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# ACOUSTICS ADVISOR MONTHLY REPORT SYDNEY METRO WEST (SSI 10038)

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Document review				
Document		Reviewed	Endorsed / approved	
Central Tunnelling Package (CT	P), AFJV			
	Tunnelling DNVIS Rev 4	Y	23/12/22	
OOH228	3 Traffic signage at Burwood North	Y	5/12/22	
OOH232 Electr	rical testing at Ada Street Burwood	Y	6/12/22	
00	H227 Traffic signage at Five Dock	Y	6/12/22	
OOH194 Traffic lights at Geo	orge / Pomeroy St North Strathfield	Y	20/12/22	
OOH182 Bus stop works at St North Strathfield		Y	21/12/22	
OOH234 Traffic control at Roberts and Mullens St		Y	5/1/23	
Power Enabling Works (PEW), C	Quickway			
OOH01	13 Road restoration works – Rev 5	Y	20/12/22	
OOH014 Darling Street restoration works – Rev 1		Y	13/12/22	
Metro Brownfield Enabling Wor Tomorrow (TfT)	<b>ks</b> (MBEW), Transport for			
OOH protocol		Under review		
Western Tunnelling Package (W	/TP), GALC			
Noise monitoring records	from Rosehill and Clyde Dive sites	Y	N/A	
Inspections / site visits				
Date Lo	ocation	Details		
1 December 21/0 to 2350	lestmead Parramatta SOP N			

Date	Location	Details
1 December 2140 to 2350	Westmead, Parramatta, SOP, N Strathfield, Burwood, Five Dock	Dave Anderson surveillance inspection
6 December 0930 to 1030	Rosehill Gardens Racecourse	Dave Anderson inspection
1 December 0930 to 1230	The Bays, Five Dock and North Strathfield	Larry Clark joined ER inspections.
8 December 2100 to 2230	Westmead OOH Utilities works for High Voltage and Geotech investigations	Larry Clark joined ER inspections with EPA and DPE representatives.
21 December 0900 to 1145	Rosehill and Clyde MSF	Larry Clark joined ER inspections
22 December 0930 to 1400	Sydney Olympic Park, Burwood North and The Bays	Larry Clark joined ER inspections

Meetings		
Date	With	Purpose
2 Dec	Sydney Metro	Noise mat November wrap up
7, 14, 21 Dec	Sydney Metro, GLC, ER	Weekly environment meeting, WTP
8, 9, 16 Dec	Sydney Metro, JHJV, ER	ETP Meeting
5, 12, 19 Dec	AFJV, Sydney Metro, ER	Environment meeting, CTP
5, 12 Dec	Sydney Metro, GLC, ATC	Weekly works status
2, 9 Dec	TfT, Sydney Metro, ER	Brownfield enabling works meetings
12 Dec	DPE, ER	Monthly DPE compliance meeting

12 Dec	DPE	Quarterly AA catch up
16 Dec	ERs	WTP OOHW Approvals
19 Dec	ER, DPE	WTP OOHW Approvals
20 Dec	ER, Sydney Metro	WTP OOHW Approvals
22 Dec	DPE, Sydney Metro, ER	Monthly DPE post-approvals meeting

### Noise and vibration issues, incidents, recommendations

Date	Contract / Location and details
1 December	The Bays, Five Dock and North Strathfield ER Inspections. Tonal alarm on excavator at Five Dock to be rectified. "Please minimise noise for our neighbours" type signs to be put up in amenities area, Five Dock.
21 December	WTP ER Inspection. Noise champion to be posted on Rosehill and Clyde MSF noticeboards. Rubber tyred, wheeled excavator in use at Clyde MSW to be investigated as a possible replacement for loud squeaky tracked excavator adjacent to Rosehill stables.
22 December	CTP ER inspections. Hydraulic hammer noise noted during 1100 to 1200 respite period. Reported due to maintenance. Crew reminded that respite includes no operation of the rock hammer, including for maintenance.

## Examples of good practice in noise and vibration management

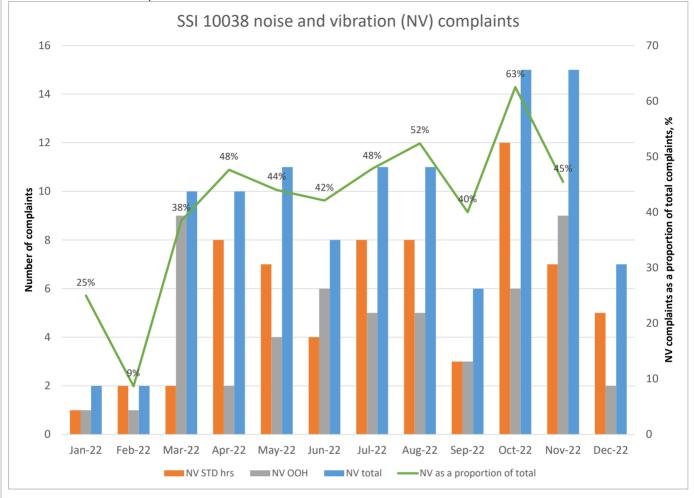
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8 December	Westmead ER Inspections, OOH Utilities works for High Voltage and Geotech investigations. Silent battery powered lighting plant in use; parked up truck switched off and not idling; squawker on excavator, which was not excessively loud; tail gate slams when unloading backfill avoided by unloading by excavator from the truck; noise from loading excavated materials into truck avoided by considerate handling of excavator. Good noise mat set up around Geotech drilling.
22 December	CTP ER inspection. Noise noted as a critical risk on Sydney Olympic Park noticeboard. Respite hours specified on noticeboard at The Bays.

Notes		
Date	Contract / Location and details	
1 December	Larry Clark presented a briefing at Burwood North pre-start toolbox talk on good practice in implementation of temporary noise barriers. The focus on temporary noise barriers follows comments raised by EPA during their OOH surveillance earlier in the year (although their comments weren't specifically focussed on Sydney Metro).	

### Noise and vibration complaints

Preliminary results, pending complete data: 7 noise and vibration complaints during December; 4 from Parramatta, 2 from Five Dock and 1 from Westmead.

Note: The chart shows noise and vibration (NV) complaints in standard hours and out of hours (OOH) periods. Some complaints relate to both time periods so the total number of NV complaints may be less than the sum of standard and OOH complaints.



#### Ongoing and upcoming noise and vibration risks

- Upcoming permanent pavement installation at Rozelle by Quickway, which triggers large numbers of Alternate Accommodation offers, taking place in early January.
- Ongoing construction near to the horse stables at Rosehill Gardens.