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 and new fleet of air-conditioned trains.

A new power supply cable will be installed between the Ausgrid Substation in Ann Street, Surry Hills and the new Chalmers Street Substation at Central Station. Novo Rail is delivering the project on behalf of Transport for NSW.

Upcoming construction activities

We recently notified the community of work activities occurring in the Surry Hills area including excavation of a trench in Elizabeth Street.

From **9pm Friday 17 to 5am Monday 20 January** we will excavate the trench across the southbound lanes of Elizabeth Street.

These activities relate to power supply services within the rail corridor only and will not affect power at residential or commercial properties.

Temporary lane closures – Elizabeth Street

During the work, temporary lane closures will be in place on the northbound and southbound lanes on Elizabeth Street between Eddy Avenue and Reservoir Street.

Two way traffic will be maintained, however short traffic delays may be experienced in both directions.

There will be closures of the right hand turn lane into Albion Street for northbound traffic, please follow the direction of police at the intersection. Detours will be via Wentworth Avenue, Goulburn Street, Riley Street and Reservoir Street (see map over the page).

Traffic control, electronic sign boards and detour signs will be in place to provide directions to motorists and pedestrians. Access to properties will be maintained during the work.

Construction equipment

Equipment to be used during the work activities includes a crane, excavator, vacuum truck, road saw, jackhammer, compactor, trucks, lighting towers, 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.

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**
Keeping the community informed

If you would like to speak with the project team about this work, please contact us through the details provided below. Thank you for your patience as we undertake this important work.

Map of work area