



Automatic Train Protection

Newtown

COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

September/October 2021

Transport for NSW is boosting safety across the electrified rail network by delivering new Automatic Train Protection (ATP) technology.

Project overview

ATP will provide additional safety benefits and more reliable services by ensuring trains operate within the permitted speed limit.

The technology will provide real-time speed and signal information to train drivers. The system includes:

- installation of electronic equipment on rail lines to continually monitor train speed
- installation of electronic equipment on suburban and intercity trains which provides information on the train's speed, distance, and direction.

ATP is being rolled out across the Sydney Trains and NSW TrainLink electrified network.

Upcoming activities at Newtown

Between 10pm and 6am, Monday 20 September and Saturday 2 October, we will be installing electronic safety equipment in the rail corridor, weather permitting. Work will take place for one night only at each work area location within the rail corridor.

The work at each location is only expected to occur for short periods to ensure the safety of workers and to avoid interrupting other rail operations.

Workers will access the rail corridor via nearby rail access gates. Please see map of the work areas and access gates overleaf. There will be no traffic impacts because of this work.

What you may notice

Equipment used during the work activity will involve hand tools, including an electric saw and drill. Higher noise generating work involving hand held power tools will only be for short periods.

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

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 and understanding during these important safety improvements to the rail network.

Maps of the work areas



Map highlighting the work areas and access gate locations near Newtown Station.



Map highlighting the work area and access gate locations near pedestrian railway subway between Trafalgar and Bedford Streets, Newtown.



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