

# Monthly update – Sydney Olympic Park

24 July 2024

## 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, link new communities to rail services and support employment growth and housing supply.

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 Sydney Olympic Park. Gamuda Australia and Laing O'Rourke Consortium (GLC) has been awarded the contract to deliver nine kilometres of twin metro rail tunnels between Westmead and Sydney Olympic Park and excavate two new metro stations.

## Construction activities: August 2024

Preparations continue for the arrival of two tunnel boring machines (TBMs) from Clyde in mid-2024. Another two TBMs are tunnelling from Rozelle and expected to reach Sydney Olympic Park during the second half of 2024. The work activities below will be carried out during standard construction hours:

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

Work during August includes:

- Delivery and removal of plant, equipment and materials
- Groundwater well monitoring outside the site boundary (refer to map overleaf)
- Concrete pours and waterproofing inside the excavated station box and within the site boundary
- Removing concrete sections with excavators inside the excavated station box and within the site boundary
- Spoil (excavated material) removal from inside the excavated station box
- Earthworks, upgrading utilities and drainage within the site boundary
- Substation relocation within the AFJV car park area on Figtree Drive, including vegetation removal
- Installation of tunnel boring machine support infrastructure for breakthrough and post tunnelling activities
- Installation of ground anchors for tower crane footings
- Installing and monitoring of survey prisms within local streets and around the site.

## Out-of-hours work

To minimise interruption to local traffic and to ensure the safety of motorists, pedestrians and workers around the site, some work must be undertaken outside standard construction hours.

Out-of-hours work involves:

- Installing, cleaning and maintaining survey devices within local streets and the rail corridor.
- Removal of oversized machinery, equipment and spoil (excavated material) from site to occur **24 hours a day, 7 days a week until 12 September 2024.**

**We are continuing to plan our out-of-hours work and will update you again via the weekly email updates with scheduled dates once approvals are in place. To know more, call us on 1800 612 173 or register your details to receive weekly email updates at [metrotunnelsAFJV@transport.nsw.gov.au](mailto:metrotunnelsAFJV@transport.nsw.gov.au).**

## What to expect:

- There may be some noise from the work but we will try to minimise this as much as possible
- Property and business access will be maintained at all times

## Changes to traffic, pedestrian and cyclist routes

- Traffic control will be in place to assist motorists, pedestrians and cyclists at entry and exit points to the construction site to maintain two-way traffic flow
- For oversized deliveries and removal of equipment from site, a stop/slow traffic arrangement will be in effect on Herb Elliott Avenue from 8pm to 5am Sunday to Friday on selected nights
- Parking spaces have been temporarily removed on Herb Elliott Avenue until **Thursday 12 September 2024**
- Heavy vehicles will access the site during standard construction hours and out of hours using the approved haulage routes.

**Equipment used:** includes (but is not limited to) excavators, elevated work platforms, lighting towers, cranes, concrete pump, grout pump, compressors, grinders, rattle guns, welding equipment, water cart, sweeper truck, anchoring rig, CCTV truck, concrete saws, rock saw, road saw, generator, vacuum truck, tilt trays, scrubber fan, bobcats, forklifts, jack hammers, hand tools, trucks and light vehicles.

## Sydney Olympic Park work area:



## Contact us

Please contact the community team on **1800 612 173** if you have any questions, complaints 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. Thank you for your cooperation while we complete this essential work.

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