# Powering Sydney's Future

POTTS HILL TO ALEXANDRIA TRANSMISSION CABLE PROJECT COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

## Joining of cables at Hillcrest Avenue, Greenacre

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.

We thank you for your patience during our work so far. As part of the next stage of the project, work to join sections of the underground cable in the joint bay at **Hillcrest Avenue**, **Greenacre**, will start from **4 January 2021**. This work will take up to three weeks to complete, weather permitting. Please refer to the map overleaf for the for the location of the joint bay.

#### **Work activities**

- > Installing temporary fencing and safety barriers.
- > Trimming trees may be required to create a safe distance from plant and equipment (conducted by a trained arborist).
- > Setting up a temporary canopy with an air conditioning unit over the joint bay (at least 10 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.
- > Using a de-watering pump as required in wet weather.
- > Any localised nature strip restoration work that may be necessary.

#### **Work hours**

Work will typically be done 7am to 6pm, Monday to Saturday but work may extend beyond 6pm from time to time as steps in the process of joining cables need to continue until they are completed.

#### How will the work affect you?

- > Work to join cables occurs only at joint bays, so there will be fewer traffic impacts than our earlier excavation work.
- > There will be noise from vehicles and equipment as the site is set up and packed up.
- > Most of the work will involve using hand tools within the temporary canopy so we expect the main impact will be low level noise generated at night A security guard will remain onsite around the clock until work to join the cables is completed.
- > There will be a temporary loss of street parking around 10 metres while work is in progress.
- > Road users may experience short delays in accessing local properties. If we anticipate that your driveway access may be disrupted, we will inform you in advance and discuss arrangements.
- An alternative route will be provided wherever any diversions or temporary closures of pedestrian and cyclist pathways are required.

#### Contact us

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Powering Sydney's Future project team on 1800 955 588 or at <a href="mailto:psf@transgrid.com.au">psf@transgrid.com.au</a>.



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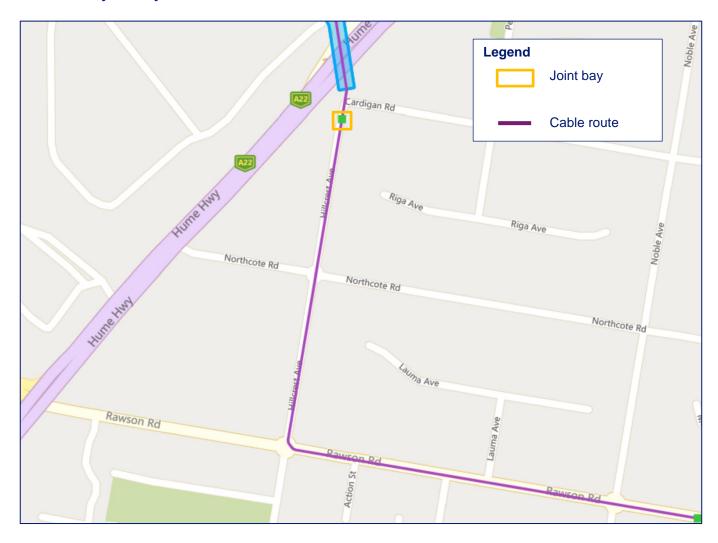
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### Location of joint bay work



#### **COVID-19 safety protocols**

The health and safety of our people 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 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.