

Service relocation work on Forest Way and Naree Road, Frenchs Forest from Wednesday 27 April

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 will start the preparation work to relocate services along Forest Way and Naree Road from **Wednesday 27 April**.

This work will involve:

- Installing traffic controls
- Saw cutting work on footpath and driveways
- Potholing and service identification
- Installing site fencing to delineate the work area
- Temporarily modifying pedestrian access
- Changing bus stop locations outside the Forestway Shopping Centre
- Demolishing the retaining wall outside the Forestway Shopping Centre
- Trenching and underboring in Forest Way, Russell Avenue and Naree Road
- Earthwork, pavement and drainage work
- Establishing safe access and egress points for workers and vehicles
- Clearing of vegetation and trees
- Relocating services
- Installing power poles and new power lines.

Please see the map over the page for location of work.

Work will be carried out from **Wednesday 27 April** until the **end of July 2016**, 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 the work will have to be carried out at night for safety reasons and to limit the impact on the road network. There will be up to **23 shifts** of **night work** from **Wednesday 27 April** until **Tuesday 31 May**, between **6pm** and **7am**, weather permitting.

Further notifications will be distributed as the work progresses.

How will the work affect you?

There will be some noise, dust and disruption associated with this work. Machinery and equipment used during this work may include lighting towers, excavators, trucks, chainsaws, cranes, mulching machines,

light vehicles, under boring rig, elevated work platforms, pole borer, road saw, compactors, jack hammer 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 to reduce noise generated by investigation activities, where possible. We will carry out the work in shifts so you will not be affected for more than three consecutive nights per week. Lighting towers will be directed away from residential properties, wherever possible. Pedestrian access will be maintained at all times, although minor temporary detours will be in place during the work.

Traffic changes

There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe. Lane closures may be in place to establish access points 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 or download the Live Traffic NSW App.



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 Ferrovia York Joint Venture.

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We apologise for any inconvenience and thank you for your patience during this important work.
