

Geotechnical investigations in Medlow Bath from Monday 6 September 2021

The NSW Government is carrying out essential geotechnical investigations as part of the Great Western Highway Upgrade Program in Blackheath

Transport for NSW will carry out various geotechnical works, including the drilling of boreholes and test pits near the Great Western Highway over the coming fortnight to inform the design of the Highway Upgrade.



The geotechnical investigations will take place on Evans Lookout Road near the intersection of the Great Western Highway at Blackheath.

The investigations will further inform the development of the Great Western Highway Upgrade Program.

Work hours are between **7am** and **5pm Monday to Friday** and **8am** and **1pm on Saturday**.

There will be up to seventeen day shifts from **6 to 24 September**, weather permitting

We will let you know in advance if we need to do any work outside of these hours.

How will the work affect you?

There will be some noise associated with this work, but every effort will be made to minimise the impact on residents. Drilling works will be undertaken by a geotechnical drilling rig and digging work with a small excavator.

Where possible, we will make every effort to minimise impacts.

Access to businesses and residences will be maintained during the work. Please exercise caution as you enter and exit your property and follow the directions of traffic controllers.

Traffic changes

Traffic control may be in place where necessary during the works on Evans Lookout Road, with reduced speed limits of 40km/h and temporary lane closures.

Motorists are advised to drive to the conditions, and follow the directions of signs and traffic control.

Bus stops on Evans Lookout Road will not be impacted by the works.

For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the [Live Traffic NSW](#) App.

Covid-19

Work crews will be adhering to strict Covid-19 protocols with approved Covid-19 safety plans in place for each shift. The program of work is subject to change in response to any further government restrictions that may be put in place to manage Covid-19.

Contact

If you have any questions about the works, please contact Transport for NSW on 1800 953 777 or gwhd@transport.nsw.gov.au. For more information on our projects, visit nswroads.work/greatwesternhighway.



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