

Circular Quay Renewal

Community Update: Site Investigations

February 2024





Transport for NSW acknowledges the Gadigal people of the Eora Nation as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pays respect to Elders past and present.

Project update

The Circular Quay Renewal project is progressing. Site investigation work has been going well. See below for an overview of activities planned for February 2024.

Around the station building:

- coring and drilling boreholes into the ground
- non-destructive vacuum truck excavation
- structural investigations and condition assessments

In the station building:

- structural investigations and condition assessments
- non-intrusive services investigations

In the harbour:

- installation of water quality monitors
- marine activities via a water barge.

Stormwater pit inspection

Stormwater pit inspection and maintenance work is being planned near the intersection of Phillip and Alfred streets. The work will require use of a high-pressure water jetting system to clear any blocks in the pit to facilitate the inspection.

This work will be carried out at night to reduce the impact to road users and pedestrians. As these plans progress, more detailed information will be provided directly to nearby stakeholders.

What will this mean for you?

Throughout February, you may notice:

- workers and vehicles on land and in the harbour in Circular Quay
- traffic controllers, temporary fencing, signage and lighting installed around public areas

 noise and vibration from equipment such as power saws, jackhammers, excavators, drills and vacuum trucks.

We will continue to plan the location and time of our activities to minimise impacts to community and businesses. We will continue to provide regular updates to residents, businesses and local stakeholders about work that may affect them.

Managing these impacts

Our technical experts have assessed the impacts of our work on the local community and businesses. This has included undertaking a noise and vibration assessment to understand the cumulative impacts of our activities.

A range of mitigation measures will continue to be in place. These include acoustic noise blankets on temporary fencing, directional lighting, where possible completing more impactful work earlier in the shift and undertaking verification monitoring to ensure noise levels are as anticipated.

Hours of work

As a reminder, the working hours for the project are:

- Day work: 7am 6pm Monday to Friday
- Night work: 8pm 5am Sunday to Thursday

Contact us

Thank you for your continued support and patience during this essential site investigation work.

If you have any questions or concerns about this work, Transport for NSW and the Project team are contactable 24 hours a day, 7 days a week on **1800 684 490** or **projects@transport.nsw.gov.au**.

For 24-hour complaints call **1800 775 465**.

Visit the project webpage:

https://www.transport.nsw.gov.au/projects/current-projects/circular-quay-renewal

