



Australian Government

BUILDING OUR FUTURE



March 2017

Update: Sydney Airport east west runway operations

The Australian and NSW Governments are upgrading roads in the Sydney Airport East precinct to improve traffic flow and access to the airport and Port Botany.

We wrote to you recently about work we were planning to complete during a 16 day Sydney Airport east west runway shutdown beginning Friday 17 March 2017. Due to circumstances including recent wet weather and scheduling arrangements, the work will start one week later from **Friday 24 March** and **Monday 10 April 2017**.

Our planned work during this period has not changed, and work will be carried out **24 hours per day**, construction conditions and weather permitting. Not all work will be noisy during this time.

Carrying out as much work as possible during this period will minimise the night work required, and help reduce our impact on the community.

What to expect

During this period we will be carrying out piling work for the major road structures. Large piling machines will be used create foundations for:

- the new rail bridge for the Port Botany freight rail line
- the new bridge over Ascot canal, which will form part of the extension of Wentworth Avenue
- a new retaining wall next to General Holmes Drive.

Several different types of piles will be installed in these locations. Equipment and machinery used will include piling machines, trucks, excavators, cranes, lighting towers, concrete equipment and trucks, light vehicles and hand tools.

There will also be heavy vehicle movements and deliveries of equipment to the work sites during this time. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

Contact

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact the project team on **1300 862 844** or comms.airporteast@jhg.com.au or visit rms.nsw.gov.au/sydneyairport.

A weekly schedule of upcoming work, including night work, is available online and emailed to the project stakeholder list every week. If you would like to receive the weekly schedule, please email the project team at comms.airporteast@jhg.com.au.



Transport
Roads & Maritime
Services