

## Changes to the pedestrian footbridge – Parramatta Road, Ashfield

Work is underway on WestConnex which involves widening and extending the M4 and M5 and joining them to create a free-flowing motorway network.

The M4 East will extend the existing M4 from Homebush to Haberfield via underground twin tunnels, each 5.5 kilometres in length and among the widest in the southern hemisphere. They will allow for three lanes of traffic in each direction, saving travel time for motorists and taking traffic off local roads. For more information, visit [westconnex.com.au/M4East](http://westconnex.com.au/M4East).

From **Wednesday, 11 January 2017** work will commence to realign the stairs on the western side of the pedestrian footbridge on Parramatta Road near Bland Street, Ashfield. A map of the work area is provided overleaf.

To allow for the realignment of Parramatta Road and the construction of the tunnel portals, the western stairs will be replaced with new stairs that connect with Bland Street. To minimise the impact to the community, the staircase has been precast offsite and will be installed as a single unit using a mobile crane.

This work will be undertaken **between 7.00 am and 6.00 pm from Monday to Friday and 8.00 am and 1.00 pm on Saturday**.

The work expected to take **up to one month** to complete will include:

- preparing the foundation including piling and detailed excavation of footings
- installing concrete foundations, columns and landings
- installing the precast concrete staircase
- fixing of handrails and screens
- modifying the existing pedestrian footbridge screens.

Equipment used for this work will include a mobile crane, concrete trucks and hand tools.

Pedestrian diversions will be in place while the staircase is installed, however **access to the footbridge will be maintained throughout the work**. Please follow the signage and the direction of traffic controllers.

There will be some noise and vibration associated with this work. Every effort will be made to minimise the impact of work, including turning off equipment and vehicles when not in use, and directing noisy equipment away from residences wherever possible.

If you have an enquiry or complaint about this work, please contact toll free 1800 660 248 and ask to speak to a member of the M4 East team or email [info@M4East.com.au](mailto:info@M4East.com.au).

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WestConnex is part of a broader transport plan for Sydney which includes improved public transport, such as Sydney Metro and light rail, as well as better, more reliable motorway solutions. More than two-thirds of WestConnex will be built underground. Once complete, motorists will be able to avoid up to 52 sets of traffic lights and enjoy significant travel time savings.

#### For more information

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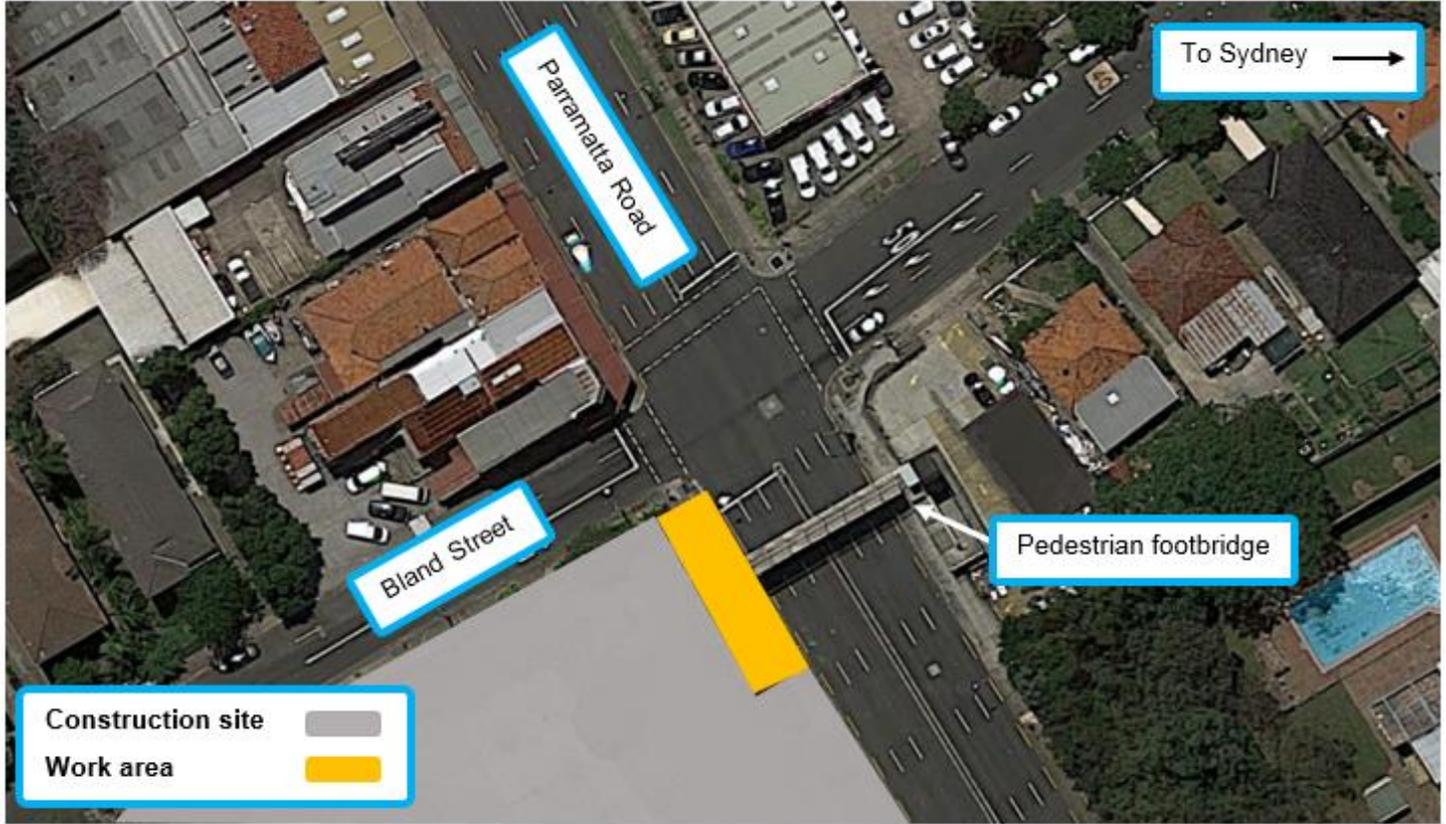


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Location of the pedestrian bridge work area – Parramatta Road, Ashfield.



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