

Monthly update – The Bays

August 2026

The NSW Government is delivering Sydney Metro West – a new underground metro railway which will double rail capacity between Parramatta and the Sydney CBD, transforming Sydney for generations to come. Sydney Metro West will target an opening date of 2032.

Gamuda has been awarded the contract to design and construct the five new Metro stations at Westmead, North Strathfield, Burwood North, Five Dock, and The Bays.

Sydney Metro has engaged John Holland to deliver the Linewide package. Delivering 60kms of track across the network, installation of rail systems and construction of Sydney Metro West's 38-hectare stabling and maintenance facility in Clyde.

What work are we doing?

Early works will continue at The Bays Station site during August 2026, including site investigations, permanent stormwater culvert construction activities and piling work ahead of tower crane installation.

Standard construction hours are **Monday to Friday from 7am to 6pm and Saturday 8am to 6pm**.

Delivery and removal of materials, equipment and machinery to and from site, tunnelling operation, maintenance and rail movement activities within the tunnel will be undertaken **24 hours per day, seven days a week**. This includes operation of the water treatment plants.

Construction lookahead

Activity	Expected Noise Impact	Aug	Sept	Oct
Installation of environmental controls, monitoring equipment and signage	Low	●	●	●
Tower crane installation work including excavation, concreting and piling activities	Moderate to High	●	●	●
Formwork, steel work and concreting inside the station box	Low		●	●
Site establishment activities, including installation of site offices and facilities, security, site access controls, installing scaffolding and setting up traffic management	Low	●	●	●
Site investigation, including geotechnical, surveying, potholing and monitoring	Low	●	●	●
Utility works, including survey, investigations, relocation and connections within site	Low to moderate	●	●	●
Permanent stormwater culvert construction activities including investigation, excavation and piling work	Moderate to High	●	●	●
Installing and removing concrete access ramps, shotcreting and waterproofing works within the station box	Low	●	●	●
Installation of pedestrian bridge within site and over Port Access Road	Low		●●	
Delivery, stockpiling and removal of materials, plant, equipment and machinery	Low	●●	●●	●●
Operation and maintenance activities within the construction site and tunnels including site water treatment plants	Low	●●	●●	●●
Rail movement into the station box and through tunnels	Low	●●	●●	●●
Standard construction hours work ● Out-of-hours work required ●				

What will this mean for you?

You may notice:

- Workers and construction vehicles
- Noise from machinery and equipment
- Traffic controllers and signage
- Truck and construction vehicle movements via Port Access Road and James Craig Road

Managing our impacts on the community

We aim to manage our work to minimise disruption to the community and the environment. We will:

- Conduct noise and vibration monitoring where required
- Implement reasonable and feasible noise and vibration mitigation measures on site

- Direct lighting towards work areas and away from neighbouring properties

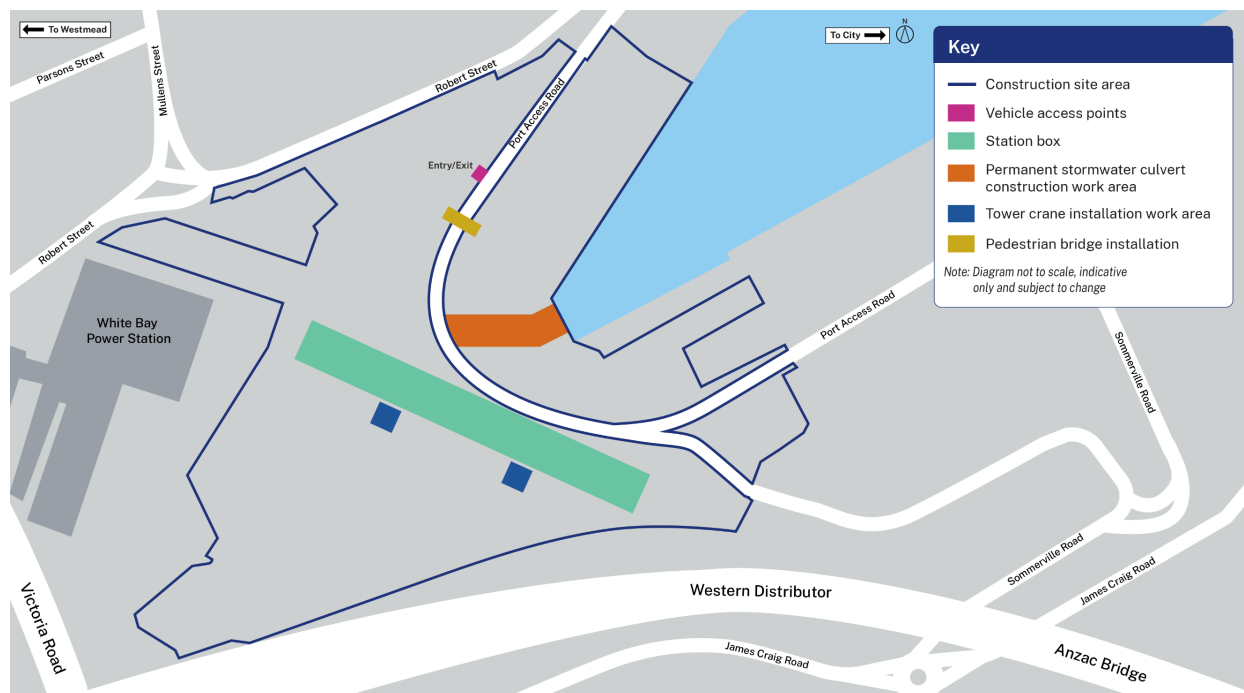
Equipment and machinery used

Includes but is not limited to hand tools and drills, excavators, piling rig, loaders, dump trucks, concrete saws, jack hammers, survey equipment, telehandlers, concrete trucks and pumps, light towers, elevated work platforms, drill rig, vacuum truck, forklift, light vehicles, delivery trucks and semi-trailers, truck and dogs, mobile cranes, street sweepers, bobcats, generators, hand tools and drills and tunnel transport such as buggies, trolleys and other materials, fencing and traffic control devices.

Contact us

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Location of work area



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