

Rail infrastructure, stations, precincts and operations

Environmental Impact Statement | March 2022



An artist's impression of The Bays Station.

Have your say

Sydney Metro is Australia's biggest public transport project, delivering a new generation of world-class, fast, safe and reliable trains – connecting customers easily to where they want to go.

Sydney Metro West is the new metro railway connecting Greater Parramatta to the Sydney central business district (CBD). It will double rail capacity between Greater Parramatta and the Sydney CBD, transforming Sydney for generations to come.

All nine Sydney Metro West station locations are now confirmed at Westmead, Parramatta CBD, Sydney Olympic Park, North Strathfield, Burwood North, Five Dock, The Bays, Pyrmont, and Hunter Street in the Sydney CBD.

In March 2021, the project received its first major planning approval for the Project Concept between Westmead and the Sydney CBD and station excavation and tunnelling between Westmead and The Bays.

An Environmental Impact Statement for major civil construction between The Bays and Sydney CBD, including station excavation and tunnelling, was submitted to the Department of Planning and Environment (DPE) in late 2021 and is currently under assessment.

Building on these previous applications, 'Rail infrastructure, stations, precincts and operations – Westmead to Sydney CBD Environmental Impact Statement' is now on exhibition and it's time to have your say about Sydney Metro West station plans in your local area.

'Rail infrastructure, stations, precincts and operations – Westmead to Sydney CBD Environmental Impact Statement' is on exhibition until **4 May 2022**.

Visit our virtual engagement room

Sydney Metro has created a virtual engagement room to help you learn more about important aspects of the project.

You will be able to explore the information boards around the room, read the planning document, learn more from our project experts and zoom into our interactive project map to understand what Sydney Metro West would mean for your area.

Use the QR code to visit caportal.com.au/tfnsw/sydneywest/virtualstation



Creating world-class places and precincts



Get in touch

The Sydney Metro team, including our team of experts, is here to help you find out more about the project. We will be at the Sydney Royal Easter Show at Sydney Olympic Park and at local community events during the Environmental Impact Statement exhibition. Sign up for Sydney Metro email alerts and Sydney Metro Connect to keep up to date on where the team will be. Alternatively call or email us to book in a suitable time to talk with us.

- To view the full Environmental Impact Statement visit **planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects/project/42176**
- To learn more about Sydney Metro and sign up for email alerts visit **sydneymetro.info**
- To view an interactive map of the project, find out what you can expect in your area and learn from expert members of the project team visit **sydneymetro.info/metrowest**
- To talk to one of our dedicated place managers, call us on **1800 612 173**
- Email your queries to **sydneymetrowest@transport.nsw.gov.au** and we'll get back to you


Have your say


The 'Rail infrastructure, stations, precincts and operations – Westmead to Sydney CBD Environmental Impact Statement 2022' is on public exhibition until 4 May 2022.

Anyone can make a submission in any language about the Environmental Impact Statement to the Department of Planning and Environment. The Department will then collate submissions and publish them on their website. Sydney Metro will review all the submissions and prepare a Submissions Report to respond to issues raised. If changes are required as a result of the issues raised, an Amendment Report or Preferred Infrastructure Report may also be prepared.

Approval from the Minister for Planning and Public Spaces is required before Sydney Metro can proceed with the project. Your submission must reach the Department by 4 May 2022.

How to make a submission

 Online: visit **planningportal.nsw.gov.au/major-projects** and follow the 'on exhibition' links

 Write a letter to:
Planning and Assessment
Department of Planning and Environment
Locked Bag 5022
Parramatta NSW 2124

Your letter must include:

1. Your name and address, at the top of the letter only (or in a separate cover letter if you want your personal details to be withheld from publication)
2. The name of the application and the application number (SSI-22765520)
3. A statement on whether you support or object to the proposal
4. The reasons why you support or object to the proposal
5. A declaration of any reportable political donations made in the previous two years.

If you have any questions about this process you can contact the NSW Department of Planning and Environment.

 Call: **1300 305 695**

 Email: **majorprojectssupport@planning.nsw.gov.au**

The Department may publish any personal information you have included in your submission on a proposal. Do not include any personal information in your submission that you do not want published.

For more information, view the Department's Privacy Statement at: **planning.nsw.gov.au/privacy**.



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Translating and Interpreting Service

If you require the services of an interpreter, please contact the Translating and Interpreting Service on **131 450** and ask them to call Sydney Metro on **1800 612 173**. The interpreter will then assist you with translation.