

Sydney Metro is Australia's biggest public transport project.

When services start in the late 2020s, new metro rail will become the fastest, easiest and most reliable journey between the Sydney and Parramatta CBDs. Sydney Metro West will service the key precincts of Greater Parramatta, Sydney Olympic Park, The Bays and the Sydney CBD.

Metro services started in May 2019 in the city's North West with a train every four minutes in the peak. Metro rail will be extended into the CBD and beyond to Bankstown in 2024. Sydney Metro includes new underground CBD stations at Barangaroo, Martin Place and Pitt Street with new metro platforms under Central.

In 2024, Sydney Metro will have 31 stations on a new 66km standalone metro rail system – the biggest urban rail project in Australian history with ultimate capacity for a metro train every two minutes in each direction under the Sydney city centre.

Geotechnical investigations

Essential geotechnical work is being undertaken to assist with early planning and design work for Sydney Metro West in the Sydney Olympic Park area. This work is required to determine underlying rock conditions.

From **Monday 5 August 2019** for a period of up to **five weeks** (weather and site conditions permitting) work will be undertaken in the following areas (see map overleaf):

- Showground Road
- Pondage Link
- Grand Parade
- Sporting field off Shirley Strickland Avenue and Australia Avenue

Work will include:

- Establishing a temporary site with fencing
- Using a truck mounted drill rig to bore below ground level
- Removing spoil from site using a vacuum excavation truck
- Reinstating the area at completion of the work
- Technicians using hand held devices to carry out monthly site monitoring for up to six months.

What to expect:

- Noise impact from these activities is expected to be minimal
- Traffic control and directional signage will be in place for the safety of workers and the community
- Access to pathways, buildings and driveways will be maintained at all times.

This work will be completed during standard construction hours which are Monday to Friday 7am-6pm and Saturday 8am-1pm

Thank you for your cooperation while we complete these essential works.

If you have any questions, please contact the Project Communications Team on 1800 612 173 (24 hour community information line) or sydneymetrowest@transport.nsw.gov.au



Sydney Olympic Park work area



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