Airport East precinct upgrade – Sewer and drainage work

The Australian and NSW Governments are upgrading roads east of Sydney Airport to improve traffic flow and access to the airport and Port Botany.

As part of the upgrade, Roads and Maritime Services will install sewer and water infrastructure at the intersection of Botany Road and Wentworth Avenue, from **Sunday 25 March** for about **18 weeks**.

This work will involve:

- earth and road work
- installing signs, traffic lights, fences and temporary traffic barriers
- building a new sewer under Wentworth Avenue and Botany Road
- building new storm water and water main systems under Botany Road at the new rail bridge area
- delivery of equipment and materials to the work area.

We have included a map to show the location of the work.

**How will the work affect you?**

There will be some noise, dust, vibration and disruption associated with this work.

Machinery and equipment used will include lighting towers, excavators, an underground borer, a sheet piling rig, trucks, light vehicles, plate compactors, vacuum trucks, rollers, grinders, compressors, hand tools, warning signs and barrier tape. Lighting towers will be directed away from residential properties at night, wherever possible.

We will excavate a number of pits during this work. These pits will be quite deep, so we will reinforce the pits with temporary sheet piles and fencing for safety reasons.

Pedestrian access will be maintained at all times. Minor temporary detours may be in place during the work.

**Construction hours**

Standard construction hours will be from **7am to 6pm**, Mondays to Fridays and **8am to 1pm** on Saturdays, excluding public holidays.

Out of hours work is necessary on this project due to the traffic conditions in the area and the limitations of working next to the Sydney Airport east west runway and the Port Botany Freight Rail Line. Night work will be carried out between **9pm and 5am**, up to **five nights a week**.

**Changes to Botany Lane**

Botany Lane will become two-way from **Sunday 15 April** for approximately **8 weeks** while this work is carried out. During this time there will be no access to Wentworth Avenue from Botany Lane due to the location of an excavation pit. Exit and entry to Botany Lane will be from Hollingshed Street only. Traffic controllers and signage will manage traffic during peak times.
Traffic Changes

There will be other traffic changes in place to ensure the work zone is safe. Lane closures will be in place and may affect travel times on Botany Road and Wentworth Avenue.

Please keep to the speed limit and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs.

For the latest traffic updates call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW App.

Location of work

Contact

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact our delivery partner John Holland Group on 1300 862 844 or comms.airporteast@jhg.com.au. For more information on this project, visit www.rms.nsw.gov.au/sydneyairport.

Thank you for your patience during this important work.