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## Sydney Olympic Park Wharf Upgrade

Temporary wharf closure from Wednesday 14 January and some early morning and night work between 14 January and 20 February 2015.

As notified in the recent Community Update, as part of the NSW Government's Transport Access Program, work to upgrade Sydney Olympic Park Wharf will start on **Wednesday 14 January 2015**.

The upgrade includes work to ensure customers can board and disembark ferries quicker, and reduce crowding. The wharf will be closed for four to five months, weather and maritime conditions permitting. All efforts will be made by the project team to reopen the wharf as soon as possible.

Work to demolish the existing wharf and install piles for the new wharf will be carried out soon after the closure of the wharf. This will require some early morning and night work over a number of days **between Wednesday 14 January and Friday 20 February 2015** as this work requires calm water conditions.

- **Demolition work** will be carried out **between 14 January and 23 January** and some early morning and night work may be required
- **Piling work**, including drilling and hammering piles into rock, will be carried out **between 23 January and 20 February** and some early morning and night work will be required. This work will be noisy. The hammering will be carried out intermittently, with multiple one minute periods of hammering.

Early morning and night work can be carried out **between 11pm and 7am seven days a week**. Hammering of piles is restricted between 5am and 7am.

For details of **alternative transport arrangements** during the temporary closure of the wharf please see over.

We thank you for your patience during this work and apologise for any inconvenience. Please do not hesitate to contact the wharf upgrade project team by calling 1800 770 973 or email [WharfUpgradeProgram@rms.nsw.gov.au](mailto:WharfUpgradeProgram@rms.nsw.gov.au) if you have any further queries.

Yours faithfully

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## Alternative transport during construction

During the temporary closure of the wharf there will be a range of other alternative transport arrangements.

Customers who normally use Sydney Olympic Park Wharf can use Armory Wharf at Newington as an alternative travel option.

This arrangement will result in the following changes:

- Weekdays F3 Parramatta River ferry services that start and finish from either Parramatta or Rydalmere will stop at Armory Wharf instead of Sydney Olympic Park Wharf
- Weekday and weekend night time F3 ferry services that normally start or finish at

Sydney Olympic Park Wharf will now start or finish at Meadowbank during the closure

- On weekends throughout the day (up until 8pm), F3 Parramatta River ferry services will operate to Armory Wharf instead of at Sydney Olympic Park Wharf

To help customers with these changes, new additional bus services will operate between:

- Sydney Olympic Park Wharf and Armory Wharf (**527** bus service)
- Sydney Olympic Park Train Station and Armory Wharf to connect with ferry services (**528** bus service)

These new bus services will travel via Newington shops.

Customers will also be able to catch the existing **526** bus service between Sydney Olympic Park Wharf and Strathfield Station to travel to and from the city. Additional **526** services will be provided Monday to Saturday evenings during the upgrade.

We encourage customers to plan their trip by visiting [transportnsw.info](http://transportnsw.info) or calling **131 500** for details of the additional services and changes to existing services before starting their journey.

