The NSW Government is replacing the ageing regional rail fleet of XPT, XPLORER and Endeavour trains. A new purpose-built maintenance facility will be built in Dubbo as part of this project.

The new trains will improve safety, amenity and reliability for customers who travel from Sydney to many regional centres in NSW, as well as Canberra, Melbourne and Brisbane.

The detailed design and construction of the maintenance facility is being delivered by Momentum Trains on behalf of Transport for NSW.

**Upcoming work**

Project planning and preparation work at the Dubbo Maintenance Facility site is continuing. Site clearance activities and the establishment of temporary site compounds are also expected to take place over the next three months. These activities are part of preparatory works for the main construction phase of the maintenance facility, which is expected to commence in early 2020.

Site clearance activities will involve loading spoil and other materials into trucks to remove offsite. Daily truck movements to and from the site are expected to increase and will be via White Street.

Temporary site compound work will involve establishing site facilities (offices, toilets, changing and rest areas), the installation of temporary footpaths and fencing, and utilities work.

Site clearance and site setup works are expected to take around six weeks each to complete, weather permitting.

**Location of work**

The extent of these works has been highlighted below.
What you may notice

There will be an increased level of activity around the site as this work is carried out. Equipment to be used on site includes but is not limited to:

- Excavators
- Loaders
- Trucks and trailers
- Watercarts
- Graders
- Road sweepers
- Mobile cranes
- Concrete trucks

These activities may result in increased noise levels and minor dust emissions. Dust suppression techniques including the use of water will be implemented to control impacts to the surrounding community.

Hours of work

Work will be undertaken during standard construction hours:

- Monday to Friday, 7am to 6pm
- Saturdays, 8am to 1pm.

Site activities will cease over the Christmas and New Year period from Wednesday 25 December 2019 to Thursday 2 January 2020. Work will recommence on Friday 3 January 2020.

Advance notification will be provided to potentially impacted community members and stakeholders if work outside of these hours is required.

We apologise for any disruption these activities may cause. We are committed to minimising the impact of our work where possible.

Keeping the community informed

Working closely and effectively with the local community is a priority for Transport for NSW and Momentum Trains.

Our project team will keep you up to date about upcoming works with regular notifications and updates on our website.


For urgent enquiries or complaints regarding construction activities, please call our 24-hour Construction Response Line on 1800 775 465.