

Project update – Northern Connection and Chatswood Dive

June 2021

Sydney Metro is Australia’s biggest public transport project.

Services started in May 2019 in the city’s North West with a train every four minutes in the peak. Metro rail will be extended into the CBD and beyond to Bankstown in 2024. There will be new metro railway stations at Martin Place, Pitt Street and Barangaroo and new metro platforms at Central Station.

In 2024, Sydney will have 31 metro railway stations and a 66km standalone metro railway system. There will be ultimate capacity for a metro train every two minutes in each direction under the Sydney city centre.

Work in Chatswood and Artarmon

Work is underway between Artarmon and Chatswood stations to prepare for the future connection of the Metro North West Line and Sydney Metro City & Southwest at Chatswood.

Systems Connect (an unincorporated joint venture between CPB Contractors and UGL Limited) is delivering line-wide Work including installing metro rail track, power systems and infrastructure to turn the excavated tunnels into a working railway between Chatswood and Sydenham. Line-wide Work also includes the permanent systems, services and buildings required for Sydney Metro operations between Chatswood and Bankstown.

This notification provides an update to our recent June notification. It reminds residents about our night work in Artarmon from Monday 21 to the morning of Friday 25 June and outlines some additional pavement work needed at Chatswood Dive.

Out-of-hours work (night and day)		
Due to the nature of some activities, and for the safety of workers, some work will occur outside standard work hours.		
Date / time	Location	Detail
Monday 21 June to Friday 25 June (each night from 10pm to 5am)	Within the rail corridor between Brand Street and Seldon Lane, Artarmon and Chatswood (using Brand Street, Drake Street and Chatswood Dive gates)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Site inspections, investigations and track surveys • Mobilisation of plant and equipment in advance of future weekend possessions
Saturday 19 and Sunday 20 June (and, if required, Saturday 26 and Sunday 27 June) from 7am – 6pm	Chatswood Dive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Site maintenance and pavement repairs • Deliveries of plant and materials

What to expect

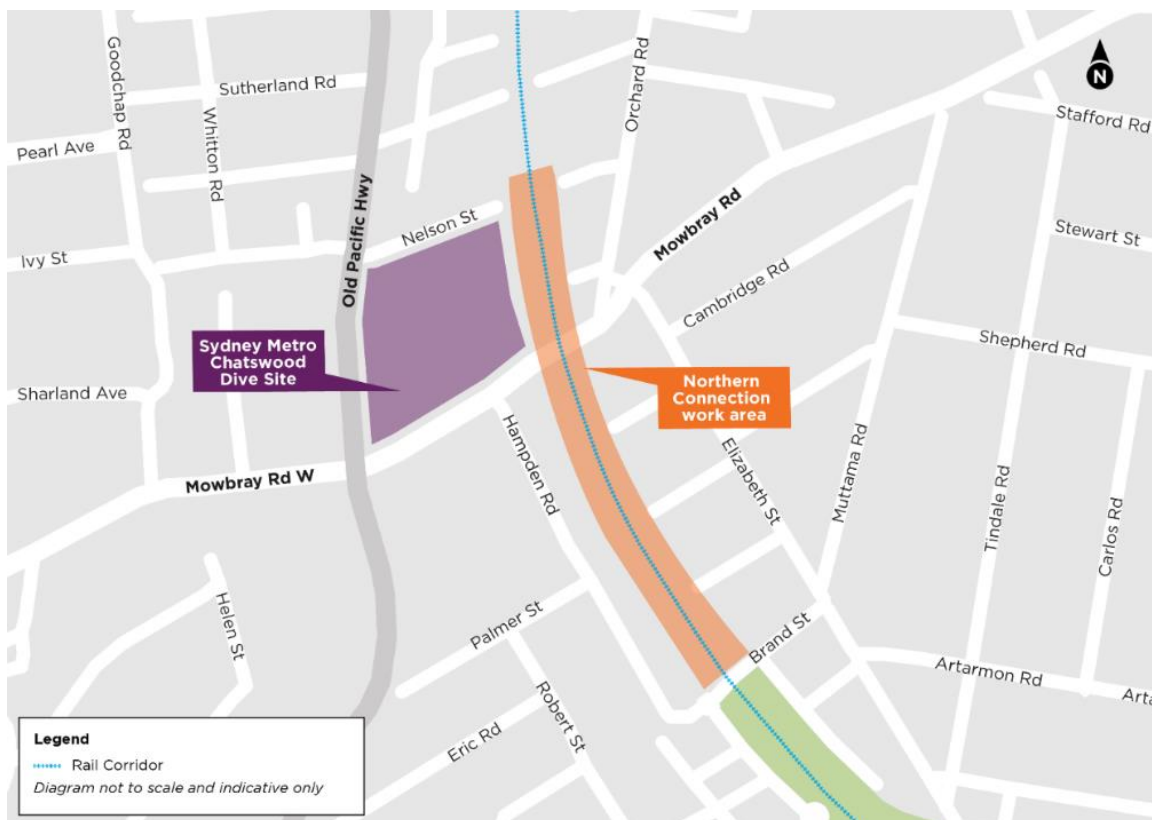
- Equipment used will include but not be limited to excavators, concrete mixers and pumps, bobcats, mobile cranes, lighting towers, paving machines, light trucks and heavy vehicles, rollers, tippers, dump and delivery trucks, piling rigs, hand held and electric tools, rail equipment, demolition saws and jack-hammers, power drills and compaction equipment.
- **Some of this work will be noisy. We will specifically notify impacted residents before out of hours work occurs.**

- The project team will take every step possible to minimise noise impacts. A range of mitigation measures are in place to meet the project's approval conditions and reduce noise, including noise barriers, using only the necessary equipment for each task, turning off equipment when not in use and equipping all machinery with non-tonal movement alarms.
- Some equipment will be transported outside of standard construction hours in line with the Transport for NSW requirements for transporting oversized vehicles.
- Delivery trucks will exit the Chatswood Dive site via the signalised intersection at Mowbray Road.
- Concrete deliveries and concrete pumping will continue via Hopetoun Avenue.
- Access to the rail corridor, deliveries and spoil removal will be via the existing gates in Brand Street and Drake Street, Valetta Lane, Hopetoun Avenue, Lambs Road and Cleland Road.
- Access to buildings and driveways will be maintained at all times. Where temporary footpath or lane closures are required, signage and traffic control will be in place to assist pedestrians and motorists.
- Temporary fencing, barricades and access gates will be installed to provide a safe and secure site.

Keeping you informed

Sydney Metro will continue to undertake work across its projects in accordance with current Government advice, and will continue to implement physical distancing and travel and hygiene measures to protect employees and members of the community. To keep up to date with what is happening in the Chatswood and Artarmon area we encourage you to register for email updates, which provide the latest information about our work, including out-of-hours activities. If you have not already done so, please register for these updates by sending your name, address, email and phone number to linewidemetro@transport.nsw.gov.au, or call us on **1800 171 386**.

Location of work



- ☎ **1800 171 386** Community information line open 24 hours
- ✉ linewidemetro@transport.nsw.gov.au
- 📄 Sydney Metro City & Southwest, PO Box K659, Haymarket NSW 1240
- 🗣 If you need an interpreter, contact TIS National on **131 450** and ask them to call **1800 171 386**