

Notification – additional crane operational hours and use of contingency shifts

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Sydney Metro is Australia's biggest public transport project.

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. There will be new CBD metro railway stations at Martin Place, Pitt Street and Barangaroo and new metro platforms at Central.

In 2024, Sydney will have 31 metro railway stations and a 66 kilometre standalone metro railway system. There will be ultimate capacity for a metro train every two minutes in each direction under the Sydney city centre.

A W Edwards has been awarded the contract to build the new Crows Nest Station. Station box excavation and tunnelling is now complete and rail track installation is underway. A W Edwards has now started work to build the station structure.

Additional crane operational hours at Crows Nest Station

The recent pause on construction and further Public Health Orders and restrictions across Greater Sydney has impacted the schedule of works at this site. As previously advised, Sydney Metro has been reviewing the Crows Nest Station construction schedule to see what changes may be required to minimise impacts to the future station delivery timeline.

From **Monday 8 November** we will be extending our crane operational hours from **7am to 10pm to 7am to 12 midnight Monday to Thursday. There will be no change to crane operational hours Friday to Sunday** (this will remain 7am to 10pm). Deliveries via Pacific Highway will also continue to 12 midnight. At this stage, we expect to utilise these additional hours until mid-2022.

Use of contingency shifts

As advised in our monthly updates, oversize night-time deliveries are planned to occur Monday to Thursday nights between 10pm and 5am the following morning. In the event of weather or unfavourable site conditions preventing us from delivering on one of these nights, we may need to utilise a Friday night shift as a contingency.

So that we can keep you updated about delivery dates, cancellation of work and use of contingency shifts, please send us your email address and other contact details including your name and postal address to crowsnestmetrostation@transport.nsw.gov.au and we will add you to our email communication list.

Thank you for your cooperation and understanding while we complete this essential work.

For more information about work being carried out in November 2021 by A W Edwards, please refer to our November project update which is available on the Sydney Metro website, or via the following link [November project update](#).

-  **1800 171 386** Community information line open 24 hours
-  **crowsnestmetrostation@transport.nsw.gov.au**
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-  If you need an interpreter, contact TIS National on **131 450** and ask them to call **1800 171 386**