Transport for NSW



Macquarie Fields Station Upgrade

Safe Accessible Transport program

March 2025





Transport for NSW is upgrading Macquarie Fields Station to improve accessibility, convenience and safety.

Project update - improved design

In response to feedback from the community and stakeholders, and as part of the ongoing design development, we have made some changes to enhance the Macquarie Fields Station Upgrade design. Site investigations as well as targeted stakeholder engagement are still underlay, with outcomes informing design development.

Further features of the new design

- A centrally located footbridge with lifts and stairs, closer to the current footbridge (which will be removed when the new entrance is complete), creating a single station entry point for all passengers.
- A more open and welcoming station entry forecourt, with better visibility and increased canopy coverage.
- A design which better responds to the existing environment, and to the local Aboriginal history of the area, including integration of the Lyre Bird motif (further design inclusions are subject to ongoing engagement with local Aboriginal community).



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

What work are we doing?



Work during March includes:

- Setting up the site within the rail corridor, including fencing installation and preparatory tasks
- Ongoing service investigations
- Vegetation clearing
- · Foundation work for the new lifts.



Artist's impression of the proposed Macquarie Fields Station Upgrade, subject to change during detailed design

Location of work area



When and where we'll be working

We'll be working on Railway Parade in and around Macquarie Fields Station on the station platforms, and within our site compound.

Working hours are **7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday** and **8am to 1pm, Saturday.** Prior notification will be provided for any work outside these hours.

Changes to car parking and pedestrian access

From **Friday 21 March**, one car parking space, two accessible spaces and a section of the pedestrian footpath near the station entry will be closed, to facilitate safe construction in the area. The two accessible spaces will be relocated on the opposite site of the station. Signage will be in place to direct pedestrians around the work area.

Out of hours work - rail shutdown weekend

Construction will occur from 10pm Friday 21 March to midnight on Sunday 23 March 2025 on Sunday 23 March 2025, during a planned schedule trackwork weekend when the station is closed, and trains will not be running.

Rail replacement buses will be in service as there will be no trains operating during the rail shutdown weekend. For assistance with trip planning and information about replacement buses call **131 500.**

What will this mean for you?

You may notice:

- Workers and vehicles
- Temporary restrictions to parking on Railway Parade, opposite the station entry
- Traffic controllers and signage
- Machinery and equipment noise.

There will be some temporary changes for pedestrians and cyclists when we're working next to footpaths and at the station entrance. Traffic controllers and signage will be in place to provide directions, and to provide advance warning of temporary impacts to parking.

Equipment to be used includes mobile cranes, chainsaws, excavators, compaction equipment, lighting towers, vacuum trucks, drill rig, elevated work platforms, construction trucks, power and hand tools.

Managing our impacts

We aim to manage our work to minimise impacts to the community by:

- Reducing noise as much as possible by turning off equipment when not in use and using non-tonal reversing beepers
- Providing traffic controllers or signage to direct pedestrians
- Undertaking noisy work during the day.

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Next steps

Community Engagement

Targeted early engagement with key stakeholders

Development of an early design

Development of a concept design, followed by early engagement

Update to Review of Environmental (REF) prepared for public display and community feedback

Transport reviews and responds to community feedback within a Determination Report

Project planning approval and delivery contract award

Detailed design commences (considering REF process feedback). New design developed

Consistency Assessment to approve changes to project design

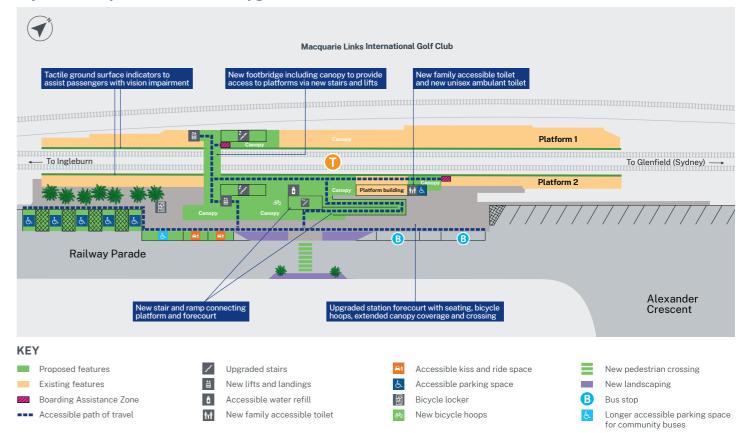
WE ARE HERE: Site establishment and preparatory work for main construction

Construction starts with design detail ongoing

Continued community engagement throughout project delivery via workshops, meetings, community notifications, site tours

Station upgrade complete and open to public

Layout of Macquarie Fields Station Upgrade



Indicative layout of the Macquarie Fields Station Upgrade, subject to change during detailed design

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Workshops with local people with disability

We are continuing to engage with local people with disability and their carers throughout the design process.

We encourage people to register to attend a workshop which will provide an opportunity to contribute valuable insights on accessibility needs.

To register your interest:

- Call **1800 684 490**
- Email projects@transport.nsw.gov.au



We are excited to invite you to tour the Macquarie Fields Station Upgrade. See firsthand the progress and benefits it will bring to the community.

When Friday 11 April, 1:00 - 1.45pm

RSVP Before Friday 28 March Call 1800 684 490 or email projects@transport.nsw.gov.au

Spaces are limited. Please RSVP to secure Note

your spot.



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Contact us



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