## **Transport for NSW**



# **Power Supply Upgrade**

### **AC Feeder Upgrade Project – out of hours work**

In our recent community notification about the AC Feeder power supply upgrade work at Revesby and Bankstown we informed you of works taking place in August 2022.

As part of these works, we will be carrying out work at night on **Eldridge Road**, between Northam and Gleeson Avenues, to install new power poles and string conductors. This work will require the closure of a section of Eldridge Road to install nine power poles.

#### Out of hours work on Tuesday 23 August 2022

To minimise impact on the road network and to enable the construction team to safely carry out these essential activities, work will occur between **6pm Tuesday 23 August 2022** and **7am Wednesday 24 August 2022**.

This work will involve:

- the temporary removal of kerbside parking on Eldridge Road, between Northam and Gleeson Avenues
- a temporary road closure on Eldridge Road, between Northam and Gleeson Avenues
- temporary pedestrian diversions
- mobilising plant and materials including placement of up to eight mobile cranes and elevated work platforms (EWPs)
- moving poles from the laydown area (located in Eldridge Reserve) to the work area
- installing nine new power poles and stringing conductors, using up to eight mobile cranes to lift the power poles into position and using up to nine EWPs to string the conductors between the new power poles.

Prior to starting this work, delivery of plant and materials and setting up of safety barriers and traffic control will be carried out. This includes delivery of poles to the laydown area in Eldridge Reserve at 82 Eldridge Road.

#### Map of work area



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#### Power outage

For the safety of workers, Ausgrid have scheduled a power outage of up to 13 hours in this area. Ausgrid will separately notify property owners likely to be impacted by this scheduled power outage. We will coordinate with Ausgrid to restore power as soon as practicable and safe to do so. Please contact Ausgrid on **13 13 88** if you have any queries in relation to the power outage. We apologise in advance for any inconvenience the power outage may cause.

#### Traffic and access changes

While we are working, Eldridge Road will be temporarily closed between Northam and Gleeson Avenues. Access to properties and driveways will be maintained under traffic control but vehicles may be delayed for short periods of time while our traffic controllers provide safe access through our work area.

Motorists travelling in the area may experience a short delay while we are working, so please plan and allow extra travel time. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of signage and traffic controllers.

#### Bus service changes

We are coordinating with Transdev to ensure all planned bus services continue during our work. There will be some changes to the route for 925 busses, which may detour down adjacent local streets. The 926 service will still travel along Eldridge Road, but this will be under traffic control. There may be short delays during our work. If you plan to travel by bus during this time, please follow the directions of traffic control on site to safely access the bus services.

#### Hospital access

Access to Bankstown Hospital and the emergency department will be maintained at all times. If you need to access the Hospital, please speak to one of our traffic controllers and they will facilitate safe access for you through our work area and into/out of the hospital.

#### Minimising impacts to the community

Transport for NSW is committed to minimising impact on the community. We will be monitoring our work activities to make sure noise levels are being managed effectively. This work is subject to site and weather conditions. Further notification will be provided to the community regarding work to complete the stringing of new conductors. We understand this work may cause an inconvenience and thank you for your patience while we carry out this essential work.



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