

Transport Access Program

Como Station Upgrade

Project update July 2020

Como Station Upgrade is part of the Transport Access Program, an initiative to provide a better experience for public transport customers by delivering modern, safe, and accessible infrastructure.

The upgrade will provide a station that is accessible to those with a disability, limited mobility, carers/parents with prams and customers with luggage.



Upcoming work

During July site establishment will begin at Como Station. Work includes levelling and removing ground materials to prepare for construction. To accommodate the increase of construction vehicles around the station, localised traffic control will be in place.

Key features of the Como Station Upgrade include:

- Two new lifts connecting the platform and commuter car park to the underpass
- Upgraded station entry at the commuter car park, including new stairs to connect to the underpass
- Relocation of the three existing accessible parking spaces closer to the new lifts
- Upgrades and regrading of the existing ramp from Railway Road
- New accessible pathways throughout the station precinct

- Formalised kiss and ride zone on Railway Road
- New stairs to connect Como Parade to the underpass
- Improved amenities such as new male and female ambulant toilets, a new family accessible toilet, CCTV and lighting.

Extended construction hours

Under new rules introduced by the NSW Government to support the construction industry during the COVID-19 situation, some construction sites can now operate on weekends and public holidays.

Under the new Order, standard construction hours are now 7am to 6pm every day, including public holidays.

The Environmental Planning and Assessment (COVID-19 Development – Construction Work Days) Order 2020 will continue for up to six months and all changes to the Order will be communicated accordingly.

It enables workers to abide by social distancing rules while keeping construction projects progressing by allowing building work to be spread across more days of the week.

Como Station Upgrade will utilise these additional hours to facilitate social distancing on site and support the health and wellbeing of all workers.

The project remains committed to minimising the impacts on the community and will avoid noisy work where possible during the weekend construction hours. All reasonable measures to reduce noise impacts will continue to be implemented, including using the quietest equipment possible, placing machinery and vehicles as far away from properties as possible, conducting high noise generating activities during weekdays where possible, and implementing respite periods as required.

High impact noise generating activities are still subject to restrictions specified in the project's planning approval conditions.

The community will continue to be notified in advance of any work that will take place outside the new standard construction hours.

This measure has been put in place to support the industry and is in line with current medical advice, to keep workers and the community safe and healthy.

Keep in touch

We will continue to keep the community informed with regular project updates. Further information is available on the project website www.transport.nsw.gov.au/como. If you would like to be added to the project distribution list, please contact us on **1800 684 490** or email projects@transport.nsw.gov.au

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