

Week starting Monday 21 September

Good afternoon

Below is an overview of Rozelle Interchange construction work happening across Rozelle, Lilyfield and Annandale next week. We've broken the update into the following sections:

- reminder of night work this week (Thursday 17 and Friday 18 September)
- night work next week
- upcoming changes to your route in Annandale and Rozelle
 - closure of former Buruwan Park and signalised intersection at The Crescent/City West Link
 - opening of the ANZAC Bridge Access Road
- work in local streets (Lilyfield Road and Denison/Percy streets)
- tunnel progress update

We aim to include relevant information in these weekly updates highlighting work or activities that may impact you, so we encourage you to take time to read the below details. We continue to thank you for your patience while we carry out construction work in this area.

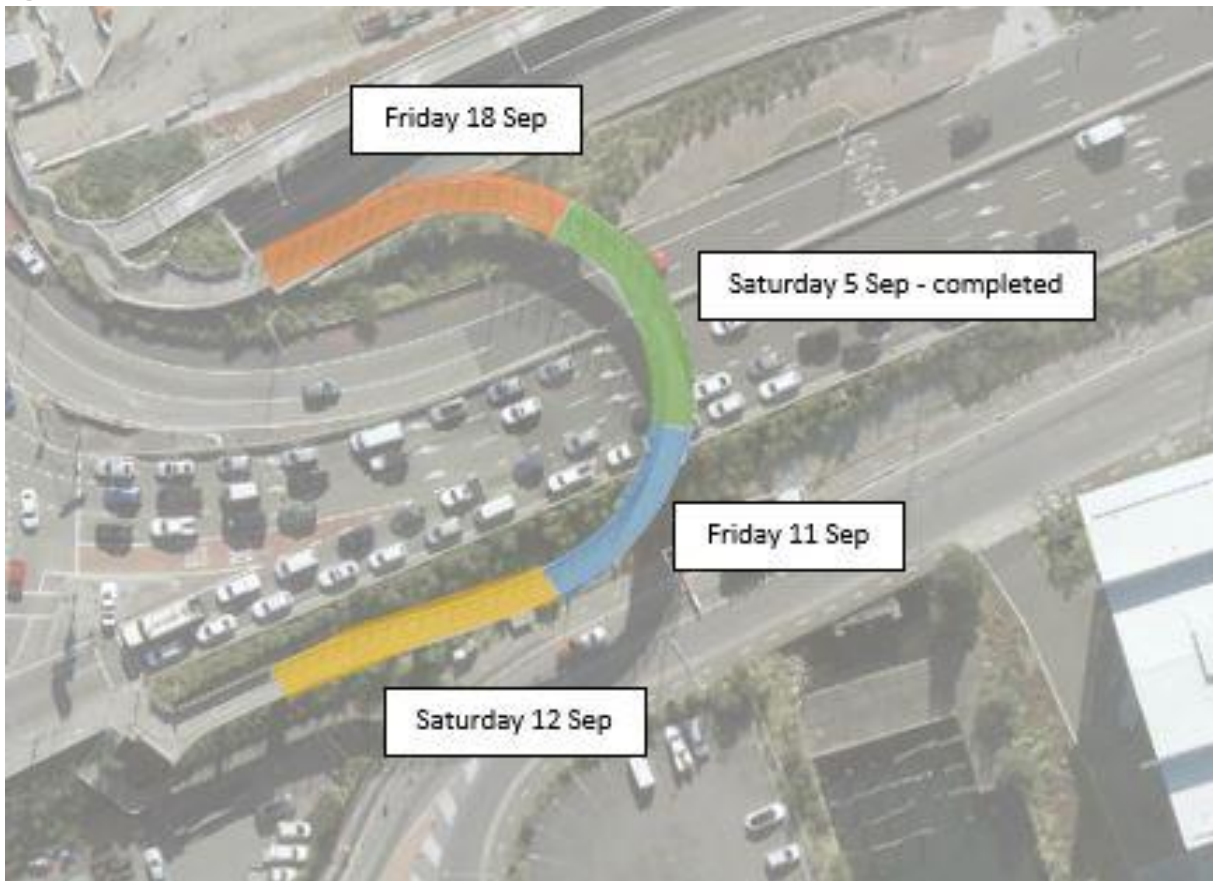
Reminder, night work this week (Thursday 17 and Friday 18 September)

Night work will include:

- removing the utilities bridge inside the site, at the corner of The Crescent/City West Link using a large crane (up to three shifts)
- continuing tree removal inside the light rail corridor on City West Link near The Crescent (up to three more shifts)
- continuing work to install the new water main on Victoria Road near Quirk Street (up to five more weeks and further information to be provided to residents) and other utility services on The Crescent (ongoing)
- asphalt work on Victoria Road near Lilyfield Road (up to five more weeks)
- removing the last section of Beatrice Bush Bridge shown in orange on the map below (Friday 18 September).

In order to remove the last section of Beatrice Bush Bridge on Friday 18 September (shown in the image overleaf), there will be a closure of the underpass on approach to the ANZAC Bridge. Both eastbound and westbound traffic movements will be maintained however motorists will experience changed traffic

conditions and reduced speeds. Please expect delays to your journey if you're using the ANZAC Bridge this Friday night.



Night work next week

Next week noisy night work will be carried out on **Monday 21 September** (7pm to 6am), **Thursday 24 September** (7pm to 6am) and **Friday 25 September** (7pm to 6am). We've highlighted the approximate locations of night work next week in the below map. Please note other activities such as traffic control setup may occur outside of the highlighted areas:

- mobilising/demobilising traffic control setup
- **utility work:** trenching, locating existing services, installing conduits/pipes (ongoing)
- **demolition of bridge foundations:** using multiple rock hammers to demolish the concrete foundations. This work will be noisy and will continue all night in order to complete the work as quickly as possible (approximately 5 night shifts)
- **road construction:** demolition/installation of medians and barriers, asphaltting, milling and re-sheeting new road pavement, line-marking and line-marking removal, traffic signal adjustments and general roadworks (ongoing)
- **tree removal** inside the Light Rail corridor (if not completed this week): can only start once the light rail service is temporarily closed from 12am. Work will involve using petrol chainsaws to remove the trees
- **crane lift** (if not completed this week): removing a section of the utility bridge using a crane
- backfilling and reinstatement of the work area.



The above night time activities will involve the intermittent use of road saws, rock hammers, chainsaws, asphaltting machines, cranes, rattle guns and line marking removal equipment. These activities all create **high noise that may be heard by nearby residents** and every effort is made to complete these activities as early as possible. However, depending on the location of work (such as City West Link), we may not

receive approval to start work on the road until 11pm which unfortunately delays the start and completion of the activity.

For information about how we manage noise from our work, please take a look at the [Construction Fact Sheet](#).

Upcoming changes to your route

From **Saturday 19 September**, there will be some **changes to your route in Rozelle** if you're a pedestrian or cyclist:

We're opening a new section of temporary pedestrian and cyclist path between Lilyfield Road and The Crescent. This is the yellow structure you may have noticed taking shape inside the former Rail Yards site to the west of Victoria Road, as shown in the image on the right. The map below shows the location of the new path. This temporary path will enable us to work on the existing footpath and road.



From **Thursday 24 September**, there will be some **changes to your route in Annandale** if you're a pedestrian or cyclist:

- the staged pedestrian crossing at the intersection of City West Link and The Crescent will close to the public
- access through the former Buruwan Park will close permanently
- a ramp is currently being built from the Light Rail station to provide pedestrian access from Bayview Crescent to Johnston Street/The Crescent. Pedestrians will need to cross the light rail tracks to access the ramp. Cyclists will need to dismount to use this ramp

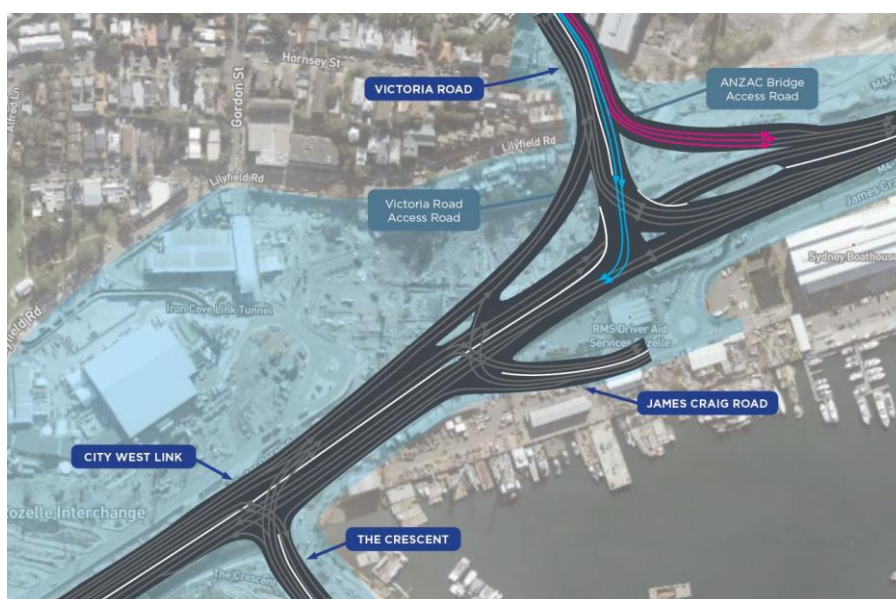
- Cyclists are encouraged to find an alternative route between the City, Victoria Road and Annandale once these changes are in place. Depending on your starting location, cyclists may like to use Lilyfield Road/Gordon Street or Kentville Avenue/Johnston Street instead



From **Saturday 26 September** there will be a **key change for motorists in Rozelle:**

- the ANZAC Bridge Access Road will open to traffic. This road will provide access for all cars travelling from Victoria Road to ANZAC Bridge and is located next to the pedestrian and cyclist path that opened in August.
- Traffic movements remain the same for motorists however please be aware that the left turn to the ANZAC Bridge will be earlier on Victoria Road than it is currently

The below map also shows the Victoria Road Access Road which is due to open in late October. The opening of this road will result in a significant change for motorists travelling on The Crescent and City West Link towards Victoria Road. We'll be providing further information about this change closer to the date.



Work in local streets

Next week on Monday 21, Tuesday 22, Wednesday 23, Thursday 24 and Friday 25 September, we'll be installing ground monitoring equipment between 7am and 6pm at:

- Denison Street between Evans and Albion streets: Full road closure with detour in place (notification 163)
- Percy Street between Evans and Albion streets: Full road closure with detour in place (notification 163)
- Lilyfield Road between Lamb and Justin streets: Stop/slow arrangement in place (notification 156)



Work will be carried out between **7am and 6pm** and generally takes two days at each location. A temporary road closure with a detour will be in place to send motorists around the work area.

We'll also be continuing work within the footpath and road on the corner of **Gordon Street and Lilyfield Road** to install conduits so that we can underground the powerlines at this location. There will be changed traffic conditions at this intersection so please watch out for signage and follow instructions from traffic control personnel.

Tunnelling update

We currently have 19 roadheader machines excavating the future Rozelle Interchange tunnels. Next week's expected tunnelling locations are shown in the map below. For more information about the tunnel locations and depths, please visit the online Tunnel Tool [here](#).

This is a reminder that the project has approval to remove excavated material 24/7 from inside the tunnels.

Courtesy notice: In some areas, tunnelling activities will take place on Saturday 26 and Sunday 27 September (the project has approval to tunnel 24/7).



General construction FAQs

For more information about standard construction rules, please click [here](#). This information includes:

- Hours of work
- Standard equipment used
- How we mitigate impacts to residents

How to contact us

In line with recent NSW Government health advice regarding COVID-19 and to ensure the safety of the community and staff, we are re-closing the Community Information Centre at 84 Lilyfield Road Rozelle.

For any information you may require, please email us at info@rozelleinterchange.com.au with your enquiry and a contact number for us to call you.

Please let us know if you have any suggestions or ideas regarding what you would like to see in this weekly update going forward. We welcome and appreciate your feedback.

Kind regards

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The Community Relations Team