Western Harbour Tunnel and Beaches Link - ground water monitoring well installation from Wednesday, 11 October 2017

The NSW Government is funding preferred route investigations including geotechnical testing for the Western Harbour Tunnel and Beaches Link.

Roads and Maritime Services carries out geotechnical testing to gather information about underground rock, soil and groundwater conditions across a broad area. Data from this work will be used to inform the engineering design, final costings and a construction timeline.

A site identified by our geologists for groundwater monitoring is Ellen Street, Rozelle. A work site will be established within the area shown on the map over the page.

Work at this site will start from Wednesday, 11 October 2017 and will take around two days to complete, depending on ground conditions (weather permitting).

The work will take place between 7am and 6pm Monday to Friday. There will be no work at night, on weekends or on public holidays.

A temporary work site will be established to ensure community safety. When the installation is complete, monthly groundwater monitoring checks will take place for around twelve months. After monitoring is complete, the site will be restored to its previous condition.

How will the work affect you?

There may be some noise associated with this work. We will minimise disturbance to the local community and operate in an environmentally sensitive and sustainable manner.

Appropriate site controls will be in place including traffic controls if required. If traffic controls are required, please observe all signage and follow instructions of traffic controllers.

The location of these tests does not indicate a possible alignment and the work is designed to gather data about groundwater conditions below ground.

Geotechnical testing involves drilling small diameter holes (about the size of an orange) to extract rock samples used for scientific testing and analysis. Equipment will include a self-propelled drilling rig, support equipment as well as various hand tools.

Contact

If you have any questions please contact our project team on 1800 789 297 during office hours (8.30am to 5pm Monday to Friday) or motorwaydevelopment@rms.nsw.gov.au. Thank you for your patience during this important work.
Work area

Ellen Street, Rozelle – geotechnical work site

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