

Sydenham Bus Layover community update

Bus Priority Infrastructure Program

September 2025



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

The NSW Government is committed to restoring reliability across the public transport network. The Bus Priority Infrastructure Program delivers infrastructure improvements to address the reliability and efficiency of bus services in Greater Sydney.

Transport for NSW is continuing construction of a new bus layover facility at the corner of Railway Road and Burrows Avenue in Sydenham.

This notice is to update you on work occurring in September and October.

What work are we doing?

In September and October, the work will involve:

- Constructing a new amenity building at the bus layover, for bus drivers only
- Relocating the existing site compound on the corner of Railway Road and Burrows Road, to the bus layover site, freeing up parking spaces
- Resurfacing Railway Road and Burrows Avenue, and line marking
- Landscaping and fencing installation.

When and where we'll be working

Most of the work in September and October is scheduled to take place during the day **between**

7am and 5pm, Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturdays.

Residents will be notified if any night works is required.

What will this mean for you?

During the work, you may notice:

- workers and vehicles in the area
- traffic controllers and signage
- reduced speed limits
- pedestrian and cyclist detours with traffic controllers to guide you
- noise from machinery and equipment.

The bus stops on Burrows Avenue will continue to operate as usual. Any foreseen impacts to bus routes will be communicated in the weeks prior.

Managing our impacts

Work will be noisy at times, but we will do everything to minimise our impacts by:

- completing noisier activities during the day, where possible
- turning off machinery when not in use
- not working on Sunday during the day or on public holidays



Noise Wall artwork

A new 3.5-metre-high noise wall will be constructed to separate nearby homes from the bus layover facility and to reduce noise. The wall will feature Aboriginal artwork covering the length of the wall. Transport's Urban Design and Aboriginal Cultural Heritage team and the Sydenham bus layover project team engaged with local Aboriginal artists who were invited to develop the artwork based on stories of the past and present.

About the artists

Maddison Gibbs is a proud Gunu Baakandji woman born and raised in Dubbo, NSW. Both artist and activist, Gibb's practice examines dual histories – focusing on stories of past and present Aboriginal societies and spirits. Gibbs is a multidisciplinary artist, working across a wide spectrum of cultural praxis, utilising many methods, ideologies and mediums.



Jason Wing has lived in Canterbury for over ten years and was a member of the Cooks River Alliance. He served as a cultural advisor on the Canterbury Bankstown Aboriginal Reference Group and worked as a visual arts and placemaking advisor for the Bankstown Arts Centre and Council.



About the area

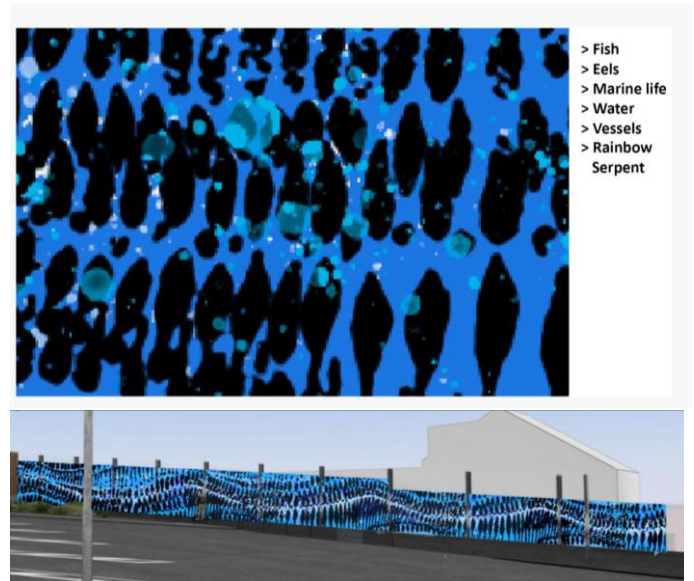
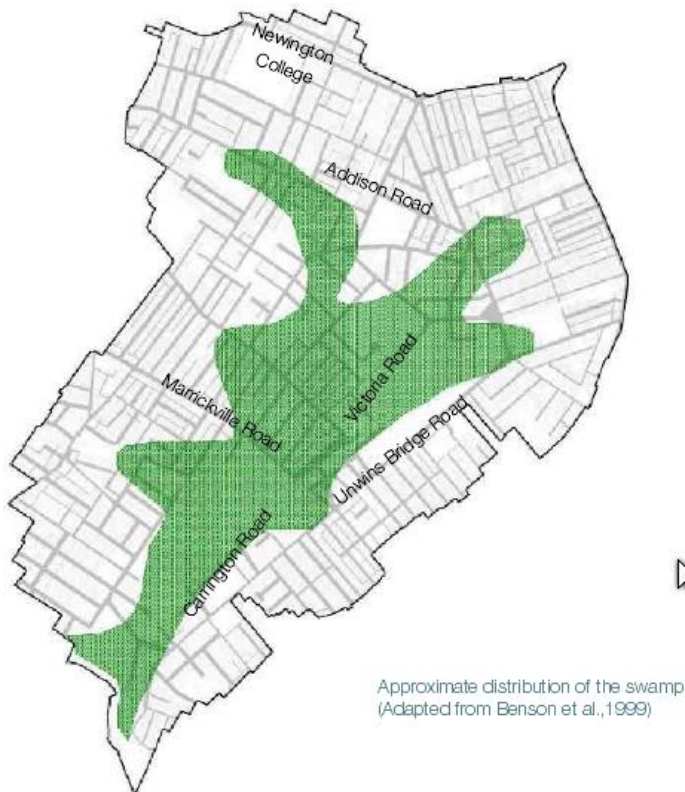
Before colonisation, Marrickville and Sydenham were part of the vast Gumbramorra Swamp system - a seasonal wetland that grew and shrank with tides and rainfall. It was a biodiversity hotspot, home to countless species and a vital source of food, medicine and cultural practice for local Aboriginal people.

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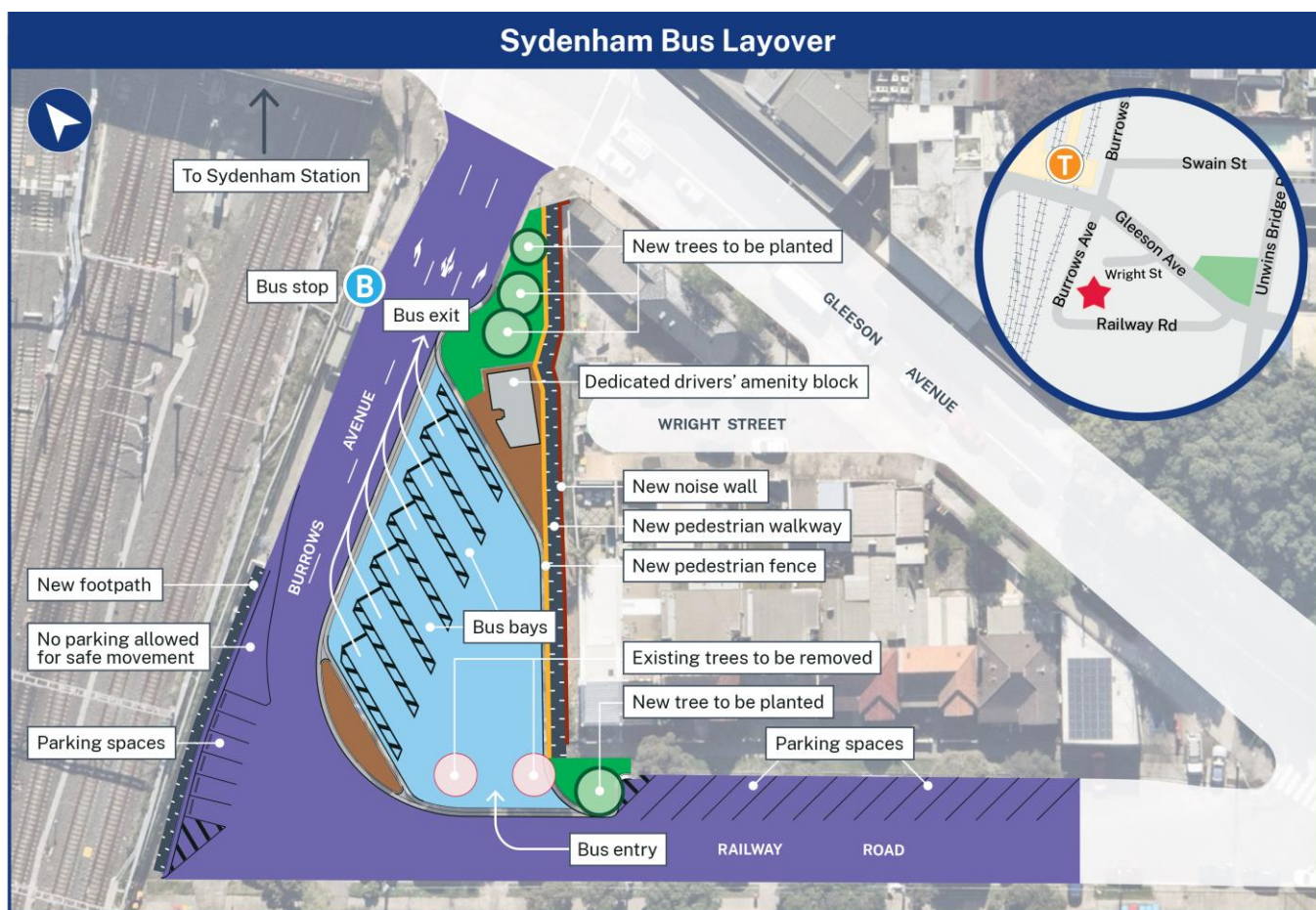
Reflection makes the invisible visible. *Reflection* depicts three timelines: past, present and future existing as one.

It is a visual overlayed map of dual histories with a focus on Aboriginal culture. All waterways were migration hubs and cultural exchange routes. This is displayed by the many tracks left by nature, animals, humans and water.

The imagery is of the river on sunset. Reflections of past and present and how we must all care for and celebrate this place that we all share, inhabit and enjoy.



Location of work area



Stay up to date

If you would like to sign up for construction updates or speak to us about upcoming changes you can email or call our team (see below)

For further information on the NSW Government's Bus Priority Infrastructure Program, please visit nswroads.work/bpip.

We thank the community for their patience while we complete this important work.

Contact us



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