

2 March 2016

Dear Resident

## Underwood Road site establishment

Work is continuing to construct the WestConnex Motorway, linking Sydney's west and south-west with the airport and port. WestConnex will ease congestion, create jobs and connect communities.

From **Monday, 7 March 2016**, work will commence to establish the Underwood Road construction site, adjacent to the M4 Motorway and along Underwood Road, Ismay Avenue, Short Street and Allen Street, Homebush. A layout of the site is provided overleaf.

To minimise impact on nearby residents, the majority of works will generally be undertaken **between 7am and 6pm from Monday to Friday and between 8am and 1pm on Saturday**. Some work may be done outside of these hours to ensure the safety of workers and motorists, and you will be notified if work is required near your property.

Work to establish the construction site will take about five months to complete, weather permitting, and will include:

- installing temporary fencing, gates, hoarding, noise walls, traffic barriers and environmental controls including sedimentation ponds, a temporary water treatment plant and substation
- identifying, removing and relocating utilities including electricity, communication, water and sewerage
- moving oversized equipment and machinery
- installing an on-site carpark, roads, footpaths, concrete foundations, piling, laydown areas, stockpile sites and temporary buildings, such as a site office, workshop, employee amenities, storage and acoustic shed
- clearing vegetation
- geotechnical investigations
- earthworks including excavation, piling and potentially rock breaking.

Equipment used throughout the work will include chainsaws, trucks, concrete cutters, generators, excavation and boring equipment, cranes, compressors, pumps, shotcrete rigs, mulchers and vibrating rollers.

Initially, construction vehicles will access the site via Ismay Avenue, Homebush. Once the site is established, vehicles will access the site from Underwood Road to minimise local road impacts

Every effort will be made to minimise the impact of work, including using non-tonal reversing beepers on machinery, turning off equipment and vehicles when not in use and, where possible, directing noisy equipment away from residences.

Early investigations indicate the site and some buildings may contain contaminated material including asbestos. This is not unexpected given the historical industrial nature of land use in the area. If asbestos is found on the site, the following safety procedures will be implemented, in line with WorkCover requirements, to ensure the safety of members of the community and workers:

- Air quality will be monitored.
- Signs, barriers and temporary fencing will surround areas containing asbestos.
- A hygienist will be on site to monitor and control the asbestos removal works.
- Any material containing asbestos will be encapsulated on site or loaded, transported and disposed of at licensed facilities by specially trained and licensed personnel.

More information on how asbestos removal is managed is available at [workcover.nsw.gov.au/health-and-safety/safety-topics-a-z/asbestos](http://workcover.nsw.gov.au/health-and-safety/safety-topics-a-z/asbestos)

If you would like further information about the upcoming work please contact 1300 660 248 or email [info@westconnex.com.au](mailto:info@westconnex.com.au).

Yours sincerely



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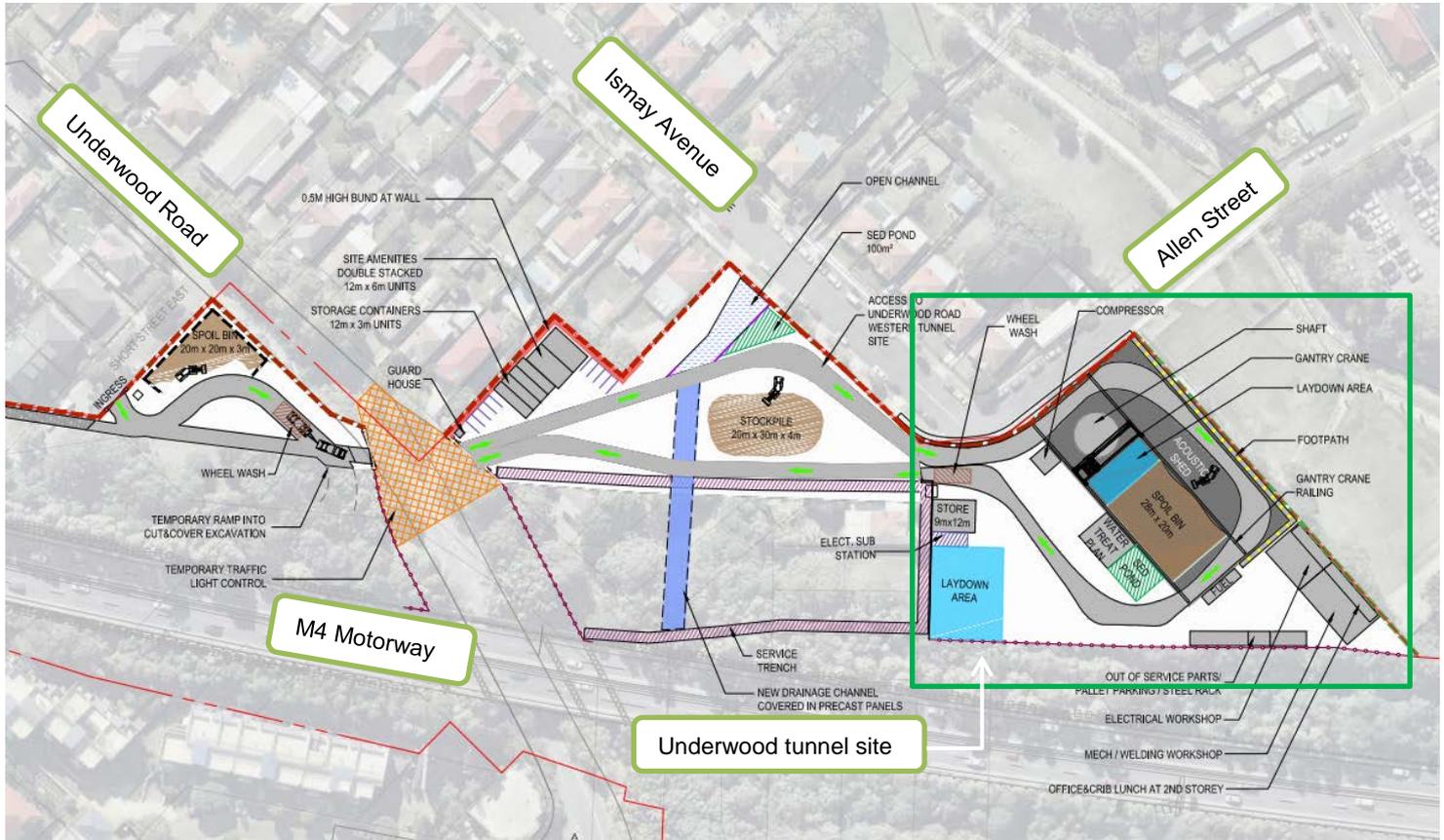
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Underwood Road construction site layout



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### Arabic

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### Italian

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