



More Trains, More Services

Mascot Precinct Upgrade projects



Work is progressing in Mascot

Transport for NSW (TfNSW) is continuing construction within the Mascot precinct of the Mascot Station Upgrade and the Mascot Power Supply Upgrade as part of the More Trains, More Services program.

Last month there were a number of changes in and around Bourke, Coward, John and O’Riordan streets in Mascot. These included changes to pedestrian detours, pedestrian crossings on Bourke Street and installation of our site offices within the project compound.

What’s planned next?

Works to upgrade Mascot Station in August include:

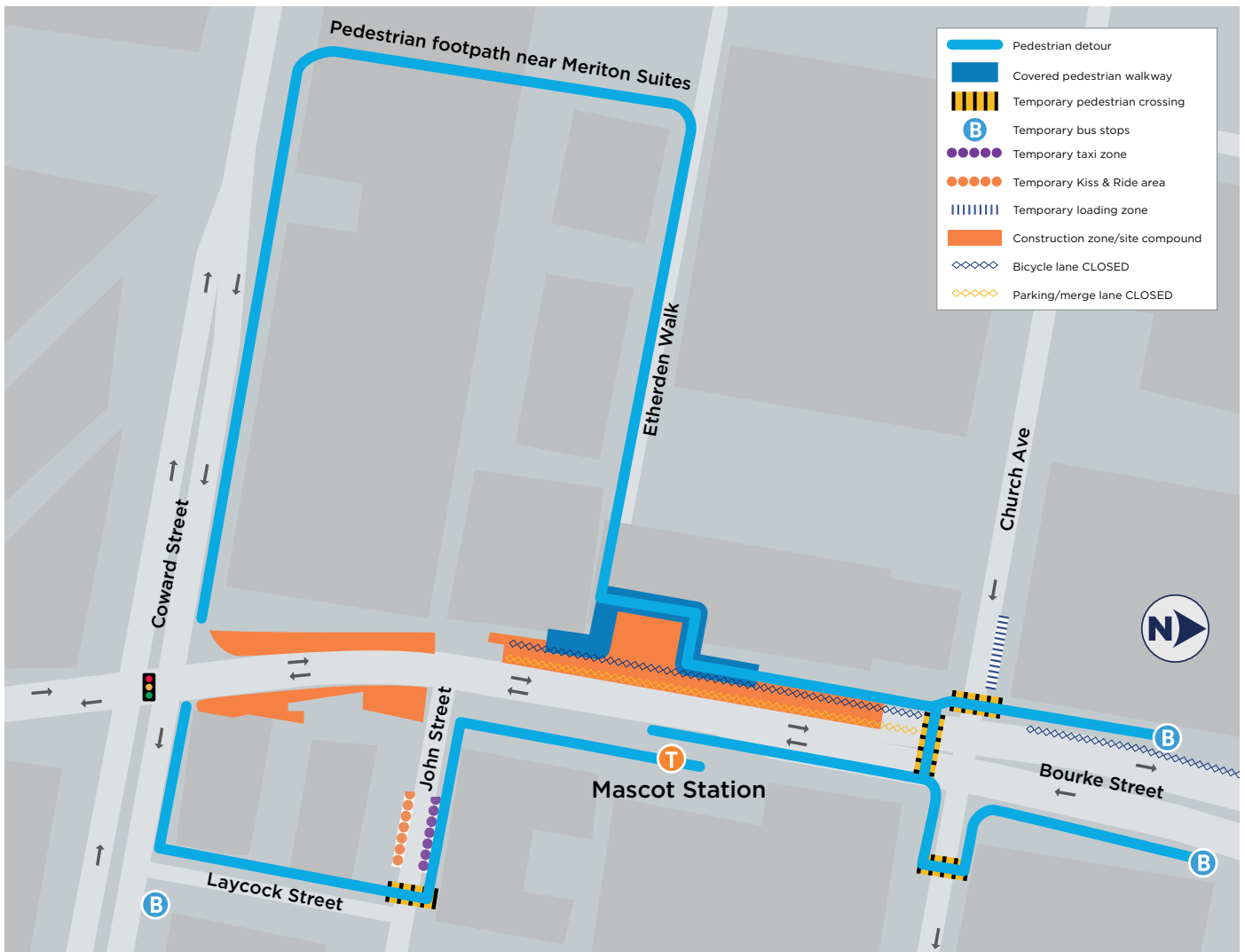
- ongoing investigation and relocation of existing services in and around the site compound and John Street (west)
- roadworks including electrical works for temporary traffic signals at the intersection of Bourke and John Streets
- concrete works and excavation activities preparing for a new retaining wall.

The equipment used to complete these activities includes an excavator, crane, generator, tipper truck, saw cutter, trucks, non-destructive digging truck, concrete pump, compaction roller, diaphragm wall rig, powered hand tools.

Planned construction activities for the Mascot Power Supply Upgrade in August include:

- building foundations at the substation site at 166 O’Riordan Street (including building slabs and columns, concreting, excavation, and plumbing work)
- excavation and reinforcement including temporary retaining walls on the western side of Bourke Street.

Some concrete deliveries may arrive late in the afternoon. If this occurs after 6pm, we do not expect this work to be noisy.



Work scheduled outside standard construction hours

Standard construction hours for both projects within the Mascot Precinct are 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturdays.

Note: In response to the COVID pandemic, the NSW Government issued the Environmental Planning and Assessment (COVID-19 Development – Infrastructure Construction Work Days No. 2) Order 2020 to allow construction sites to operate on weekends and public holidays. The intent of the Order is to ensure workers can practice social distancing without a loss of productivity or jobs on construction projects.

This would allow projects to extend work hours to 6pm on Saturdays and to work 7am-6pm on Sundays and public holidays. Contractors must take into account TfNSW’s standard requirement to notify the public a minimum of 7 days in advance of any such works.

We plan to move some oversize equipment from our Mascot Power Supply Upgrade Project sites at 166 O’Riordan Street and on Bourke Street.

This work will involve one truck removing a crane and one truck removing a piling rig. The truck will leave via Bourke Road and traffic controllers will be in place to direct vehicles during this time. We don’t expect this work to be noisy, and every effort will be made to minimise disruption to the community including using non-tonal reversing alarms on all construction vehicles. We will advise of the schedule of these night works separately.

Work scheduled out of standard construction hours takes place at night, when we can minimise disruption to traffic and ensure the safety of our workers and the community.

We will contact residents directly who may be impacted by any upcoming night work. We thank you for your patience while we complete this important work.

Completion of all work scheduled outside of standard construction hours is dependent on weather and site conditions and is subject to change.

We're making changes to our pedestrian detours

In June, the pedestrian crossing directly outside Mascot Station on Bourke Street was temporarily closed until project completion in late 2022. The map above shows the current detours in place.

During our works in July, we constructed a new pedestrian crossing on Bourke Street, near the south side of Church Avenue. This has shortened the length of our current detour.

Pedestrians will need to follow the detour route around the hoardings in the plaza.

Access will be maintained at all times to shops and along Etherden Walk. Please continue to show your support for local shops and other businesses.

We acknowledge the inconvenience these detours and changes have been causing over the last few months, we apologise and thank you for your patience as we continue this important work. Our traffic management plans will continue to develop as our projects move further into construction. We will always look for ways to improve amenity and safety for pedestrians within the area. We will shortly introduce a signalised pedestrian crossing on Bourke Street near the intersection of John Street, to reduce the length of the pedestrian detour.

How do we consider the community?

We are committed to keeping the community well informed about our construction activities and notifying about any changes or impacts as early as possible.

The project team understands construction activities may cause disruption for the community. Every effort will be made to minimise impacts where possible including traffic control and signage for vehicles and cyclists. We will also ensure we adhere to strict environmental conditions relating to noise, vibration and dust management.

How are we staying safe?

We continue to deliver projects across NSW while ensuring the safety of all staff and the community. In line with current Australian Government guidelines around slowing the spread of Coronavirus and social distancing, all work will be carried out at a safe physical distance where possible and necessary hygiene practices will be observed.

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 trains services, with less wait times, less crowding and more seats on a simpler, more reliable network.

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We're open for business

We're open for business is a Transport for NSW initiative to promote local businesses during the construction of the Mascot Station Upgrade.

During August we encourage you to support the following local businesses along Bourke Street:

Mr. Nam, Northern Chinese Cuisine, Spice Thai Cuisine Mascot, The Coffee Club, Taisho Japanese Restaurant, Mr. Lei, MGM Martin, Domino's and Teaser.

The NSW Government Dine and Discover vouchers have been extended to 31 August and can be used for takeaway and deliveries.

You can apply for vouchers by visiting: <https://www.service.nsw.gov.au/transaction/apply-dine-discover-nsw-vouchers>

