Transport for NSW is upgrading electrical infrastructure as part of the Power Supply Upgrade Program, which is designed to meet expected power requirements for Sydney’s future rail network.

We are installing a new power supply cable between the Ausgrid Substation in Surry Hills and the Chalmers Street Substation at Central Station. Novo Rail is delivering the project on behalf of Transport for NSW.

**Upcoming construction activities**

We will be temporarily closing the pedestrian crossing on Albion Street at the corner of Elizabeth Street, Surry Hills to undertake trench excavation prior to the installation of the new power cable. This will take place continuously from 7am Monday 16 to 6pm Friday 20 December and from 7am Monday 6 to 6pm Friday 17 January.

We will also carry out video investigation of the sewer pipes underneath Elizabeth Street and Albion Street between 7pm and 5am from Monday 16 December to Friday 20 December. There will be no impact to any property sewer services.

**Temporary road impacts – Albion Street**

A temporary pedestrian crossing will be created east of the work site along Albion Street (see map overleaf) during the closure of the Albion Street pedestrian crossing. There will be a temporary lane closure for one northbound and one southbound lane on Elizabeth Street between Eddy Avenue and Reservoir Street, Surry Hills between 10am and 3pm and 7pm and 5am. Access along Elizabeth Street and Albion Street will be maintained during the work.

Traffic control, electronic sign boards and pedestrian detour signs will be in place to provide directions to pedestrians and motorists.

**Construction equipment**

Equipment to be used during the work activities includes road saw, jackhammer, tip trucks, concrete truck, concrete pump, compactor, vacuum trucks, generator, lighting towers, a video camera, work vehicles and various hand and power tools.

Transport for NSW is committed to minimising noise impacts on the community. We switch off equipment when it is not being used, place equipment as far away from properties as possible and monitor our work activities to make sure noise levels are being managed effectively.

**Keeping the community informed**

We appreciate your patience while we complete this important work. If you would like to speak with the project team about this work, please contact us through the details provided below.

For more information call 1800 684 490, Email projects@transport.nsw.gov.au or visit transport.nsw.gov.au/projects

For urgent enquiries or complaints regarding construction activities, please call 24 hours 1800 775 465
Visit transport.nsw.gov.au/projects for up to date information about the Surry Hills to Central Station Feeder Upgrade project.

Map of work area