Project update – planning approval

Planning approval for the Kingswood Station upgrade has recently been granted and work is set to start at the end of this month. The works will take around 12 months to complete.

Thank you to everyone who provided feedback during the recent community consultation period. Some of the key themes we heard in your feedback included:

- support for the project and the new lifts
- enquiries regarding construction timeframes
- the need to consider how to provide easier access for people with a vision-impairment
- requests for additional bicycle parking

To view all themes, further information about the feedback we received and how it was considered in the project Determination Report can be found at [www.transport.nsw.gov.au/Kingswood](http://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/Kingswood).

Project overview

The Transport Access Program is a NSW Government initiative to provide a better experience for public transport customers by delivering accessible, secure and integrated transport infrastructure.

Transport for NSW is upgrading Kingswood Station to make it easier for everyone to access, including those with a disability, limited mobility, parents/carers with prams and customers with luggage. Key features of the station upgrade include:

- two new lifts and stairs to provide access to each station platform
- new accessible pathways throughout the station precinct
- new station entrances on the Great Western Highway and the corner of Park Avenue and Richmond Road
- upgrading of existing platform surfaces and surrounding footpaths
- improved amenities such as a new ambulant toilet and family accessible toilet
- upgrades to CCTV and lighting for improved safety and security

Upcoming works

Work in January and early February will include installation of site sheds, fencing and hoarding, clearing vegetation, and locating and relocating electrical services. Equipment to be used during this work includes: chainsaws, excavator, tipper truck, jackhammer, cherry picker crane and hand tools.
How this work affects you

Some of these works may be noisy and we will try to reduce the impacts where possible. This will include:

• only using noisy machinery when we absolutely have to
• scheduling noisier work during daylight and evening hours
• turning off machinery and vehicles when not in use
• notifying residents before the work starts, to let them know what to expect.

Standard working hours

Standard work hours are between 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm Saturdays. During the station upgrade some work may need to be conducted outside of these hours to ensure the safety of workers, pedestrians and motorists and minimise impacts on traffic. The community would be informed ahead of any works outside of standard work hours.

We thank you for your patience and apologise for any inconvenience while we undertake these important works.

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