

More Trains, More Services

Wollongong Stabling Yard and Platform Extension Project



Photo taken inside the rail corridor - August 2021, showing the new drivers' walkway and stockpiled materials for trackwork

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The More Trains, More Services program is delivering platform extensions and asset upgrades between Sydney's CBD and the South Coast to support the introduction of the Mariyung fleet.

This important work will simplify and modernise the rail network, creating an improved level of comfort and convenience for intercity customers.

What's been happening?

Wollongong Station is being upgraded with extended platforms to accommodate the new 204-metre-long trains, as well as trackwork within the rail corridor to create a new stabling yard.

After pausing all construction activity as a result of NSW Government Public Health Orders and Restrictions at the end of July, we are now back on site and continuing to upgrade Wollongong Station.

We have been working along a 1 kilometre stretch south of Wollongong Station; installing new track and signalling structures, upgrading overhead wiring, removing redundant infrastructure and relocating underground services.

What's next?

As a result of the pause on construction activities, some of our activities scheduled for completion in August will now be carried out in September.

We have a lot of activity scheduled to take place at Wollongong in the coming months, as we continue to complete construction scope in stages at this location.

In September, we will be finishing construction on the platform extensions and upgrading overhead wiring to support improved electrical capacity on the network.

The installation of a security fence in the rail corridor behind the properties on Gladstone Avenue has been postponed, and we will distribute more detailed information to residents in the coming weeks.

All work will be carried out in line with current NSW Government Public Health Orders and Restrictions, which are subject to change.

Night work

In September, some activities are required to take place outside of standard construction hours (7am-6pm).

This work has been scheduled to take place during a Sydney Trains trackwork period when no trains are running, minimising disruptions to commuter services and improving the safety of our construction team and customers.

Work outside of standard construction hours is scheduled to take place between:

- **6pm Friday 10th and 7am Monday 13th of September.**

These times are subject to change as a result of NSW Government Public Health Orders and Restrictions.

For up to date information, please visit yoursay.transport.nsw.gov.au/mtms-wollongong

Temporary parking changes

To enable platform extension activities to be completed safely, we will require use of approximately 25 car parking spaces in the commuter car park south of Wollongong Station between:

- **6pm Thursday 9th and 6pm Monday 13th of September.**

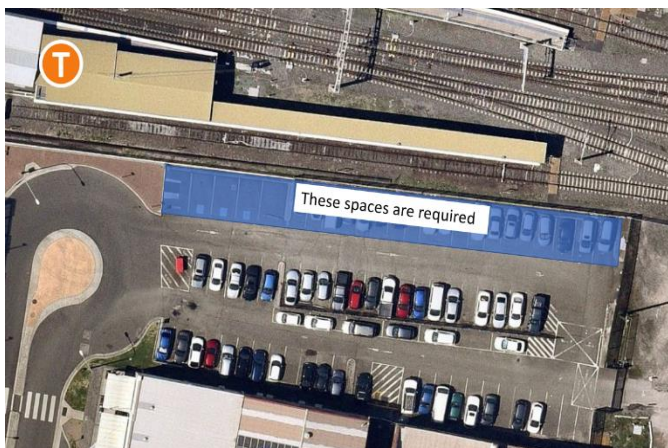


Image indicating spaces for reservation in September 2021.

Our traffic controllers will install signage to reserve these spaces and advise motorists of temporary changes. Alternate parking will remain available in the both the multi-storey car park to the west of the station and the commuter car park to the east of the station.

A sustainable approach to construction

To minimise waste generation and avoid sending material to landfill, we will be temporarily storing excavated material inside the rail corridor approximately 150 metres north of Wollongong Station, between Crown Street and Victoria Street.

This material will be re-used as back-fill for construction of a train driver's walkway inside the rail corridor.

We will access the corridor from Railway Parade and Denison Street. Traffic control will be in place to assist with deliveries and vehicle movements.

Environmental assessments have been carried out and require us to adhere to strict conditions relating to visual amenity, noise, vibration, and dust management.

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