

# Powering Sydney's Future

## POTTS HILL TO ALEXANDRIA TRANSMISSION CABLE PROJECT COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

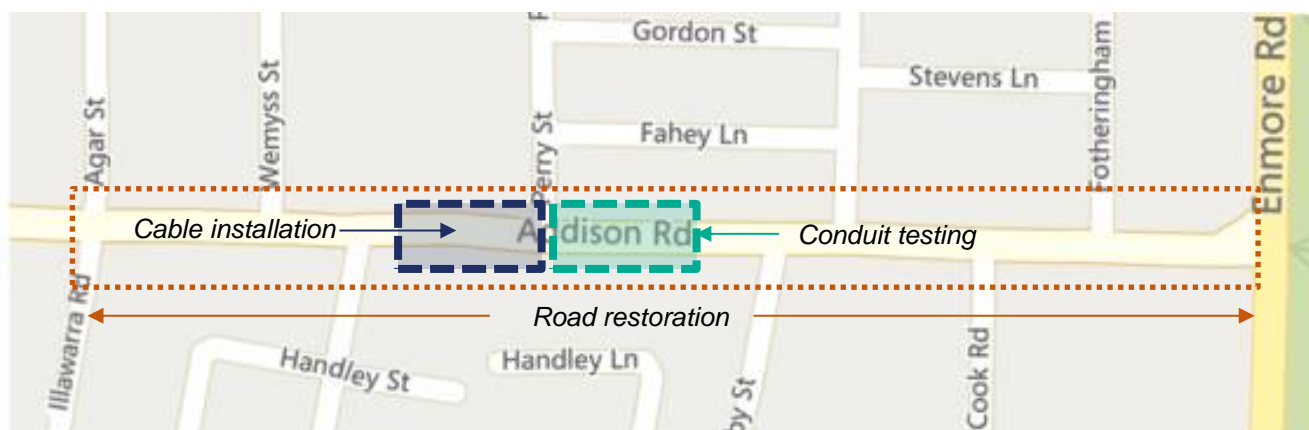
### Work update for Addison Road, Marrickville

TransGrid is installing a new underground electricity cable from Potts Hill to Alexandria. The Powering Sydney's Future project will help ensure a safe, reliable and affordable energy supply for Sydney's CBD and surrounding areas. You can view a map of the cable route at [www.transgrid.com.au/psf](http://www.transgrid.com.au/psf).

Thank you for your patience during cable installation work on Addison Road.

This letter is to advise you of the remaining work activities in the area. We also send regular email updates that will keep you advised of progress of these activities and associated traffic changes. If you would like to receive these updates, please email [psf@transgrid.com.au](mailto:psf@transgrid.com.au) with 'Email update' as the subject, and include your name and address in the email.

### Remaining work at Addison Road



The activities outlined below will be ongoing until late August 2021 (weather permitting) and will involve intermittent traffic changes on Addison Road, Illawarra Road, Agar Street, Wemyss Street, Perry Street, Philpott Street and Fotheringham Lane.

#### Addison Road (west of Perry Street)

From **Monday 5 July**, we will start work to join sections of electricity cable together inside the joint bay. We will also install communications cables at the recently constructed ancillary pits at this location. The pits will be used for monitoring and control of the new electricity cable. Once the cables are installed and joined together, we will run a series of tests that involve opening up the small ancillary pits in the road.

#### Addison Road (east of Perry Street)

Work at this location involves opening up the ends of the previously constructed joint bay, and using CCTV to inspect the conduits we have previously installed. The ends of the joint bay will be open for about **three weeks**.

#### Addison Road between Illawarra Road and Enmore

Following completion of cable installation and testing, and CCTV inspection, we will then permanently restore the road surface, and kerb and gutter along Addison Road. This restoration work is expected to take about **five weeks**.



#### Connect with us

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## Work hours

- > Work hours for cable installation and joining is from **7am to 6pm Monday to Sunday**.

Please note that work at Addison Road west of Perry Street may extend beyond 6pm from time to time as steps in the process of joining cables must continue each day until they are complete. A security guard will remain onsite around the clock until work to join the cables is completed.

- > Work hours for permanent restoration is from **7am to 6pm Monday to Saturday**.

## Work activities

Work will involve:

- > Installing temporary fencing and safety barriers.
- > Delivering plant and equipment to site.
- > Trimming trees to create a safe distance from plant and equipment (directed by a qualified arborist).
- > Using a pump/vacuum truck to remove water as required.
- > Temporarily covering the road with steel plates as needed during work to maintain traffic flow.

Restoration work on **Addison Road** will also involve:

- > Reinstating traffic signal sensors following our work.
- > Removing a layer of the existing road surface using a profiler.
- > Placing new asphalt and concrete on the road pavement.
- > Compacting the road surface using a roller.
- > Line marking the road.

Work on **Addison Road west of Perry Street** will also involve:

- > Setting up scaffolding and a temporary canopy with an air conditioning unit over the joint bay (at least 20 metres long and three metres wide).
- > Placing a shipping container, rubbish skip and generator alongside the joint bay.
- > Technicians cutting, clamping together and permanently joining two ends of the cable under the canopy.
- > Pulling communications cables through underground pipes at the ancillary pits.
- > Testing the cable by opening up the small ancillary pits in the road.

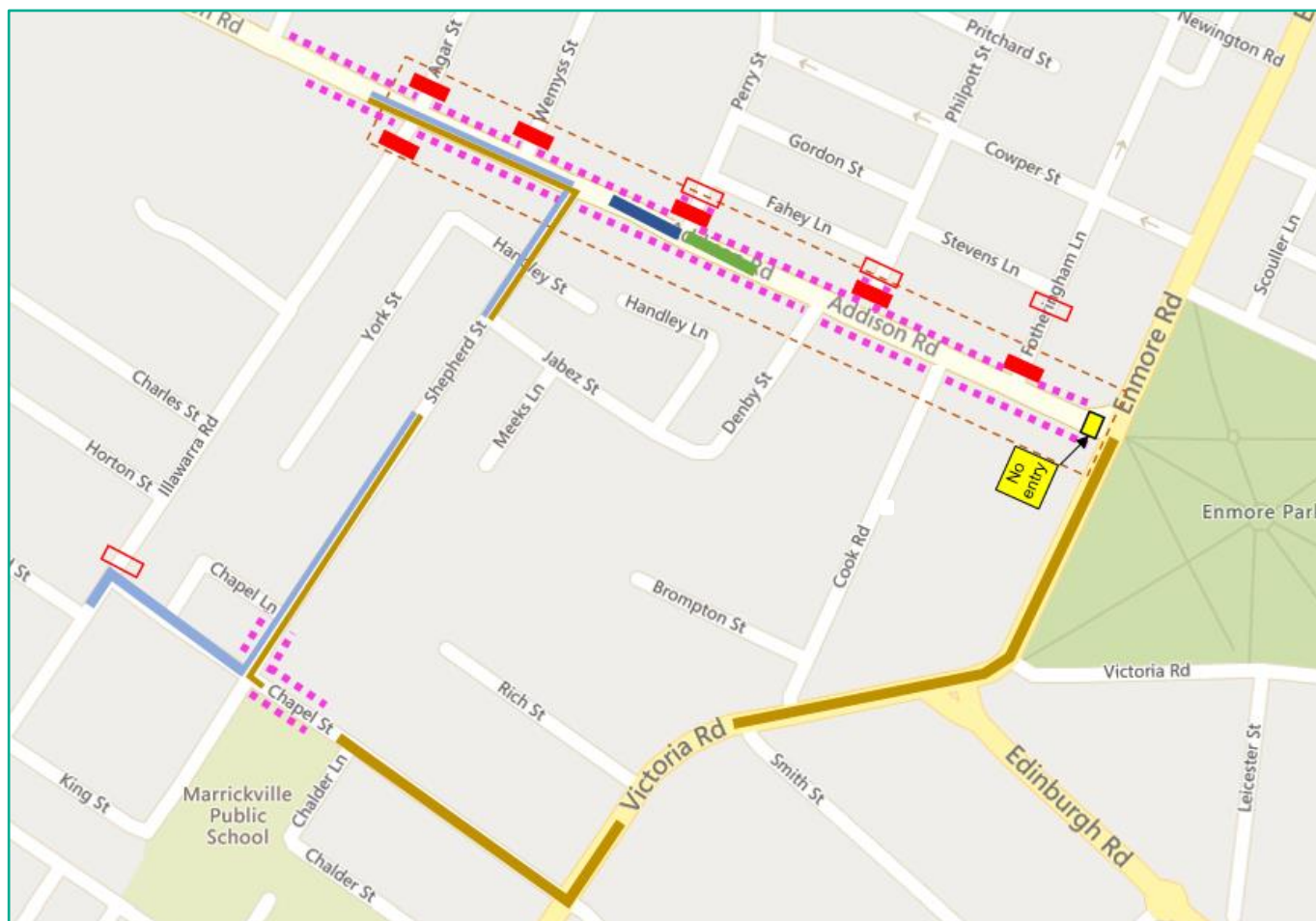
Work on **Addison Road east of Perry Street** will also involve:

- > Excavating the ground around the joint bay using a road saw and excavator.
- > Checking recently installed conduits using CCTV equipment.

## How will the work affect you?

- > **Addison Road will be closed for westbound traffic.** Detours will be in place on Addison Road travelling from Enmore Road to Illawarra Road. Motorists will need to detour via Victoria Road, Chapel Street and Shepherd Street.
- > Addison Road will be **open to westbound traffic from 3pm to 7pm Monday to Friday, and from 6pm Saturday to 6am Monday**.
- > **Illawarra Road, Agar Street, Wemyss Street, Perry Street, Philpott Street and Fotheringham Lane** will be temporarily closed at their intersection with Addison Road when work is taking place at that intersection.
- > Some work activities will be noisy but we will make every effort to keep noise to a minimum.
- > There will be a temporary loss of street parking on **Addison Road, Illawarra Road, Chapel Street, Shepherd Street, Perry Street and Philpott Street**. We will endeavour to maximise as much street parking as possible.
- > An alternative route will be provided if any diversions or temporary closures of pedestrian pathways are required.
- > Residents and businesses may experience short delays to access properties. Driveway access will be maintained where possible.
- > If we anticipate that access will be disrupted for an extended period, we will inform you in advance.

## Location of work



### Legend

- Work area (cable installation)
  - Work area (conduit inspections)
  - Work area (road restoration)
  - No entry
  - Full road closure (no access to or from Addison Road)
  - Resident and business access point
  - Addison Rd westbound traffic detour
  - Illawarra Rd traffic detour
  - Ongoing parking removal as required (24/7)
- Addison Road closed to westbound traffic from Enmore Road **except** for 3pm – 7pm Mon-Fri and 6pm Sat to 6am Mon.

## Contact us

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Powering Sydney’s Future project team on 1800 955 588 or at [psf@transgrid.com.au](mailto:psf@transgrid.com.au).

### COVID-19 Safety protocols

The health and safety of our people, customers and the community and ensuring a reliable supply of electricity to NSW and the ACT are our highest priorities during the COVID-19 crisis.

TransGrid and our contractors, as a minimum, adhere to the recommendations of SafeWork NSW along with the advice of other state and federal authorities to effectively manage the risk of COVID-19 to workers and others in the work environment. This involves maintaining effective controls including social distancing, stringent hygiene and specific work planning and access protocols at our work sites.



For an interpreter please call **131 450** and ask them to call TransGrid on **1800 955 588**. The interpreter will then assist you with translation.

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