The Western Harbour Tunnel and Beaches Link program is part of our vision to create an integrated road and public transport network that will make it easier, faster and safer to get around Sydney.

As Sydney continues to grow, faster and more reliable trips are essential to reducing congestion and providing new levels of access to jobs, recreation, and services such as schools and hospitals.

As part of ongoing planning of the Western Harbour Tunnel and Warringah Freeway Upgrade we will be carrying out inspections of bridges and drains along the Warringah Freeway starting in February 2020 for about four months, weather permitting.

What will we be doing?
We will be carrying out visual inspections on the Ernest Street, Falcon Street, Mount Street and High Street bridges to assess their current condition.

We will also be carrying out CCTV inspections of a number of drains along the freeway and surrounding roads.

When we’re working we will be using cars, utes, elevated work platforms, lighting towers and tools. See map over the page for where we will be working.

When will we be working?
Work will start in February 2020 and take about four months to complete, weather permitting. Working next to, over and on existing roads, means we will need to temporarily stop traffic and/or reduce the numbers of lanes available. By working at night we minimise delays and ensure the safety of our workers, commuters and the public.

We will be working nightly from 8pm – 6am Monday to Sunday. Where safe to do so, some work may be carried out during the day from 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturdays. There will be no work on Public Holidays.

How will this work affect you?
We do not expect our work to be noisy but will need to use equipment which will generate light. To manage the potential impact on you we will:
• turn off our machinery when not in use
• direct temporary lighting down and away from homes
• plan activities to minimise noise from reversing beepers
• locate equipment like generators as far as possible from residences.

There will be temporary changes to traffic while we’re working. Traffic management will be in place and lanes will be temporarily closed on the Warringah Freeway while we’re working in an area. Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs.

You can register for SMS updates with the project team. For the latest traffic updates, you can also call 132 701, visit livetraffic.com or download the Live Traffic NSW app.

Thank you
We know our work can be disruptive at times. We thank you for your patience and understanding while we carry out this important work. If at any time you would like to discuss the work, please contact our project team.
Locations of investigation work

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