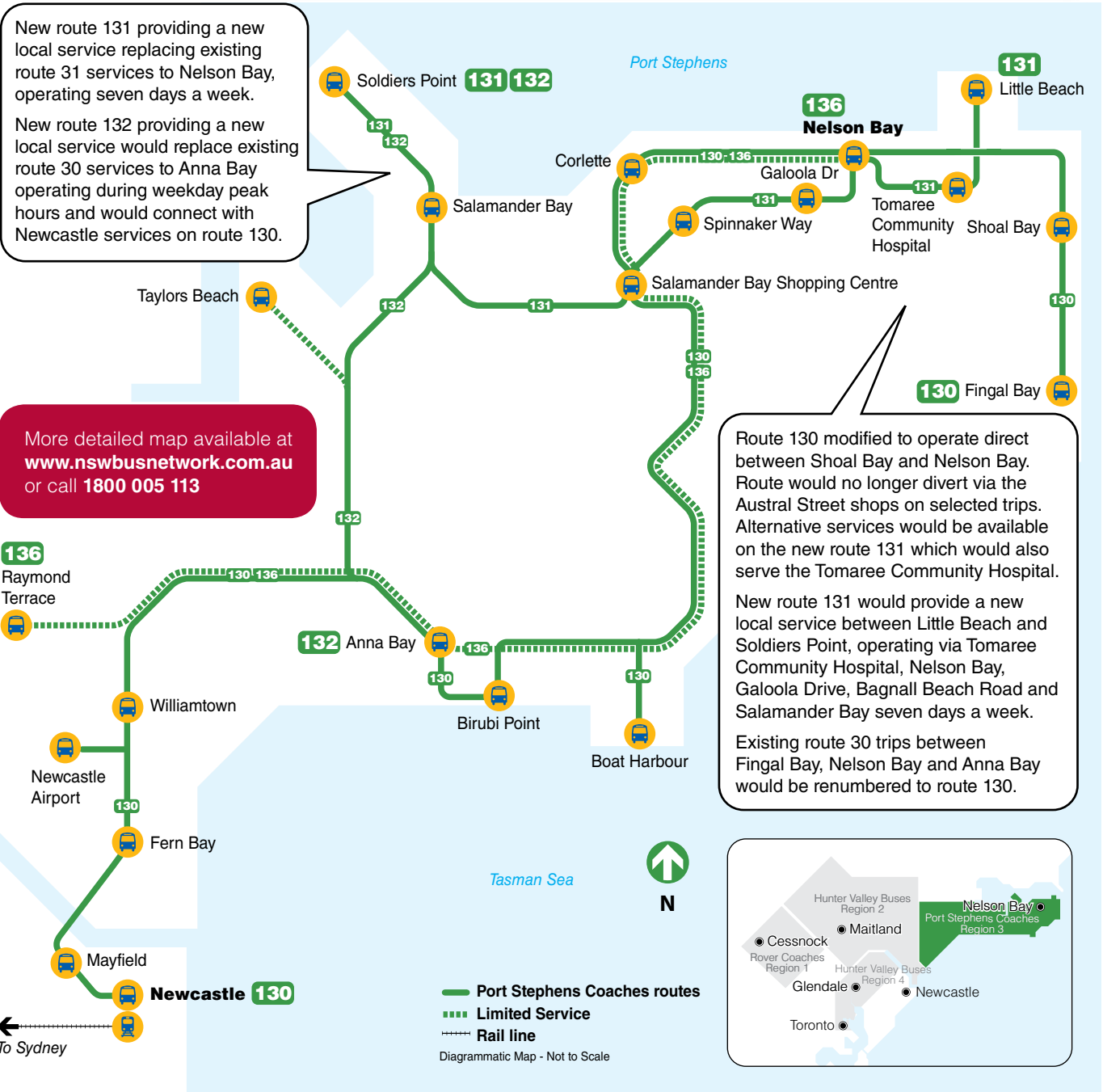
Proposed network map

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New route 131 providing a new local service replacing existing route 31 services to Nelson Bay, operating seven days a week.

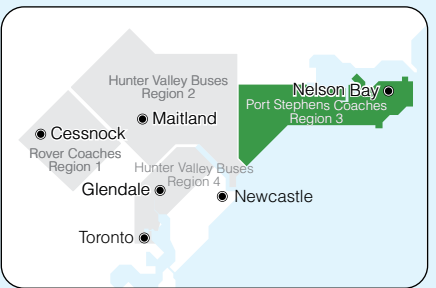
New route 132 providing a new local service would replace existing route 30 services to Anna Bay operating during weekday peak hours and would connect with Newcastle services on route 130.

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Route 130 modified to operate direct between Shoal Bay and Nelson Bay. Route would no longer divert via the Austral Street shops on selected trips. Alternative services would be available on the new route 131 which would also serve the Tomaree Community Hospital.

New route 131 would provide a new local service between Little Beach and Soldiers Point, operating via Tomaree Community Hospital, Nelson Bay, Galoola Drive, Bagnall Beach Road and Salamander Bay seven days a week.

Existing route 30 trips between Fingal Bay, Nelson Bay and Anna Bay would be renumbered to route 130.



- I **use** the bus (tick one only)
 most days once a week
 never once a month
- Which is the **main** bus route you currently use?
 Route No. _____
- Where do you usually **start** your journey?
 Street _____
 Suburb _____
- What is your **main destination** on this bus trip?

- What is your main usual ticket type?
 Adult Concession
 Child PET
 Weekly Bus Pass (SSTS)
 Other
- I **mainly use** the bus to go (tick one only)
 to work to school shopping
 other _____

- Does this proposal provide you with a good link to...
 a. your shopping centre? Y N
 b. your work? Y N
 c. school TAFE or Uni? Y N
 d. trains and other bus services? Y N
 e. satisfying frequency of bus services? Y N
- Please tell us about yourself
 Age: <16 17-24 25-36
 37-52 53-67 68+
 Female Male
 I live in (suburb) _____
- Special **needs**
 mobility disability hearing
 vision combination
- How do you get your transport **information**?
 Internet (131500.com.au)
 Internet (other) _____
 Transport Info 131500 call centre
 Timetables
 Bus operator / Driver
 Other staff
 other _____

Comment on the proposed bus network
 (please include route number)

Comment _____

Contact details (optional)

Name _____
 Phone _____
 Email _____
 Address _____

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 by 14 December 2009