

Rozelle Interchange

WestConnex

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Monday 13 July to Saturday 18 July

Good morning

Below is a summary of Rozelle Interchange construction work taking place at Iron Cove next week. Residents directly impacted by our work on local streets will be provided a more detailed update on **Friday 10 July**.

Night work

Night work will be carried out along Victoria Road on **Monday 13 July, Tuesday 14 July and Thursday 16 July** between the hours of 7pm and 6am, weather permitting. Work will include:

- mobilising/demobilising traffic control setup each night
- service investigation and excavation work for an Ausgrid connection on the northern verge of Victoria Road near Balmain Shores
- installation of new speed hump at the top of Callan Street
- trench excavation (involving road sawing and rock hammering) including service locating to install new stormwater on Victoria Road between Byrnes Street and Iron Cove Bridge, and Toelle and Callan streets.
- trench excavation (involving road sawing and rock hammering) to install new Ausgrid assets in Victoria Road between Springside and Moodie streets
- backfilling and reinstatement of the work area each night



Barrier demolition, road sawing and rock hammering are loud activities, and may be required on each of these nights. As a result, night work next week is expected to generate high levels of noise.

Traffic changes in local streets

Please note the following key traffic updates, and refer to the map below for more details:

- Callan Street remains a shared zone with a **speed limit of 10km/hr**. In response to concerns raised by residents that cars are not adhering to this speed limit, the project will be installing additional speed hump(s) and some additional signage on Callan Street. We're also conducting spot checks of our workers arriving to site in the morning to deter anyone travelling too quickly down the road.
- We encourage motorists, where possible, to exit the area via Manning, Moodie, Oxford and Darling streets
- We'll continue work next week to install ground monitoring equipment on Springside and Waterloo streets (locations marked in blue in the map below). This equipment is used during tunnel excavation to monitor any potential ground movement that may occur. Small temporary work sites will be established within the highlighted areas and work is expected to take up to two days to complete



For the safety of pedestrians, cyclists and motorists, please obey signage like this on Callan Street.

A bit of local history

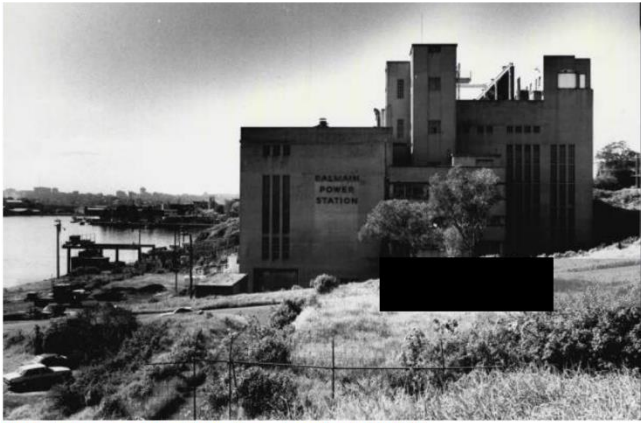
A high volume of work in this area is being undertaken near the Balmain Shores apartment complex. This area has an interesting history.

Until 1998, the area was used to house a power station which supplied electricity to consumers and businesses in Balmain, Leichhardt, Ashfield, Newtown and Petersham. It also supplied power to large enterprises in the local area including Mort's Dock and the Balmain Colliery.

The power station was demolished in 1998, and the Balmain Shores apartment complex was built on the site. Two of the original buildings remain as part of the residential development.

The photo below shows the area in 1943. The power station can be seen at the intersection of Terry Street and Victoria Road.





The Balmain power station before it was deconstructed in 1998



The Balmain power station seen from below the Iron Cove Bridge

Next three months - key night work activities



The map to the left shows the key night work locations and construction activities currently scheduled to take place over the next three months. Each of these activities involve trenching through the existing road and kerb, and as a result will produce some periods of high noise. We'll provide further notice about these activities once they are confirmed.

Legend	
	Established construction site
	Tree removal work and trenching for Ausgrid service relocation
	Trenching for Ausgrid service relocation work
	Trenching for Sydney Trains communication services
	Stormwater installation shown in green
	Barrier demolition and relocation work
	Road, footpath and kerb construction work
	Intelligent Transport System (ITS) services installation
	Overhead power line and power pole removal
	Sewer commissioning work at night as sewer volumes are lowest
	Removal of electrical overhead power-poles and lines

---- General construction FAQs ----

Hours of work

- Day work will be ongoing within our construction sites and in local streets during standard construction hours from 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 6pm on Saturdays.
- High noise work (rock hammering or saw cutting) will be carried out for three hours at a time before an hour respite is provided. High noise work will finish at 1pm on Saturdays.
- Work that is not intrusive may be completed outside standard construction hours without notification. These activities may include security checks, oversized deliveries and other lower impact activities.
- Night work is scheduled when traffic volumes are too high during the daytime and we don't have approval to work on the road. This typically applies to construction work on Victoria Road. Night work can take place between 7pm and 6am Monday to Friday.

Equipment used

Equipment used for our work (day and night) includes but is not limited to: excavators, rock hammers, jack hammers, line marking removal machines, line marking machines, road saws, vacuum trucks, hand tools, compactors, concrete trucks, light vehicles, cranes, piling rigs, asphaltting machines and generators.

How we're mitigating impacts on Iron Cove residents

Construction work may be impactful to those living nearby. We're trying to limit the impact by:

- changing our construction methodology to reduce the overall duration of high impact activities such as rock hammering, where possible
- scheduling work to happen during the day instead of at night, where possible
- installing noise blankets around our temporary work sites, and noise walls along our long-term construction boundaries
- adhering to the respite breaks during high impact activities (one hour break every three hours)
- using water suppression such as hoses, misters and sprinklers to limit the creation of dust during some activities

How to contact us

Drop into the Community Information Centre at 84 Lilyfield Road, Rozelle NSW 2039. The Community Information Centre is open from 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays).

If you want to know more about our work or to make a complaint, please respond to this email or contact the Rozelle Interchange Community Team on 1800 660 248.

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

The Iron Cove Community Relations Team