

Monthly update – Clyde and surrounds

24 March 2025

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 on site: April 2025

Tunnelling contractor, GLC will continue major construction at the Clyde site during April.

What work we are doing?

- Clearing vegetation, line marking and finishing works will require road and lane closures, see details below.
- Constructing retaining walls within site including earthworks, piling and concrete pours.
- Demobilising the temporary acoustic shed at Clyde Dive.
- Geotechnical investigations, groundwater monitoring onsite (including Duck Creek) and in nearby streets.
- Continuing work within the road corridor and upgrading utility services on James Ruse Drive, Unwin, Shirley, Wentworth, Martha, Colquhoun, Devon and Hamilton Streets.
- Constructing bridges over Duck and A'Becketts Creek within site including earthworks, steel fixing, plank installation, piling, drainage, formwork and concrete pours*.
- Tunnelling excavation, lining and support work of mainline metro tunnels, junction caverns and service tunnels at Clyde Dive*.
- Delivery and removal of machinery, assembly of equipment and unloading of materials, including spoil stockpiling*.
- Installing and monitoring survey equipment along the alignment until late 2025*.

Work will be conducted during standard working hours, **7am –6pm Monday to Friday, 8am –6pm, Saturdays.**

*Tunnelling and support activities, and some construction activities will be **24 hours, six days a week.**

Work activities are subject to ground and weather conditions and may be rescheduled if required. We will notify you via our email updates when this needs to happen.

Updates to the construction program and out-of-hours work and deliveries are provided in our weekly Clyde email updates. You can subscribe to these updates by emailing; MetroTunnelsGLC@transport.nsw.gov.au.

Road closures and changes to traffic, pedestrian and cyclist routes include:

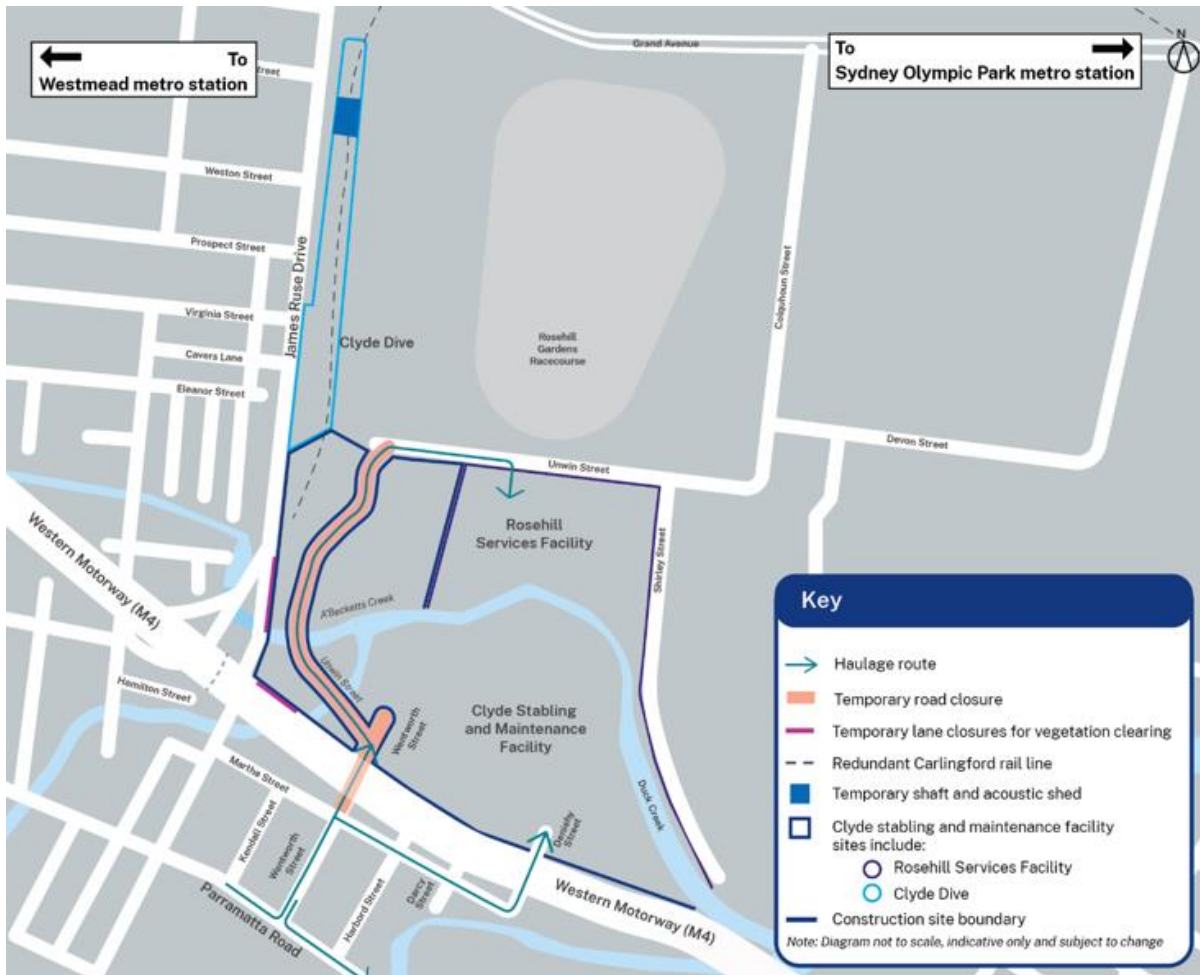
- Clearing vegetation will be conducted **between 10pm Tuesday 8 April and 5am Wednesday 9 April on James Ruse Drive at two locations requiring:**
 - a temporary southbound lane closure. Traffic will remain open in both directions.
 - a temporary closure on the eastbound on ramp to the Western Motorway (M4), see map for details.
- Line marking and finishing works on sections of Wentworth and Unwin Streets will require the roads to be closed **between 10pm Thursday 10 April to 5am Friday 11 April and 10pm Friday 11 April to 5am Saturday 12 April 2025**, pending weather and site conditions. See map overleaf for details.
- Traffic control and signage will be in place in surrounding streets to assist motorists, pedestrians and cyclists with changes to traffic conditions. This includes contraflow, boom gate operations, temporary barriers, and stop-slow traffic control will continue until mid-2025.

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: (but is not limited to) cranes, tower crane, piling and sheet piling rigs, generators, lining erector machine, tunnel boring components, bolting rigs, trucks and dogs, light vehicles, drill rigs, dust scrubbers, compressors, excavators (including attachments), dozers, shotcrete machines, jackhammer, concrete agitators, concrete pumps, vacuum trucks, vibratory roller, chainsaws, mulchers, chippers, road saw, traffic control devices and survey equipment.

Clyde work area



Contact us:

Please contact GLC's Community team 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. If you would prefer to receive updates by email, please send a request to metrotunnelsGLC@transport.nsw.gov.au and we will add you to the distribution list.



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