

CLEARING OUT THE ASHRAM CHOKE



Commuters usually face a harrowing time on the clogged Ashram flyover. HT FILE

The Kalindi Kunj bypass project – from DND Flyover to Badarpur border – which has been pending for 16 years is back on track. The signal-free stretch will help decongest Mathura Road and Ashram Chowk

THE PROJECT IN NUMBERS

₹750 cr

Estimated cost of the bypass

4.29 lakh

No. of vehicles (approx) that pass through Ashram Chowk daily

3 lakh

Estimated no. of vehicles which will use the bypass daily

THE ROUTE

- Commuters on Ring Road, coming from Sarai Kale Khan, can take this signal-free section where Delhi-Noida-Delhi flyway starts
- Bypass will run adjacent to the Yamuna, passing through the Uttar Pradesh irrigation colony on the river bank near Agra canal

ZIP THROUGH

- The corridor will decongest Mathura Road and Ashram Chowk, apart from areas such as Sarita Vihar, Jasola and parts of Noida
- Commuters from east Delhi, parts of south Delhi and Noida going towards Faridabad can avoid Ashram

CHANGING THE COMMUTE FROM SARAI KALE KHAN TO FARIDABAD

EXISTING

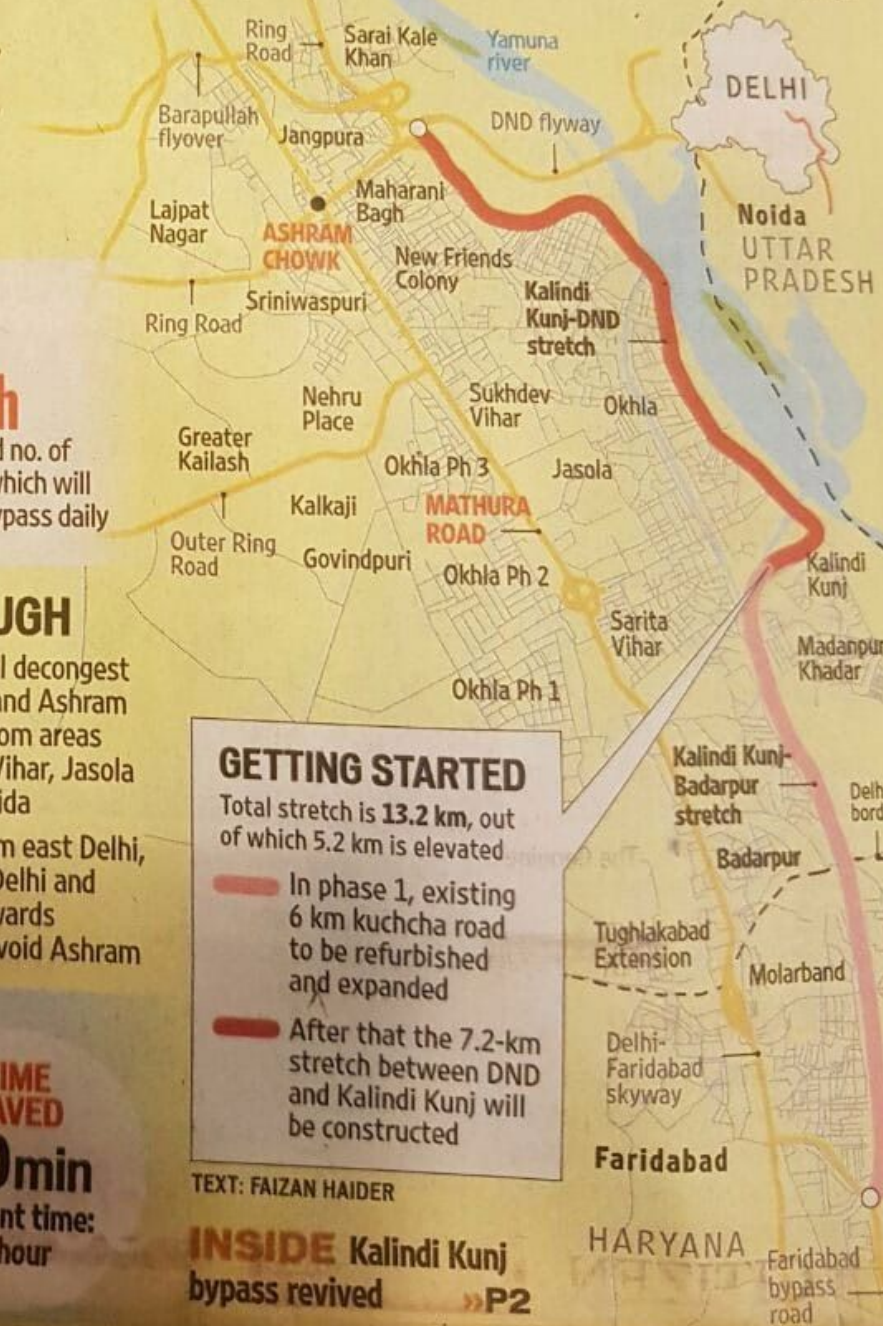
Maharani Bagh, Ashram, Sarita Vihar via Mathura Road

NEW

Commuters will be able to take the bypass and reach Badarpur flyover without stopping anywhere.

TIME SAVED

30 min
 Current time: 1 hour



GETTING STARTED

Total stretch is 13.2 km, out of which 5.2 km is elevated

In phase 1, existing 6 km kuchcha road to be refurbished and expanded

After that the 7.2-km stretch between DND and Kalindi Kunj will be constructed

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