

Monthly update – Pyrmont

6 March 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 has been granted planning approval to construct twin underground rail tunnels between Westmead and Hunter Street in the Sydney CBD for Sydney Metro West. John Holland CPB Contractors Ghella Joint Venture (JCG) has been awarded the contract to deliver 3.5 kilometres of twin metro rail tunnels between The Bays and Hunter Street and excavate the Pyrmont and Hunter Street metro stations.

Pyrmont Station will be located between Pyrmont Bridge Road and Union Street and will feature two separate ground level entrances, designated as Pyrmont East and Pyrmont West.

Activities during March 2023

Service identification, geotechnical investigation and building investigations will continue in Pyrmont throughout March 2023. Utility relocation work at Paternoster Row will also start from Monday 13 March 2023. Please see map and detailed schedule over the page.

Work during standard construction hours will include:

- Continuing geotechnical investigations and service identification
- Building investigations
- Low impact site surveys and installation of instrumentation and monitoring equipment
- Relocating overhead power to underground in a section of Paternoster Row near Pyrmont Bridge Road
- Tree removal of two small trees in Paternoster Row to facilitate the removal of overhead power
- Utility relocations
- Delivery of materials, machinery and equipment
- Initial demolition of Pyrmont West which involves stripping internal areas of the building

This work will be undertaken during standard construction hours, Monday to Friday 7am to 6pm and 8am to 6pm Saturday.

Work during out of hours will include:

Out of hours work will be carried out on Pyrmont Bridge Road and in Pyrmont Street outside Pyrmont West for three nights during the week commencing Monday 20 March 2023. Out of hours work on Pyrmont Bridge Road outside Pyrmont East will take three nights during the week commencing 27 March 2023. Our work will take place between **6pm and 5am Monday to Friday**.

Low impact surveys and inspections will continue to be completed outside standard construction hours to minimise impacts on traffic and to ensure the safety of motorists, pedestrians and workers. Noise from this work is expected to be minimal. These activities will continue to occur between 6pm and 6am Monday to Friday.

Program of work

Location	6 – 12 March	13 – 19 March	20 – 26 March	27 March – 2 April
Pyrmont East site	Building investigations			
Pyrmont West site	Building investigations		Soft stripping of building internals and delivery of equipment and material	
Pyrmont Bridge Road		Utility relocations	Utility relocations – Out of hours work	
Pyrmont Street		Utility relocations	Utility relocations – Out of hours work	
Little Mount Street	Geotechnical investigation			
Miller Street	Utility investigation	Utility and geotechnical investigation	Geotechnical investigation	
Paternoster Row		Power relocation and tree removal		

Program is indicative only, weather and site conditions permitting

Site locations and work areas



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Equipment used:

Equipment used for works include but is not limited to; drill rig, saw cutter, specialised ground penetrating equipment, vacuum trucks, excavators, hand tools including jack hammers and road saws, temporary fencing, light vehicles, traffic control equipment and generators.

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 on Paternoster Row during utility relocation work. Property and driveway access will be maintained at all times.

Contact us

Please contact Shanice from the JCG 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 **MetroTunnelsJCGJV@transport.nsw.gov.au** and we will add you to the distribution list.

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

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