Transport for NSW



Lewisham Station Upgrade Planning approval

Safe Accessible Transport program

June 2025





Transport for NSW (Transport) is upgrading Lewisham Station to improve accessibility, amenity and safety.

Planning is underway for an upgrade at Lewisham Station as part of the Safe Accessible Transport program which aims to make public transport safe and easy for all passengers, especially people with disability, older people, people with prams or luggage and others who may be experiencing mobility problems.

How we engaged



Dedicated project webpage with a link to a feedback form, email address and phone number



Geo-targeted social media posts



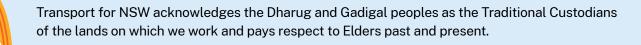
Community update delivered to around 2,400 letterboxes and to around 2,000 commuters at the station



Doorknocked 25 residential and commercial properties on Thomas and Victoria Streets



Spoke to residents and commuters at pop up information sessions held at Lewisham Station and Flour Mill Market



Lewisham Station Upgrade

The project includes a new ramp from Platform 2 to Railway Terrace, four new lifts, drainage improvements, accessible parking and kiss and ride spaces.

Other improvements include a new family accessible toilet, new station building, hearing loops and tactiles, as well as improved CCTV and lighting. The final outcome will also aim to address the existing drainage issues at the station.



In March and April 2025, Transport consulted the community on the Review of Environmental Factors (REF) for Lewisham Station Upgrade.

We invited community and stakeholder feedback on plans to provide an accessible station with improved amenity and safety for customers.

The project received 56 submissions, plus submissions from Inner West Council and State Emergency Services (SES).

Following public display of the REF and consultation, the proposed upgrade of Lewisham Station is now approved to proceed.

Next steps



March 2025 Review of Environmental Factors released for community and stakeholder feedback



Mid 2025 **Project planning** approval



Community Engagement

Q4 2025 Award delivery contract and commence second stage of the design process



Early 2026 Start of construction



Late 2027 **Upgrade**



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Key themes raised during REF consultation

Some of the key themes raised during consultation include:

- Overall support for the upgrade, particularly the new lifts and accessible ramp from Railway Terrace to Platform 2, and for drainage improvements to prevent flooding.
- · Requests to preserve the local charm.
- Feedback for and against one-way street plans for Victoria Street, with various suggestions to improve functionality.
- Suggestions to improve bus stop connectivity with formalised crossings.
- Suggestions to reconfigure layout including placing lift and kiss and ride in alternate locations.
- Suggestions for increased bike parking and safer connections to local bike paths.
- Requests to expand the project to include pedestrian connectivity between Lewisham West Light Rail station.

Some of the key themes raised during consultation include:

- Suggestions to keep trees where possible, improve or increase garden beds, plant a green wall along Railway Terrace to help prevent vandalism.
- Requests to relocate the toilets to the station underpass or have toilets available on both station platforms.
- Concerns regarding construction noise, vibration and traffic impacts including cumulative impacts with other local construction activities.
- Concerns regarding local parking and traffic impacts, suggestions to adjust local parking permit zones to reduce impact on local residents.
- Suggestions to work collaboratively with Inner West Council on their Lewisham Masterplan Project to maximise opportunities and ensure project integration.



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How has Transport responded to feedback?

A Determination Report which captures Transport's responses to community and stakeholder feedback has been prepared. A copy of the report is now available on the project webpage.

Feedback that related to items outside the scope of the proposal has been provided to the appropriate agency or organisation for consideration.

Next steps and keeping you up to date

A contract for the design and construction of the station upgrade will be awarded later this year.

Site establishment and construction is expected to commence in early 2026, and will take 18 to 24 months to complete.

We will continue to keep you informed about the project through notifications. If you would like to sign up to receive regular project updates via email, please reach out via the contacts listed below.



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