

2 December 2016

SYDNEY METRO NORTHWEST – OPERATIONS, TRAINS AND SYSTEMS

Epping to Chatswood Rail Line – Conversion works including out-of-hours

The \$8.3 billion Sydney Metro Northwest is the first stage of Sydney Metro – Australia's biggest public transport project. The Northwest Rapid Transit Consortium (NRT) is delivering eight new railway stations, 23km of new track, 4,000 commuter parking spaces and Sydney's new generation of safe, reliable and fully automated metro trains. NRT will deliver this critical infrastructure and operate and maintain it for 15 years.

As part of the ongoing rail conversion works in the Epping to Chatswood Rail Line, design investigations and construction activities will be taking place along the rail alignment.

Between **2am Saturday 10 December** and **11pm Sunday 11 December 2016**, NRT will undertake works within the existing tunnels and services buildings. Road-rail vehicles, which can be used on both the rail and the road, will be used to undertake the works including surveying, track inspections and construction works.

What to expect:

- Transportation of materials and equipment on road-rail vehicles. The vehicles will access Epping tunnel via Beecroft Road, Chatswood Station and tunnel via Wilson Street railway gates and St Leonards Station via Chandos Street railway gates;
- Activities on the road-rail vehicle launching pads at Epping, Chatswood and St Leonards;
- A small number of associated work vehicles accessing sites at St Leonards, Chatswood, Lady Game Drive, North Ryde, Macquarie Park, Macquarie University and Epping stations and services buildings;
- Installation of high voltage cables, telecommunications cables and associated infrastructure within the existing tunnels;
- Design investigation and preparatory works for the platform widening;
- Relocation of water pipes under station platforms;
- Surveying works including track measurements, platform inspections and other general rail system inspections.

Why does this work need to happen on a weekend?

This work is being performed during the Sydney Trains routine maintenance period to minimise service disruptions. This will keep our workers safe and minimise delays for passengers.

To register for email updates, make a complaint or to ask for more information, phone **1800 019 989** (operating 24 hours a day, 7 days a week), email us at trains@metronorthwest.com.au or visit www.sydneymetro.info.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation while we carry out this important work.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

- The Sydney Metro Northwest will be delivered as part of Sydney's Rail Future — a customer-focused plan to modernise our trains. Over the coming decades, an extra 200,000 people will move into the region, taking its population above 600,000.
- New automated single deck trains will deliver a fast, safe and reliable service.
- There will be no need for a timetable - customers will just turn up and go, with a train every four minutes in the peak.
- The project includes 15km of tunnels between Bella Vista and Epping, a 4km skytrain viaduct section and the conversion of the existing Epping to Chatswood rail link to the new metro system.

ABOUT THE OPERATIONS, TRAINS AND SYSTEMS WORKS

- Northwest Rapid Transit (NRT) is delivering eight new railway stations, 4,000 commuter parking spaces and Sydney's new generation of metro trains and will operate and maintain the Sydney Metro Northwest
- The works will include:
 - Building eight new railway stations and 4,000 commuter car parking spaces
 - Delivering Sydney's new generation of metro trains
 - Building and operating the stabling and maintenance facility
 - Installing 23 kms of new track and rail systems
 - Converting the existing 13 km Epping and Chatswood line to metro status
 - The operation and maintenance of the Sydney Metro Northwest

Translating and Interpreting Services

If you need an interpreter, please call the Translating and Interpreting Service (TIS National) on 131 450 and ask them to call the Sydney Metro Northwest information line on 1800 019 989.

Korean

통역사가 필요하시면 통번역 서비스 (TIS National)에 131 450으로 연락하신 후 이들에게 Sydney Metro Northwest 프로젝트 정보 라인 1800 019 989 로전화하도록 요청하십시오.

Mandarin

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Cantonese

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