

## Monthly update – Five Dock

July 2022

Sydney Metro is Australia's biggest public transport project.

The NSW Government is delivering Sydney Metro West - a new underground metro railway which will double rail capacity between Parramatta and the Sydney CBD, with a target travel time of about 20 minutes between the two centres.

Sydney Metro was granted planning approval to construct twin underground rail tunnels between Westmead and The Bays for Sydney Metro West in March 2021. Acciona Ferrovia Joint Venture (AFJV) has been awarded the contract to deliver 11 kilometres of twin metro rail tunnels between The Bays and Sydney Olympic Park and excavate five new metro stations including a station at Five Dock.

### Site preparation and establishment work

Site preparation and establishment work within and around the Five Dock Station sites will continue throughout July. The main activities will include earthworks, piling, hoarding adjustments and relocation of utilities.

#### Work planned for July includes:

- Earthworks and piling pad construction on the western site, including intermittent use of a vibratory roller. This will be followed by piling for the shaft, acoustic shed and other structures
- Piling for the shaft, acoustic shed and other structures on the eastern construction site
- Concreting work on both sites
- Installation of fencing and hoarding along the site boundaries, which will be adjusted as work progresses
- Relocation of a piling rig and small crane from the eastern site to the western site (out-of-hours)
- Delivery of materials and equipment (any out-of-hours deliveries will be notified separately)
- Construction of new site access driveways for the western site on Great North Road
- Installation of an underground electricity cable in Second Avenue and onsite utility connections
- Utility investigations and services protection on Great North Road
- Potential median adjustments along Great North Road north of Henry Street (to be confirmed)
- Installation of roadwork signage along Great North Road and side street intersections

#### Work hours

Unless otherwise stated above, this work will be carried out during standard construction hours:

- **Monday to Friday 7am – 6pm and Saturday 8am – 6pm**

Some work must be undertaken outside standard construction hours to minimise impacts on traffic and to ensure the safety of motorists, pedestrians and workers. Separate notifications will continue to be provided for out-of-hours work.

#### What to expect:

- There will be some noise associated with this work but we will try to minimise this as much as possible
- Water spraying and street sweeping will be used to suppress dust
- Property and driveway access will be maintained.

### Equipment used:

Equipment used for this work includes but is not limited to: trucks, light vehicles, excavators, watercarts, concrete saws, bobcats, jack hammers, vacuum trucks, vibratory rollers, concrete trucks, hand tools, street sweeper, light towers, generators, cranes and piling rigs.

### Changes to traffic, pedestrian and cyclist routes:

During the work, traffic control will be in place to assist motorists, pedestrians and cyclists with any changes to traffic conditions. This may include contraflow lanes, stop-slow traffic controls and temporary road or footpath closures.

### Five Dock work area



### Contact us:

Please contact Jeremy from the AFJV community team on **1800 612 173** if you have any questions or would like to provide feedback about the work. We will continue to keep you updated on the progress of work in your area. If you would prefer to receive updates by email, please send a request to **metrotunnelsAFJV@transport.nsw.gov.au** and we will add you to the distribution list.

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