

Powering Sydney's Future

POTTS HILL TO ALEXANDRIA TRANSMISSION CABLE PROJECT COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

Work update for Hay Street and Harmony Street, Ashbury

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 electricity supply for Sydney's CBD and surrounding areas. You can view a map of the cable route at www.transgrid.com.au/psf.

This letter is to provide you with an update on the underbore of Cooks River and Lees Park affecting Hay Street and Harmony Street.

Underbore update

Work to drill a bore beneath Cooks River and Lees Park started on Thursday 25 March 2021. At 260 metres long, 13 metres deep and with seven holes to drill for cable conduits, this is one of the most complex underbores on the project.

Progress to date has been slower than planned due to extremely hard ground conditions, which influence how our equipment operates. This will mean that completion of this underbore is now expected by **mid-June 2021**. Work hours will continue to be Monday to Friday 7am to 6pm, and Saturday 8am to 1pm.

We sincerely apologise that the work is taking longer than originally planned and thank you for your ongoing patience.

Temporary road closure on Hay Street and Harmony Street

In late May/early June, we will need to temporarily close Hay Street and Harmony Street on **three occasions** to install three sections of pipe in the recently drilled bores. The closure will be in place for up to four hours **between 10am and 2pm**.

At the time we are delivering this letter, we are unable to provide you with specific dates of the closure, but can confirm **resident access will be maintained** as shown on the map overleaf. The road closure will result in a detour for through traffic via Cheviot Street and Crieff Street.

Please let us know via the contact details below if you would like to receive a phone call from the project team at least one day before the road closure is required.

How will the road closure affect you?

- > Traffic control will be in place to safely direct traffic around the site.
- > Road users may experience short delays to access local properties.
- > There may be temporary closures of footpaths, but we will provide an alternative route for pedestrians.
- > If we expect your driveway access will be disrupted, we will inform you in advance and discuss arrangements.



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Community Information Line: 1800 955 588

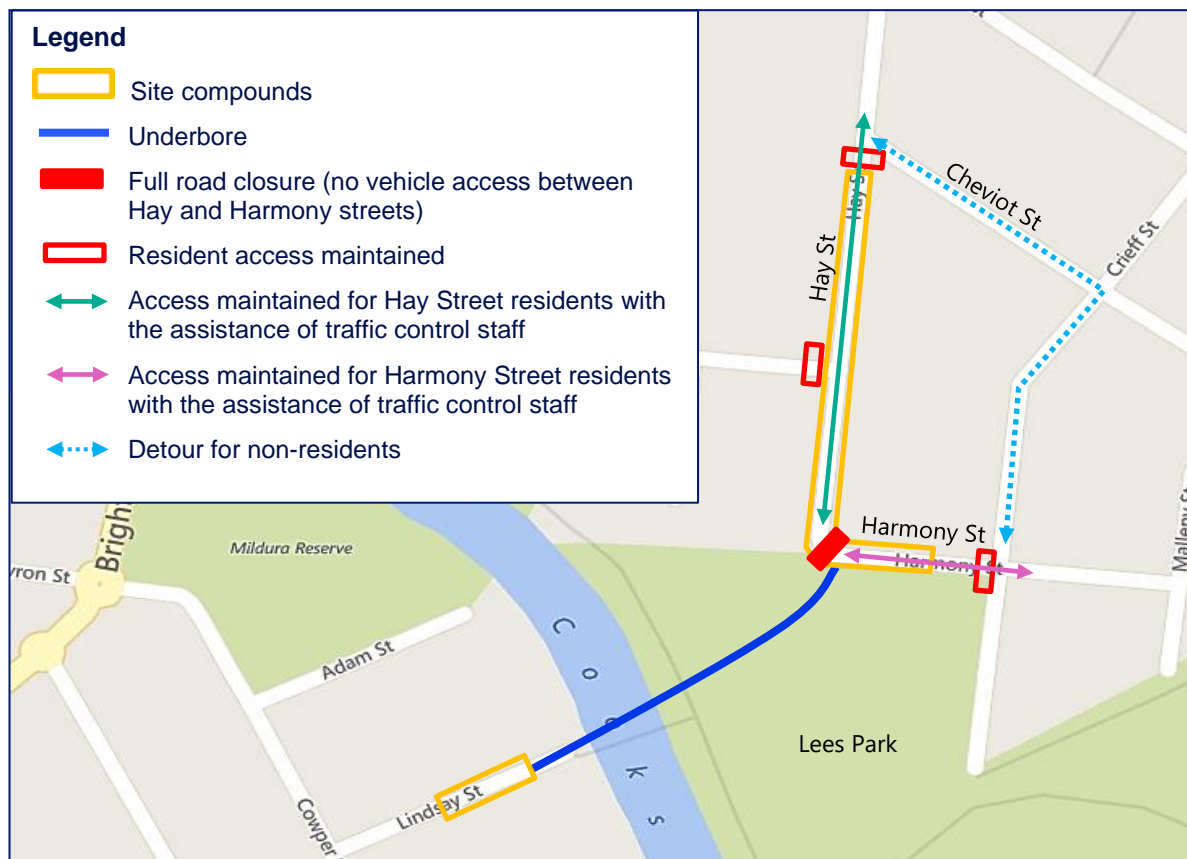
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Location of work



What's next

We expect to be working on Hay Street and Harmony Street until July 2021, but work will not be continuous during this period. Once the underbore is completed in mid-June, we will continue with trenching on Harmony Street between Hay Street and Crieff Street, installing and joining cables at the recently installed joint bay, installing a second joint bay and some minor ancillary pits, as well as temporarily restoring the road surface. We will keep you advised of these activities.

Once all work is complete in the area and the cable is installed and tested, we will permanently restore the road surface.

Contact us

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Powering Sydney's Future project team on 1800 955 588, or email at 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.



131 450

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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