

## Notification – Five Dock

28 February 2023

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 Ferrovial 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.

### Revised out-of-hours work shifts at Five Dock

The tunnelling contractor, AFJV is working with Sydney Water to install **new water supply lines** in Great North Road Five Dock. Part of this work must occur outside standard construction hours to minimise impacts on traffic, water supply and to ensure the safety of motorists, pedestrians and workers. The remainder of this work will occur **between 7pm and 5am on Monday 6 March** (contingency Tuesday 7 March), **Tuesday 21 and Thursday 23 March** (contingency Wednesday 29 March) with the new Sydney Water outage date for connection scheduled **between 7pm and 5am on Thursday 30 March 2023**.

The previously notified work to connect the new **high voltage electricity supply** to the construction sites at Five Dock was cancelled due to unforeseen issues and further work needs to occur **between 7pm and 5am on Monday 6 March** to rectify the problem. Two contingency nights may be required on Tuesday 7 and Thursday 9 March 2023.

The new dates for the connections have been set by Ausgrid **between 9pm and 5am on Monday 20 March** for the eastern site and **between 9pm and 5am on Monday 27 March 2023** for the western site.

#### The work will include:

- Saw cutting and hammering to open trenches in concrete or asphalt on the footpath
- Removing material with a vacuum suction truck to expose existing underground utilities
- Installing new water pipes and connections on Great North Road including some concreting
- NBN doing upgrade work on Great North Road in front of the western site
- Hand painting of new line markings at the intersection of Great North Road and Second Avenue
- Connecting underground cables to the high voltage supply network and power pole
- Backfilling and covering trenches with steel plates at the end of each nightshift for daytime pedestrian use

#### What to expect:

- There will be noise associated with this work, but we will try to minimise this as much as possible
- Noisy work such as saw cutting or hammering will be finished before midnight
- Noise blankets will be in place where practical to reduce noise from this work
- Access to properties will be maintained at all times
- The high voltage electricity connections on **Monday 20 and Monday 27 March** may include an overnight power supply interruption for some properties. **Ausgrid will advise affected residents directly seven (7) days before the outage**. If you are not contacted by Ausgrid you will not be affected.
- The water main connection on **Thursday 30 March** may include an overnight water supply interruption for some properties. **Sydney Water will advise affected residents directly seven (7) days before**. If you are not contacted by Sydney Water you will not be affected.

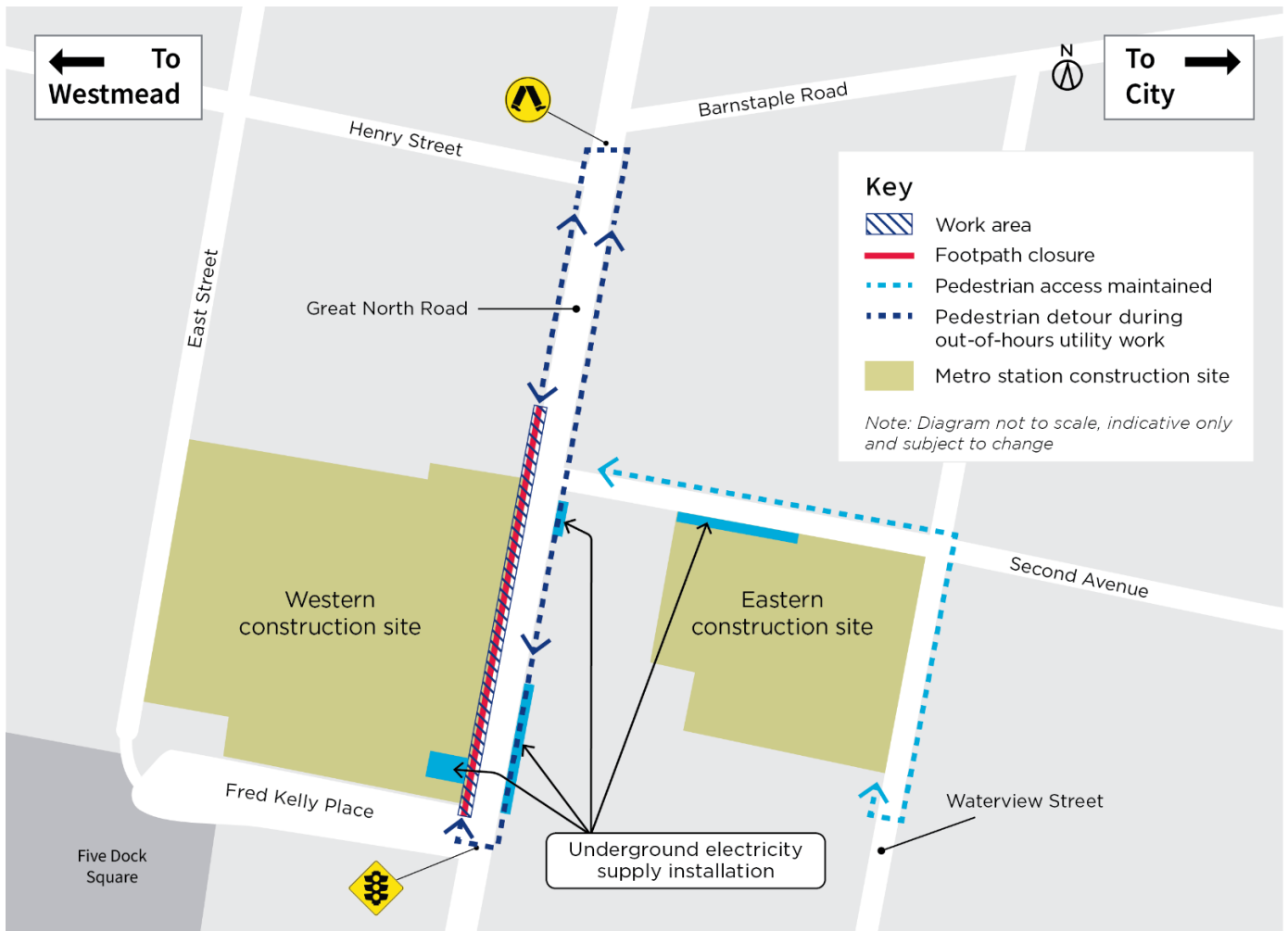
### Equipment used:

Equipment used for this work includes but is not limited to: excavators and hammer attachment, vacuum truck, concrete saw, generator, concrete truck, light vehicles, tipper trucks, plate compactor, drum roller, street sweeper, elevated work platform, painting equipment, lighting towers, tool van, traffic signage and hand tools.

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

Traffic control will be in place to assist motorists, pedestrians and cyclists with temporary changes to traffic conditions including potential stop-go traffic controls, pedestrian detours and partial road closures during the work. There will be temporary footpath closures and pedestrian detours in place on Great North Road during this out-of-hours work. Pedestrian access will always be maintained on one side of Great North Road during this work.

### Five Dock out-of-hours work locations



### 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, including appropriate respite periods. 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](mailto:metrotunnelsAFJV@transport.nsw.gov.au) and we will add you to the distribution list. You can also download Sydney Metro Connect on the App Store or get it on Google Play.



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