

WESTCONNEX PROJECT UPDATE 07.06.19

STAGE 1 - M4 East

Operational Noise and Vibration Review + Operational Noise Management Plan posted

The Stage 1 contractor has posted both the <u>Operational Noise and Vibration Review</u> and the <u>Operation Noise Management Plan</u> (ONMP), prepared on their behalf by Renzo Tonin & Associates (NSW) Pty Ltd. The Operational Noise and Vibration Review evaluates the noise and vibration levels expected to occur during the day-to-day running of the M4 East motorway and tunnels – as well as the steps taken to mitigate this noise. Related to this, the ONMP details the legal obligations and procedures built in to the day-to-day operations of the M4 East/M4 Motorway to manage the noise generated. These documents can be found on Local Updates.

Day and Night works - Parramatta Rd, Wattle St, and Ramsay St Haberfield | Ashfield

The Stage 1 contractor has given notice that, from June 9th through to June 14th, works will continue at along Parramatta Road, Wattle Street, and Ramsay Street. Day works will occur from 7AM to 6PM weekdays and 8AM to 1PM Saturday; night works will run from 6PM to 5AM Monday through Sunday. These works include roadworks, footpath works and landscaping works. This notice, Notification N400, will soon be available on <u>Local Updates</u>.

Emergency smoke extraction testing - Parramatta Road Ventilation Facility, Haberfield

The Stage 1 contractor has given notice that the will be conducting tests of the emergency smoke extraction procedure and equipment at the Parramatta Road Ventilation Facility on Wattle Street and Parramatta Road. These tests will take place Saturday, 15th June and Saturday, 22nd June between 6PM and 5PM each evening. This notice, Notification N399, will soon be available on Local Updates.

STAGE 2 - New M5

Day and night work for installation of gas monitoring wells - St Peters

The Stage 2 contractor has issued a notice for day and night works to be undertaken along Princes Highway and connecting streets in St Peters from 7PM June 11th to 7AM June 13th, and 7AM to 6PM June 17th through to 21st June. The work will involve boring and installing monitors at various locations; traffic will be maintained along these streets under the guidance of traffic control during these times. For further information, see Notification N705 on Local Updates.

STAGE 3A - M4-M5 Link Tunnels

Geotechnical Investigations - James Street, Leichhardt

The Stage 3A contractor has issued a notice for geotechnical survey works to be undertaken along James Street, Leichhardt, commencing 12 June 2019. These works are expected to take up to three weeks to complete, weather and conditions permitting. Works will be conducted from 7am to 6pm weekdays and 8am to 1pm on Saturdays. For further information, see Notification MT099 on Local Updates.

STAGE 3B - Rozelle Interchange

Power supply connection works - Leichhardt, Lilyfield, and Rozelle

Further to last week's reported May 27th Roads Act Letter, the Stage 3B contractor has issued a notice confirming its proposed power supply works along the streets in Leichhardt, Lilyfield, and Rozelle. These works include setting trenching along multiple streets to allow the installation of a high-voltage power supply for the Rozelle Rail Yards construction site, commencing 5th June and lasting until 30th December 2019. Most work will take place weekdays 7AM to 6PM and Saturdays 8AM to 6PM, but some night works will be required (and notified for as scheduled). For further information, see Notification N0014 on Local Updates.

Site establishment work – Victoria Road near Iron Cove, Rozelle

The Stage 3B contractor has issued an update about the construction works to establish its work site along Victoria Road near the Iron Cove Bridge in Rozelle. The work will commence "in the coming weeks" and is expected to last up to six months – work hours being 7AM through to 6PM weekdays, and 8AM through to 6PM on Saturdays; out-of-hours work have not been specified at this time. For further information, see Notification N0012 on Local Updates.

Site establishment work - Rozelle Rail Yards (RRY) and Victoria Road, Rozelle

The Stage 3B contractor has issued an update about the construction works to establish its work site in the Rozelle Rail Yards (RRY) and along Victoria Road in Rozelle. The work will commence "in the coming weeks" and is expected to last up to six months – work hours being 7AM through to 6PM weekdays, and 8AM through to 6PM on Saturdays; out-of-hours work have not been specified at this time. For further information, see Notification N0013 on Local Updates.

General

Article on WestConnex's substrata acquisitions, property damage, compensation

The Inner West Courier has published an article covering residents' challenge to RMS and WestConnex making substrata acquisitions without compensating landowners. The article also returns to the topics of residents' struggle to gain compensation for property damage suspected to be linked to WestConnex construction, and the satellite imagery from startup company Otus Intelligence Group measuring ground subsidence in the vicinity of this construction. The article, "WestConnex issues go deep" by Heath Parkes-Hupton can be viewed in the Inner West Courier's 4 June edition.