

## Power Supply Upgrade

### AC Feeder Upgrade Project – Yagoona and Birrong

#### Project Update - May 2022

The AC Feeder Upgrade Project is part of the Power Supply Upgrade which is designed to meet expected power requirements for Sydney's future rail network and new fleet of air-conditioned trains. The work involves upgrades to substations, section huts, overhead wiring and feeders as well as the construction of new infrastructure across the network.

#### Upcoming work

During May, the AC Feeder Upgrade Project team will continue carrying out work **within and near the rail corridor** close to Birrong Station and Yagoona Station to install new power poles and remove existing power poles between the times of **7am to 6pm Monday to Friday** and **8am to 1pm on Saturdays**.

To minimise impact to the community, some activities such as delivering equipment, plant and materials and setting up traffic control will occur outside of these hours.

Work to install and remove power poles will involve:

- Delivering plant and materials to each work area and setting up safety fencing
- Identifying utility services using a handheld device or vacuum truck
- Using an auger to pre-drill holes for new power poles and earthing rods
- Temporary covers will be placed over, and temporary fencing will be placed around the holes to make the area safe until the new power poles are installed
- Vegetation trimming or removal to facilitate works
- Transferring existing fixtures and services to new power poles including installing new conductors.
- Excavation works to install new underground services and preparation for the new padmount at Yagoona Station.

#### Out of hours work

Work will occur within the rail corridor outside of standard construction hours from **6am Saturday 7 May 2022 to 7pm Sunday 8 May 2022 between Sefton Station and Birrong Station**, near Auburn Road, and **between Birrong Station and Yagoona Station**, near Melanie Street and the Hume Highway.

#### Temporary changes to Yagoona Station commuter car park

Work will be carried out in Yagoona Station commuter car park to remove old power poles and install new ones.

For the delivery and installation of new power poles, **the car park will be completely closed:**

- from **8pm Thursday 5 May 2022 to 6pm Friday 6 May 2022**
- from **8pm Tuesday 10 May 2022 to 6pm Thursday 12 May 2022.**

Please allow extra time for travel and consider parking at the alternative commuter car park, via Breasley Place, shown in the map over the page.

## What you may notice

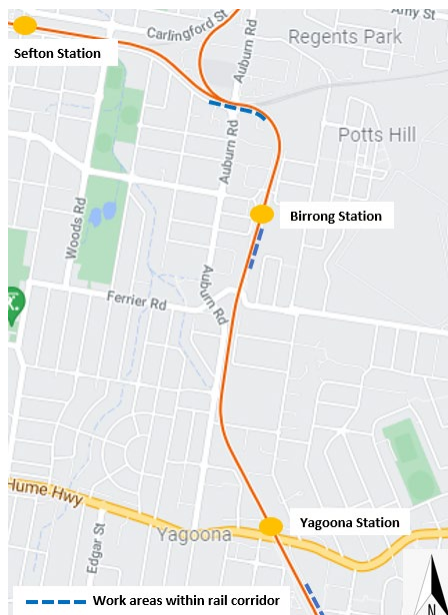
Transport for NSW is committed to minimising impact on the community.

You may notice an increase in construction vehicle movements within and near the rail corridor work areas. We switch off equipment when it is not being used, place equipment as far away from properties as possible and monitor our work activities to make sure noise levels are being managed effectively.

Higher noise generating work is only expected to occur for short periods. Partial lane and road closures may be in place close to the work areas near the rail corridor. Access to properties and traffic movements may be delayed for short periods of time, typically less than 10 minutes. For your safety, please follow the direction of traffic control personnel.

We apologise in advance for any inconvenience this work may cause.

## Map of work areas



## Yagoona Station - alternative parking



## Keeping the community informed

If you would like to speak with the project team about this work, please contact TfNSW through the details provided below. Thank you for your patience and understanding during this work.

## Contact us

If you have any questions or would like more on the Power Supply Upgrade project please contact our project team:



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