

# **City & Southwest**

## **Out of hours work notification**

August 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 CBD metro railway stations at Martin Place, Pitt Street and Barangaroo and new metro platforms at Central.

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

A W Edwards has been awarded the contract to build the new Crows Nest Station. Station box excavation and tunnelling is now complete and rail track installation is underway. A W Edwards has now started work to build the station structure.

#### **Out-of-hours work activities at Crows Nest Station**

Standard construction hours at Crows Nest Station site are Monday to Sunday 7am to 6pm.

Extended working hours have been implemented for limited activities within the station box **up to 10pm Monday through to Sunday evenings**. Further extension of these hours up to **12 midnight** have now been approved for up to four nights a week. For the most part we expect to use these additional hours (up to 12 midnight) **Monday through to Thursday evenings (inclusive)**. We will continue to work up to 10pm on **Friday evenings**, and will continue to advise in our weekly email updates if we intend on working up until 10pm Saturday and Sunday evenings.

For further information about limited activities which will take place up until 12 midnight, please refer to our August 2021 Crows Nest Station monthly update distributed on Sunday 25 July 2021, and available at <a href="https://www.sydneymetro.info">www.sydneymetro.info</a>, or via the following link if viewing this notification digitally <a href="https://www.sydneymetro.info">Crows Nest Station August 2021</a> update.

Further activities will be undertaken at night in August between **10pm and 5am** the following morning. The table below lists the dates, times and location of all planned work activities which will be required during these times, subject to Public Health Orders, and weather and site conditions permitting.

Work outside standard construction hours between 6pm and 6am the following morning			
Activity	Dates	Location	Details
Electrical cut-over	• Tuesday 24 August (1 night)	<ul> <li>Pacific Highway</li> <li>Clarke Lane</li> <li>Hume Street.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Ausgrid service providers Ultegra will be carrying out an electrical cut-over. This work was originally planned to occur Tuesday 20 July and has now be rescheduled to occur Tuesday 24 August 2021 between 6pm and 6am the following morning.</li> <li>Some of this work will be undertaken within the Crows Nest Station work area on Clarke Lane and Hume Street and will involve backfilling and compacting previously excavated electrical pits.</li> <li>An outage will be required on the night, and impacted properties will be notified by Ultegra in advance.</li> </ul>

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Activity	Dates	Location	Details	
Oversized deliveries	Wednesday 11     August (1 night) with     contingency Thursday     12 August.	<ul> <li>Pacific Highway (between Oxley and Hume streets).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Delivery of oversize elements via Pacific Highway. These will be lifted from transport vehicles into our work area via tower crane.</li> </ul>	
	Monday 16 to     Thursday 19 August     (4 nights).			
	Monday 23 to     Thursday 26 August     (4 nights).			
	Monday 30 August to Thursday 2 September (4 nights).			

#### What to expect

- Equipment used will include, but is not limited to, hand-held and electric tools, cranes, light and heavy vehicles, lighting towers and other site lights to provide visibility for workers at night. A mechanical hoist will be used to lift workers up and down, inside the station box.
- While some work will be noisy, 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
  using only the necessary equipment for each task, turning off equipment when not in use and, where possible,
  equipping machinery with non-tonal movement alarms.
- Vehicle access will be maintained on Pacific Highway during this work, however lane capacity will be reduced. The southbound footpath on Pacific Highway between Oxley and Hume streets will be closed during night-time deliveries.
- Other temporary traffic changes may be in place for the safety of workers and the community during this work, including reduced speed limits, footpath and lane closures.

#### Keeping you informed

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

If there are any changes to the work activities, dates and times listed above, an email update will be sent. **Please** ensure you are signed up to our email distribution list to receive updates. If viewing this notification electronically, you can subscribe via the following link: <u>Sydney Metro email subscription</u>, otherwise, please send us your contact details including your name, address, email and phone number to <u>crowsnestmetrostation@transport.gov.au</u>

If you have questions about any of this work please contact the **Crows Nest Station team** on **1800 171 386** or email <u>crowsnestmetrostation@transport.nsw.gov.au.</u>

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