

Transport Access Program

Waratah Station Upgrade

Project Update

April/May 2019



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The Waratah Station Upgrade is being delivered as part of the Transport Access Program, a NSW Government initiative to provide a better experience for public transport customers by delivering accessible, modern, secure and integrated transport infrastructure.

Project overview

Transport for NSW is upgrading Waratah Station to make it easier for everyone to access, including those with a disability, limited mobility, parents/carers with prams and customers with luggage.

Stakeholders and the wider community were invited to submit feedback on the proposed designs during the public display period in November 2018. Thank you to all community members who provided feedback on the plans. Key themes that emerged were:

- general support for the project
- suggestions for greater options for accessible parking
- a desired focus on safety improvements
- a desire for improved bicycle parking.

For further information about the feedback we received and how it was considered are included in the project Determination Report which can be found online at the project website (listed over the page).

Key features of the upgrade include:

- three new lifts to provide access to the station platforms
- a new walkway linking the lift to the existing footbridge
- a new accessible parking space on Platt Street
- a new family accessible toilet and unisex ambulant toilet
- upgrades to the existing stairs
- upgrades to the kiss-and-ride and taxi zone on Railway Terrace, and a new shared kiss-and-ride and taxi zone on Platt Street
- improvements to closed circuit television/video surveillance (CCTV) and lighting to increase safety and security
- new pedestrian pathways throughout the station precinct
- improved accessibility to the waiting room.

Upcoming early work and site establishment

Work will commence on **Thursday 2 May 2019** to undertake geotechnical surveys and start site establishment activities. Activities include:

- using a small drilling rig to take geotechnical samples of the ground conditions (predominantly within the rail corridor)
- surveying the existing platform, station buildings and surrounding
- installing site sheds, fencing and hoarding, clearing vegetation, locating and relocating electrical services.

Equipment which will be used during this work includes: small drilling rig, surveying equipment, delivery truck and hand tools.

Standard construction hours

Standard working hours are **7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday**, and **8am to 1pm, Saturday**.

Notifications of any works occurring outside of these standard hours will be given prior to works commencing.

Keeping the community informed

The community will be kept informed with regular project notifications and information via the project website found at: www.transport.nsw.gov.au/projects/current-projects/waratah-station-upgrade.

For further information on the project, please call the Project Infoline on **1800 684 490** or email projects@transport.nsw.gov.au



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