



Waitara Station Upgrade

Transport Access Program

May 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.

What work are we doing in May?

Work planned for May includes:

- continuing the installation of formwork, tying reinforcement and pouring concrete for the island platform lift shaft
- continuing concrete works on the new forecourt area within the Waitara Avenue commuter car park
- continuing concrete works within the new station underpass
- installation of the structural steel to complete the top of lift shafts
- station services upgrade works including progressing the toilet upgrade and drainage works
- continuing electrical and security system upgrade work within the new underpass, new stairs and around the station precinct
- minor tree trimming and removal, subject to approval.

We'll be working at the station and the site compound at Romsey Street.

When we'll be working

Working hours are **7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm, Saturday**. We will notify nearby

residents and businesses in advance if we need to work outside these times.

What will this mean for you?

We will be using a range of equipment including mobile cranes, forklifts, excavators, concrete trucks and pumps, vacuum trucks, delivery trucks, power tools and hand tools.

Managing our impacts

We aim to manage our work to avoid impacts to the community and the environment.

This includes:

- traffic control and signage in place for changes to access and parking
- fencing for safety and security
- reducing our noise as much as possible by turning off equipment when not in use and using non-tonal reversing beepers.

Weekend work – 6 to 8 May

To ensure the safety of customers and workers, work will be carried out during a scheduled Sydney Trains trackwork weekend when **trains are not operating and the station is closed**. Work will be carried out continuously from **4am Saturday 6 May until 2am Monday 8 May 2023**.

The weekend work will involve:

- installing lift shaft steel roofs for both lifts
- increasing the hoarding on the island platform to create a safe working zone
- concrete and excavation work on the platform.

Additional equipment to be used includes elevated work platforms, dump trucks and mobile lighting towers.

The equipment will be positioned as far away from residential areas as possible with regular respite periods during noisy work. Any directly impacted residents will be individually contacted in advance of the work.

During the weekend work, the **commuter car park will be closed from 4am Saturday 6 May until 2am Monday 8 May 2023** to facilitate safe construction work.

Night work – 22 to 25 May

Night work will be carried out from **Monday 22 May until Thursday 25 May** from **12am to 4am**. This will involve removing spoil from the platform within the rail corridor and is not expected to make any disruptive noise. Equipment we will use includes a small excavator and truck, mobile lighting, power and hand tools.

Station toilets reopening

The station toilets are temporarily closed until **mid-May 2023** to allow the facilities to be upgraded. Signage is in place to help customers with these temporary changes. Until the station toilets reopen, the temporary toilets on the platform are available for use.

Temporary access, parking and traffic changes

Throughout our upgrade work, there may be temporary access and traffic changes to accommodate large work vehicles.



Above: New staircase under construction from underpass level to the island platform, April 2023.

Below: New lift shaft under construction on platform.



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