

## MEDIA RELEASE

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## **BUSES REPLACING TRAINS FOR TRACKWORK THIS WEEKEND**

Customers are reminded to plan their travel this weekend as Sydney Trains and the Australian Rail Track Corporation (ARTC) carries out up to \$3.5 million of essential maintenance and upgrade works.

Buses will replace trains from 2.00am Saturday 18 June until 2.00am Monday 20 June between Goulburn/Moss Vale to Campbelltown, then Central.

NSW TrainLink Executive Director Customer Service Delivery Pete Allaway said while trackwork can be inconvenient, the upgrades will deliver network improvements for customers.

"We understand that when sections of the rail network are closed for maintenance it can be disruptive for our customers," Mr Allaway said.

"Both Sydney Trains and ARTC are carrying out a range of upgrades and maintenance work on the weekend to improve reliability of the network.

"Customers planning to visit the Vivid Light Festival in Sydney on Saturday 18 June are encouraged to plan in advance to avoid delays".

Customers can get the latest information about trackwork on our specific Twitter feed for the Southern Highlands @TrainLinkSouth, <u>www.transportnsw.info</u> and <u>www.sydneytrains.info</u> websites or use our transport information apps.

For information about Vivid 2016, go to <u>www.vividsydney.com</u>.

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