



Waitara Station Upgrade

Transport Access Program

July 2023



Transport for NSW acknowledges the people of the Darug and Guringai Nations as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pay respects to Elders past and present.

Transport for NSW is upgrading Waitara Station as part of the Transport Access Program (TAP) to make it easier for everyone to access, including people with a disability or limited mobility, parents/carers with prams and customers with luggage.

Construction began in May 2022 to improve accessibility on the western side of the station, improve traffic flow in the commuter car park, extend canopy coverage on the station platform, and offset parking that will be permanently removed as a result of this work. The project is expected to be complete by early 2024.

Additional station improvements

In response to community and stakeholder feedback received on the original concept design and the Review of Environmental Factors, we will now be delivering further improvements to Waitara Station. The additional work will be completed in parallel with the upgrades being delivered as part of the Waitara Station Upgrade.

These improvements include:

- Extending the platform canopy from the top of the new staircase to the station building
- Upgrading the Waitara Avenue Commuter Car Park to provide
 - One-way traffic flow through to Romsey Street for improved access
 - An additional 16 parking spaces
 - Improved footpaths within the car park and to the station precinct
 - New pedestrian crossing at the entrance to the commuter car park on Waitara Avenue
- Lighting upgrades for improved security.

An overview and detailed map of these changes can be found at <https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/projects/current-projects/waitara-station-upgrade>

New features at Waitara Station

Platform canopy extension

The platform canopy has been substantially extended and will now extend from the top of the new staircase to the heritage station building

(while avoiding the heritage station building structure).

This will provide customers waiting on the platform with improved protection from the weather.

Waitara Avenue commuter car park extension

The existing station car park accessed from Waitara Avenue will be remodelled to create new car park spaces and extended to connect through to Romsey Street Waitara.

This will provide commuters with additional spaces and will improve the layout making it easier to enter and exit the car park.

We will also improve footpaths within the car park and station precinct, install a new pedestrian crossing at the entrance to the car park on Waitara Avenue, and upgrade lighting in the commuter car park.

Temporary closure of parking spaces and changes to pedestrian access in the commuter car park

From mid-July there will be changes to the car park as we make improvements to the layout. Excavation work will commence within the car park for new underground services like power and telecommunications. This will include the **closure of 31 spaces until September** to facilitate safe construction in the area. During this work **up to 40 spaces will remain for customer use.**

Please use alternative street parking during this time. Signage will be in place to advise car park users of this change.

We will keep the community updated in advance of any future changes as we complete this work.

A section of the pedestrian footpath in the car park between Waitara Avenue and Romsey Street will be closed for six months from mid-July as we carry out the extension work. There will be no pedestrian access to Romsey Street during this time.

Footpath access from Waitara Avenue will remain in place for car park users only.

Signage will be in place to direct pedestrians to use Pacific Highway for alternative access.

We apologise for the inconvenience and thank you for your patience during this time.

For more information

For more information, please visit the project website at transport.nsw.gov.au/waitara

Register for email updates about construction work underway by sending an email to

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Thank you for your patience and cooperation while we complete this important project.

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