

## Ongoing work on Frenchs Forest Road, Naree Road and Forest Way from Monday 7 November

**The NSW Government is upgrading roads around the new Northern Beaches Hospital with work proposed to be completed in time for the hospital opening in 2018.**

Roads and Maritime Services has been carrying out service relocation work along Forest Way, Naree Road, Frenchs Forest Road West and East, Allambie Road and Russell Avenue. Further work will be carried out from Monday 7 November.

The work involves:

### Site preparation:

- Implementing safety and traffic controls and temporarily modifying pedestrian access
- Establishing safe access and egress points for workers and vehicles
- Clearing vegetation and trees
- Identifying existing services prior to work commencing.

### Relocating services:

- Utility trenching and underboring
- Saw cutting work on footpaths and driveways
- Excavating and installing communication cables
- Installing power poles
- Installing stormwater lines
- Stringing new overhead power lines
- Installing new conduits, fittings, valves and pipes and backfilling
- Reinstating surfaces
- Testing lines
- Removing redundant poles and conduits
- Removing waste water with water tanks.

Work will be carried out from **Monday 7 November** until **Friday 6 January**, weather permitting. Some of this work will be carried out during our standard construction hours of **7am to 6pm** on **weekdays** and **8am to 1pm** on **Saturdays**.

Due to the high volume of traffic and pedestrians in this area, some of this work will be done outside of standard construction hours for safety reasons and to limit the impact on the road network. There will be **up to 15 shifts** of out of hours work between **Monday 7 November** and **Friday 6 January 2017**, between **6pm and 7am** on **weekdays** and some daytime work on **weekends**.

Further notifications will be distributed as the work progresses.

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

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## How will the work affect you?

There will be some noise, dust, vibration and disruption associated with this work. Machinery and equipment used may include lighting towers, excavators, trucks, light vehicles, underboring rigs, pole borers, road saws, plate compactors, jackhammers and hand tools.

We will make every effort to minimise noise by arranging the work in stages at different locations, working at night only when necessary and using flexible noise shields where possible to reduce noise. We will notify you in advance of additional out of hours work and carry out work in shifts so you will not be affected for more than three consecutive nights per week. Noise monitoring will be carried out during out of hours work, and additional mitigation implemented where necessary. Lighting towers will be directed away from residential properties at night wherever possible. Pedestrian access will be maintained at all times, although minor temporary detours may be in place during the work. Residents will be notified of any service interruptions.



## Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe. Lane closures or detours may be in place and may affect travel times. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs. For the latest traffic updates, you can call 132 701, visit [livetraffic.com](http://livetraffic.com) or download the Live Traffic NSW App. Access to driveways will be maintained at all times.

## Contact

We are committed to minimising the impact of construction on the community and will continue to keep you informed as the project progresses. If you have any questions, would like to register for project updates or have any feedback, please contact our delivery partner, Ferrovial York Joint Venture.

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**Visit:** Community Information Centre, Corner Wakehurst Parkway and Warringah Road (north eastern corner), Frenchs Forest NSW 2086, Open 9am – 5pm, Monday to Friday

**Website:** [rms.nsw.gov.au/nbh](http://rms.nsw.gov.au/nbh)

Thank you for your patience during this important work.