

More Trains, More Services

Dapto Station



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The More Trains, More Services program is upgrading the rail network to support the introduction of the Mariyung fleet.

The new 204-metre-long fleet of trains will provide greater comfort and convenience for south coast customers.

As part of the program, we are extending platforms at Dapto Station so customers can safely access all carriages on the new fleet of longer trains.

Improvements at Dapto Station include:

- extending Platform 1 by approximately eight metres and the track on Platform 3 by approximately 30 metres
- upgrading lighting, closed circuit television, the passenger announcement system, tactile paving and line marking for improved customer safety as required
- realigning and installing new overhead wiring and signalling equipment
- demolishing existing and constructing a new maintenance building and track modifications.

We are moving in

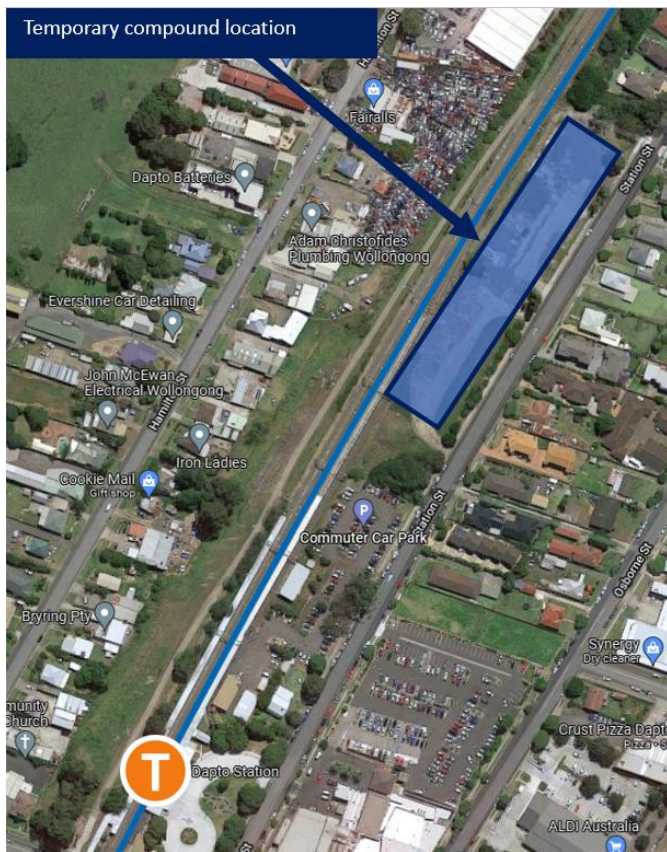
In November, we started to set up our site compound on Sydney Trains land, north-east of the station off Station Street (as pictured in the image overleaf).

The compound will be operational during standard construction hours (**7am-6pm Monday to Friday**) and used for office sheds, material storage and construction vehicle parking.

For improved safety, visual amenity, and dust containment, this area is delineated with shade cloth. The shade cloth is printed with the project contact details to enable members of the community to contact the project team in relation to our activities at this location.

If you have any questions or concerns about the upcoming site establishment, please call our community engagement team on 1800 684 490.

Compound location



We schedule the majority of our night work to coincide with Sydney Trains' track work periods, where no passenger services are running, to help ensure the safety of our construction team and customers.

In January, night work will be carried out between **6pm Friday 21 January and 7am Monday 24 January 2022**.

For up-to-date information about alternative transport services during these times, please visit transportnsw.info or call 131 500.

Minimising community impacts

We understand that construction activities may cause disruption for the community and every effort will be made to minimise the impacts where possible, including:

- turning off equipment when not in use and using non-tonal reversing alarms to reduce potential noise impacts to the surrounding community
- installing noise barriers to shield residents from high impact noise activities
- conducting on-site monitoring to ensure compliance with strict environmental conditions relating to noise, vibration and dust management.

Temporary impacts to pedestrian access and accessible parking

To enable the safe demolition of the existing maintenance shed and construction of a new one, we will require use the four accessible car parking spaces off Station Street from March 2022 for a period of approximately three months. During this time, we will also be required to close the pedestrian footpath accessing the island Platforms 2/3. Signage will be installed to assist pedestrians with these changes.

Construction hours

The NSW Government has introduced rules to support industry and continue the delivery of critical infrastructure during COVID-19. In accordance with the Environmental Planning and Assessment (COVID-19 Development – Infrastructure Construction Work Days No.2) Order 2020, **standard construction hours are 7am to 6pm Monday to Sunday, including public holidays**. Note: we will not be working during the Christmas and New Year holiday period.

All work will be carried out in line with current NSW Government Public Health Orders and Restrictions, which are subject to change.

Night work in January 2022

To maintain a high standard of safety and reliability across the transport network, Sydney Trains carries out track work outside of peak times, mostly overnight or on weekends to minimise or avoid disruption to commuter services.

Have your say on alternate locations for accessible parking

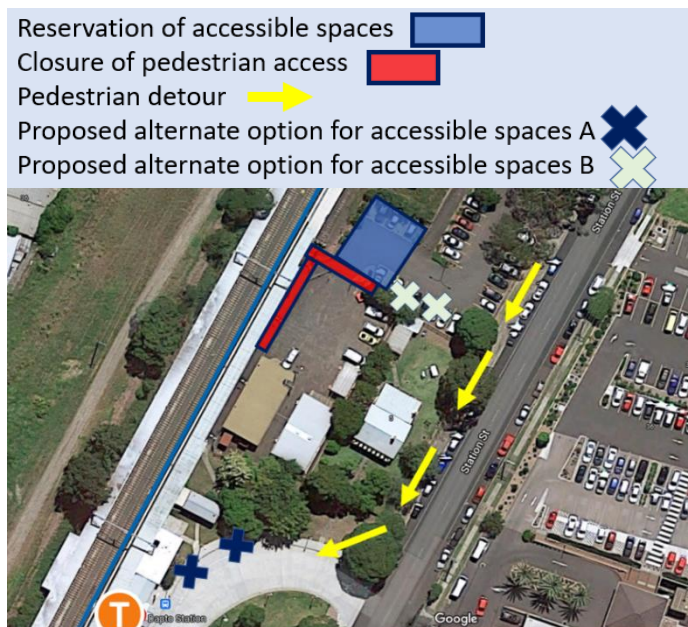
We have been working with Sydney Trains to identify alternate access options and would like your input before we introduce any changes.

Option A

Currently there is a taxi zone within the driveway access road into Dapto Station. We are proposing to convert this zone into accessible parking, as there is a taxi rank 150m away on Bong Bong Road. From consultation with Sydney Trains staff, we understand the taxi zone is not frequently utilised. This option would require some minor paint and concrete work to formalise the accessible spaces.

Option B

Alternatively, we can convert some existing spaces in the commuter car park off Station Street to accessible spaces and construct an accessible path to the station entrance. Although this option would retain the taxi zone in front of the station, it would also require those using the accessible spaces to walk an additional 100 metres to access Dapto Station from the front entrance, as the pedestrian path will be closed during this time.



To have your say, please visit yoursay.transport.nsw.gov.au/mtms-dapto or scan the QR code below to provide your feedback by **Friday 21 January 2022**.



Preserving Dapto Station's Heritage

Our activities at Dapto Station will not impact any of the original station buildings.



Image of Dapto Station sourced from the Wollongong City Library, date unknown.

Wishing you a safe and happy holiday period

More Trains, More Services work at Dapto Station will stop from Tuesday 21 December 2021 until Monday 10 January 2022.

We look forward to returning to Dapto in 2022 and hopefully meeting you in person!



Two construction team members on-site at Wollongong - 2021



More Trains, More Services' construction team members at work in the rail corridor on the NSW South Coast in 2021



About More Trains, More Services

Over the next ten years the More Trains, More Services program will simplify and modernise the rail network so that customers can expect more frequent train services, with less wait times, less crowding and more seats on a simpler, more reliable network.

Contact us

For more information or to subscribe for project updates:

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An interpreter will assist you with translation.