

## **Western Harbour Tunnel and Beaches Link - geotechnical investigations from Tuesday 23 January 2018**

### **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 and soil conditions across a broad area. Data from this work will be used to inform the engineering design, final costings and a construction timeline.

Last year test drilling occurred in Waverton Park, Waverton at a site adjacent to Larkin Street, south of the bowling clubhouse (see map over the page).

As part of this work a ground water monitoring well will be installed at this location. Work is proposed to start from Tuesday 23 January 2018 and will take up to four days to complete. Work at this location is anticipated to take approximately one hour per day.

When installation is complete, water quality samples will be taken from the groundwater well each month for six months followed by two quarterly samples. The sampling regime is expected to be completed by December 2018

The work will take place between **7am** and **6pm Monday to Friday** and between **8am** and **1pm** on **Saturday**. There will be no work at night, on Sundays or on public holidays.

#### **How will the work affect you?**

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.

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

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

Ground water monitoring installation will involve the use of an air compressor, support equipment as well as various hand tools.

## Contact

If you have any questions please contact our project team on 1800 931 189 during office hours (8.30am to 5pm Monday to Friday) or [whtbl@rms.nsw.gov.au](mailto:whtbl@rms.nsw.gov.au). Thank you for your patience during this important work.

## Work area

### Waverton Park, Waverton – geotechnical work site



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