

Monthly update –Westmead

25 October 2024

Sydney Metro is Australia's biggest public transport project.

The NSW Government is delivering Sydney Metro West – a new underground metro railway which will double rail capacity between Parramatta and the Sydney CBD, link new communities to rail services and support employment growth and housing supply.

Gamuda Australia and Laing O'Rourke Consortium (GLC) has been awarded the contract to deliver nine kilometres of twin metro rail tunnels between Westmead and Sydney Olympic Park, excavation for two new metro stations, a stabling and maintenance facility at Clyde and a precast facility at Eastern Creek.

Construction activities: November 2024

Tunnelling contractor, GLC will continue major construction at the Westmead metro station site during November. These activities will be carried out during standard construction hours:

- **Monday to Friday 7am to 6pm and Saturday 8am to 6pm**

Work will involve:

- Installing waterproofing membranes, formwork, steel fixing and concrete deliveries.
- Delivery of pre-fabricated steel cages for the tunnel lining
- Commencing excavation and installation of conduits and cables at the intersection of Hawkesbury Road and Priddle Street in advance of adjustments to the pedestrian crossing in January 2025.
- Surveying, installing and monitoring of survey prisms within local streets and around the site.
- Delivering and removing machinery, equipment, concrete and materials.

Work carried out by Quickway to relocate gas and telecommunications services around the future Westmead metro site have now been completed.

Out-of-hours work

To minimise interruption to local traffic and to ensure the safety of motorists, pedestrians and workers around the site, some work must be undertaken outside standard construction hours.

Out-of-hours work will involve:

- Installing waterproofing membranes, formwork and steel fixing within the tunnels and concrete deliveries to support these works within the acoustic shed, **24 hours a day, Monday to Sunday**. Concrete deliveries will be via the Hawkesbury Road access gate between 10pm and 7am.
- Delivery of pre-fabricated steel cages for the tunnel lining.
- Commencing excavation and installation of conduits and cables at the intersection of Hawkesbury Road and Priddle Street in advance of adjustments to the pedestrian crossing in January 2025.
- Surveying, installing, cleaning and monitoring maintaining survey devices within local streets and the rail corridor.
- Delivery and removal of oversized machinery, material and equipment via Hassall Street and Hawkesbury Road.

These works will be completed in stages during out-of-hours and standard construction hours. A separate notification will be distributed to keep you informed of these works.

Changes to traffic and pedestrian routes:

To facilitate access to work areas and safely operate machinery, there will be:

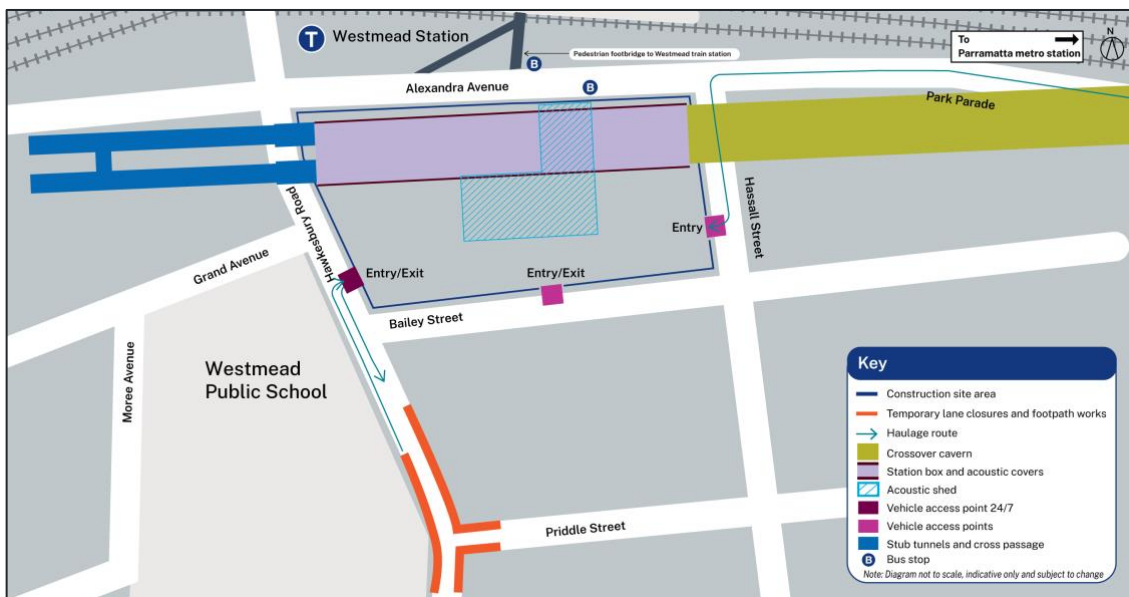
- Temporary lane and footpath closures to allow excavation on the Hawkesbury Road footpath between Priddle Street and Bailey Street and at the Priddle Street intersection.
- Access to public transport will be maintained.
- Temporary signage and traffic control to assist motorists, pedestrians and cyclists with changes to road and footpath conditions.

What to expect:

- Noise blankets are used during night work where possible to minimise disturbance
- Lighting will be directed to the work areas and away from residential properties
- Noise, vibration and dust monitoring will be conducted.

Equipment used: Includes (but is not limited to) rock hammers, vacuum trucks, grinders, saws, excavators, concrete trucks and pumps, dozers, roadheaders, dust scrubbers, compressors, plate compactors, drilling rigs, spoil trucks, cranes, semi-trailers, loaders, dump trucks, tilt trays, tippers, generators, survey instruments, lighting towers, hand tools and light vehicles.

Westmead metro station works area:



Contact us

Please contact team members from GLC or Quickway on **1800 612 173** or by email if you have any questions, complaints or would like to provide feedback about the work, including respite periods. We will continue to keep you updated on the progress of work in your area. Thank you for your cooperation while we complete this essential work.

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