

# **Transport Access Program**

Wollstonecraft Station Upgrade

# **Project update**

September 2021



Updated artist's impression of Wollstonecraft Station Upgrade

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

# **Upcoming work**

Work will continue in September and includes:

- bridge and lift landing work on the eastern entrance to Platform 1
- bridge work on the western entrance to Platform 2
- minor work on Shirley Road and the Shirley Road overbridge
- toilet refurbishment (one unisex toilet will remain open)
- trenching for inground electrical supply work near the entry to Platform 2
- installation of footings for future balustrade near the entry to Platform 2
- delivering materials and removing spoil.

Equipment to be used includes trucks, excavators, jackhammers, grinders, cranes, rattle guns, plumbing tools, scaffolding, concrete trucks, pump trucks, dump trucks and hand tools.

# Weekend work in September

From **6pm on Friday 3 September** to **5am Monday 6 September 2021**, work will take place continuously during Sydney Trains trackwork weekend, when trains are not running.

Work will include:

- electrical work in the station buildings
- tactile installation on the station platforms
- · installation of anti-throw screens on the new bridges
- · roof sheeting for canopy on Platform 1
- installation of platform lighting
- platform finishing work.

Equipment to be used includes elevated work platform, pressure washer and compressor, generators, cranes, rollers, lighting towers, hand and power tools.

This work will be noisy at times. Wherever possible, measures to reduce noise will be implemented including scheduling noisy work during daytime hours, turning off vehicles and equipment when not in use, monitoring noise, using non-tonal reversing beepers and acoustic barriers.

Please visit <u>www.transportnsw.info</u> or call **131 500** for up to date information regarding service updates and replacement buses during this time.

# Night work in September 2021

From **6pm to 7am** on **Monday 13**, **Tuesday 14**, **Wednesday 15**, **and Thursday 16 September 2021**, work will take place during a Sydney Trains shutdown, when trains are not running.

Work will take place in the rail corridor, on the station platforms, and on Shirley Road, and includes:

- installation of anti-throw screens on new ramps off the Shirley Road overbridge
- installation of canopies and downpipes on the platform
- installation of platform lighting
- minor work to the new concrete on both platforms.

Equipment to be used includes trucks, crane, lighting towers, and powered hand tools. Traffic control and signage will be in place to assist pedestrians and motorists around the work area when required. The work activities will be noisy at times. We apologise for the inconvenience and will minimise the impact by turning off vehicles and equipment when not in use, using non-tonal reversing beepers and acoustic barriers, and monitoring noise levels to ensure adherence with approvals. Lighting towers will be solar powered to further reduce noise.

# Access changes during weekend and night work

There will be temporary changes to traffic, parking and pedestrian movements around the station while both periods of out of hours work is carried out.

The traffic changes will include:

- one traffic lane will be closed on the Shirley Road overbridge. Traffic control will be in place to assist motorists, as stop/slow traffic arrangements may be intermittently in place.
- three parking spaces on Shirley Road will be temporarily closed to allow for delivery of materials.

The **pedestrian changes** will include closures of:

- the access path to Platform 2 from Milray Avenue. Access available to Platform 2 via Shirley Road.
- the access path to Platform 1 from Shirley Road. Access available to Platform 1 via Shirley Lane.
- the pedestrian underpass
- the northern footpath on Shirley Road from Telopea Street to Milner Crescent.

Signage and traffic control will be in place to direct pedestrians. A map showing these changes is provided below. Please allow extra travel time and follow the instructions of traffic control staff and signage while this work is carried out. Please see the map below outlining these impacts and detours. Please contact 131 500 for the latest information regarding train replacement services.



# Temporary pedestrian access changes during September 2021

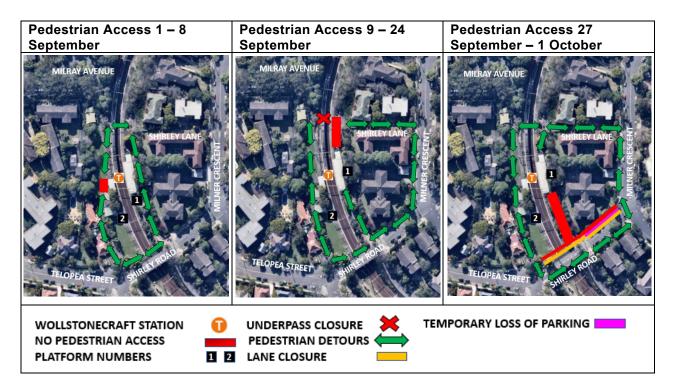
The closures mentioned in this section will be in place during regular construction hours throughout the entire month of September, other than during out of hours work when the closures reflected in the above map will be in effect.

From **5am Wednesday 1 September to 6pm Wednesday 8 September**, the entrance to Platform 2 from Shirley Road will be temporarily closed. Access to businesses on Platform 2 will be maintained and will be available via Shirley Road. Access to Platform 2 will be available via the underpass via the other station entry.

From **5am Thursday 9 September to 6pm Friday 24 September**, the entrance to Platform 1 from Shirley Lane will be temporarily closed. This will include the pedestrian underpass. Access to businesses on Platform 1 and the platform itself will be maintained and will be available via Shirley Road.

From **5am Monday 27 September to 6pm Friday 1 October,** the entrance to Platform 1 from Shirley Road will be temporarily closed. Access to businesses on Platform 1 will be maintained. Access to Platform 1 and the business will be available via Shirley Lane or via the underpass via the other station entry. During this time the northern footpath on Shirley Road from Telopea Street to Milner Crescent will be closed as well as one traffic lane. Three parking spaces on Shirley Road will be temporarily closed to allow for delivery of materials.

Customers will be required to follow pedestrian detour routes. Traffic control and signage will be in place to assist pedestrians while these changes are in place.



### Temporary closure of Platform 2 waiting room

Due to recent restrictions introduced by the NSW Government on 17 July 2021 to help keep our communities safe, construction activities on Wollstonecraft Station Upgrade were paused until Friday 30 July 2021. Work to re-tile and re-level the Platform 2 waiting room was delayed as a result of this closure and will now occur between **5am Wednesday 1 September** and **6pm Friday 17 September**. During this period, the waiting room will be closed to customers. We apologise for any inconvenience.

### Temporary changes to the station toilets

Work is underway to refurbish the existing toilets at Wollstonecraft Station to provide one family accessible toilet and two ambulant toilets. While work is carried out to enable the refurbishments, one toilet will be closed and one toilet will be converted to a unisex toilet for all customers to use. Signage is in place to direct customers to the unisex toilet.

#### **Construction hours**

Standard construction hours are **7am to 6pm Monday to Friday** and **8am to 1pm on Saturdays.**For the safety of staff, rail customers and the community, some work will be completed outside standard construction hours. Nearby residents and businesses will be notified before any work outside these hours takes place.

# Keep in touch

We will continue to keep the community informed with regular project notifications and updates on the project website <a href="https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/wollstonecraft">www.transport.nsw.gov.au/wollstonecraft</a>.

If you would like to be added to the project distribution list, or for more information on the Wollstonecraft Station Upgrade, please contact us on **1800 684 490** or email <a href="mailto:projects@transport.nsw.gov.au">projects@transport.nsw.gov.au</a>.

For urgent enquiries or complaints regarding construction activities, please call our 24 -hour Construction Response Line on **1800 775 465**.



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