

More Trains, More Services

Mascot Precinct Update

November 2022



Work is progressing in Mascot

Transport for NSW 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.

The Station Upgrade team continued with their steady progress on the new western entry station structure in October. The excavation of the new western entrance has now been completed approximately nine metres below street level. Another layer of temporary propping has also been installed. Excavation work has now restarted down into the basement level. This is the final phase of digging on this level.



Excavation to the underside of the temporary propping level for the new western entrance of the station on Bourke Street.

The main work in the station is nearing completion, with the recent opening of the new ticket gates. The gates have been positioned to ensure smooth passenger flow for the existing entrance and the new western entry when it opens early next year.

To visually capture the progress of the project, the team will undertake aerial drone photography. On Wednesday 26 October through to Friday 28 October, local residents and businesses may notice a drone in the area. Due to CASA regulations and for privacy, the drone will maintain a 30-metre distance from any vehicles or pedestrians and will stay over the roof of buildings. Permits have been obtained, along with building and strata management consent.

What's planned during November?

During November, the Station Upgrade team will excavate a further five metres to the bottom of the new lift pit, totalling 15 metres below street level. This will be the final phase of excavation work for the new lift. This will be followed by the installation of the next layer of micro-piles, and then the final layer of steel propping and concrete slabs.

Other work will include:

- scaffolding works
- alteration to the temporary ventilation system
- dewatering
- minor road works where required in the event of an emergency
- saw-cutting and demolition of concrete
- installation of tiles, cladding, ceilings, services and CCTV within the station.

As we continue excavation of the new western station entry, there may be some noise, dust and vibration impacts associated with works. We will take every possible step to minimise impacts including noise and vibration monitoring and dust suppression.

Ongoing through to the end of November, excavation activities will continue to occur below the water table which will expose acid sulphate soils. These soils oxidize on the presence of air and create sulphur dioxide, which can produce an odour which may be noticeable. While it may be unpleasant, it is not toxic or harmful. To help mitigate any impacts the project team will ensure air ventilation systems are in place on site, and if required scent cannons will be used to freshen the surrounding air.

Upcoming out-of-hours work

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Throughout November, there will be out-of-hours deliveries and collections of equipment and plant for the excavation work. Specific times and dates for other these activities will be notified for separately in advance of the work occurring.

On occasion during November there will be out-of-hours concourse works within the existing station. These works will be undertaken on the concourse level, but you may notice staff and vehicles above ground. Any impacted residents will be contacted beforehand.

The team will also be undertaking routine maintenance of the gantry crane on Wednesday 30 November during the evening, after the site is closed. This is scheduled to occur from 6pm to 10pm. Impacted residents will be contacted individually.

Completion of all work is dependent on a number of factors including weather and site conditions and is subject to change.

Extended Saturday hours

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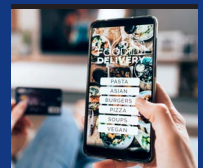
As we advised in the October Mascot Precinct Update notification, work on the Mascot Station Upgrade had been adversely affected by the impacts of COVID on the workforce over the last 18 months, together with the extreme rain events that we have encountered. To make up lost time and the impact on our construction program, we are extending Saturday hours to 6pm. This change took effect from Saturday 23 July 2022 and will remain in place through to project completion.

Mascot Substation and Power Supply Upgrade

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