

Transport Access Program

East Hills Station Upgrade

Project update

August 2021



Artist's impression of East Hills Station Upgrade, subject to detailed design.

In line with recent restrictions introduced by the NSW Government on 17 July 2021 to help keep our communities safe, construction activities on East Hills Station Upgrade were paused. We are making arrangements for our work activities to safely recommence from 16 August 2021, as detailed in this notification.

Should these restrictions change based on advice by the NSW Government, which may impact the timing of our work, the community will be notified. We encourage you to subscribe to our project email distribution for the latest information, by calling us on 1800 684 490 or emailing projects@transport.nsw.gov.au.

The safety and wellbeing of our workforce and the wider community is our highest priority. You may see some of our workers on site as they prepare the sites for work to recommence. Please be assured our people and worksites follow NSW Health's COVID-19 requirements and will continue to do so.

Upcoming work

Construction started on the East Hills Station Upgrade in July, with installation of hoarding, demolition and lift pit work carried out. Activities will continue in August, subject to change due to NSW public health orders, and include:

- installation of electrical and water services at the station
- preparation work for the new lifts, including excavation, installation of anchor bolts, waterproofing and concreting
- demolition and service relocation for the new family accessible toilet, including installation of temporary fencing
- removal of payphone from the underpass.

Equipment to be used includes surveying equipment, mobile crane, small drilling rig, excavators, loaders, trucks, concrete pumps, power and hand tools.

Weekend work - 21 and 22 August

Work will be carried out continuously from **6am Saturday 21 August to 10pm Sunday 22 August 2021** during a scheduled Sydney Trains track work weekend, when the station is closed and no trains are running.

Work will include electrical investigations, demolition work, lift pit work, and the relocation/installation of electrical and water services in the station precinct.

To ensure work can be carried out safely, the pedestrian underpass between Park Road and Thompson Lane will be closed between **6am and 6pm Saturday 21 August and Sunday 22 August 2021.** Please use alternative access on Maclaurin Avenue during this time.

Equipment to be used includes mobile cranes, excavators, surveying equipment, construction trucks, power and hand tools.

There may be some noise associated with this work and measures will be implemented to reduce impacts wherever possible, such as turning off vehicles when not in use, positioning construction equipment will be positioned as far away from residential areas as possible, using non-tonal reversing beepers, and monitoring noise levels.

Please visit transportnsw.info or call 131 500 for information about replacement buses during this time.

Construction hours

Standard construction hours are from 7am to 6pm every day, including public holidays. We understand extending construction hours to include weekends and public holidays may cause disruption, with all efforts made to minimise impacts where possible and ensure strict environmental conditions relating to noise, vibration and dust management are adhered to. We will notify nearby residents and businesses in advance if we need to work outside these times.

Keep in touch

We will continue to keep the community informed with regular project updates. Further information is available on the project website **transport.nsw.gov.au/easthills.**

If you would like to be added to the project distribution list, or for more information on the East Hills Station Upgrade, please contact us on **1800 684 490** or email projects@transport.nsw.gov.au For all urgent enquiries or complaints regarding construction activities, please call our 24-hour Construction Response Line on **1800 775 465.**



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