



Updated: monthly update – Princes Highway, President Avenue and West Botany Street

M6 Stage 1

December 2025



Transport for NSW acknowledges the Bidjigal, Dharawal, Gweagal and Gadigal clans of the Eora Nation as the Traditional Custodians of the lands on which we work and pays respect to Elders past and present.

M6 Stage 1 will connect President Avenue at Kogarah to the M8 at Arncliffe via a four-kilometre tunnel, linking southern Sydney to the wider motorway network.

What work are we doing?

Roadwork and utility upgrades continue during December along President Avenue, Princes Highway, West Botany Street, Rockdale Bicentennial Park and Motorway Operation Centre (MOC3). This is expected to be the final month of surface works. Thank you for your patience during these works.

When and where we'll be working

Our standard construction hours are 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday and 8am to 6pm, Saturday.

We are approved to work out-of-hours from 6pm to 7am, for up to three weeknights per week, no more than two consecutive weeknights and a maximum of 10 nights per month per zone.

Updated out-of-hours work dates and locations are shown in the table and map overleaf. Out-of-hours work is scheduled to take place between Monday 1 and Friday 19 December 2025. If work is delayed due to weather or site conditions, it will be carried out on the next available night shift.

What will this mean for you?

You may notice:

- workers, vehicles and truck movements
- temporary road closures and reduced speed limits on approach and at work areas
- temporary pedestrian and cyclist closures or detours, with traffic controllers on site to guide you
- boom gates, concrete barriers and stop-slow traffic management.

Traffic set up may extend beyond our work areas. Please follow the direction of signage and traffic control personnel.

Managing our impacts

Properties near our work areas will experience noise and vibration, particularly during certain activities such as rock breaking, piling activities and vibratory rolling.

We regularly monitor noise, dust, and vibration near our sites and ensure appropriate mitigation measures are in place, this includes but is not limited to:

- installing temporary fencing with noise blankets, using non-tonal movement alarms and noise control kits
- pausing high impact noise and vibration activities every three hours to provide respite.



Area	Work locations and night work dates	Day and night activities
Zone C	Princes Highway between French Street and South Street • 3 and 4 December • 8, 10 and 11 December • 15, 17 and 18 December	• Utility and watermain upgrades. • Installing signposts and road furniture. • Traffic signal adjustments. • Continuing finishing works, including kerbs, gutters, ACO drains, medians, landscaping, shared path, asphaltting, and line marking. • Pavement level correction and reinstatement. • Pavement final wearing course and line markings. • Ongoing property adjustment activities and fence installation, on the southern side of the Princes Highway.
Zone B	President Avenue between Princes Highway and West Botany Street • 2 and 4 December • 8, 9 and 11 December • 15, 16 and 18 December	• Continuing finishing works, including kerbs, gutters, laybacks, ACO drains, medians, landscaping, shared path, asphaltting, and line marking. • Completing stormwater upgrades, including installing pits, drainage systems and service inspections. • Installing signposts and road furniture. • Accessing and removing redundant services. • Pavement level correction and reinstatement. • Pavement final wearing course and line markings. • Ongoing property adjustment activities on the southern side of President Avenue. • Traffic signal works at Moorefield Avenue. • Bayside Council will be upgrading footpaths in the area during December. They will notify you of these works separately.
Zone A West	President Avenue between West Botany Street and President Avenue bridge • 2 and 4 December • 8, 9 and 11 December • 15, 16 and 18 December	• Continuing finishing works, including kerbs, gutters, ACO drains, medians, landscaping and shared pathway. • Pavement level correction and reinstatement. • Pavement final wearing course and line markings. • Traffic signal and lane adjustments. • Completing stormwater upgrades, including installing new drainage systems. • Completing pavement upgrades on Civic Avenue. • Installing signposts and road furniture.
Zone A East	President Avenue between President Avenue bridge and Crawford Road • 2 and 3 December • 10 and 11 December	• Continuing finishing works, including kerbs, gutters, ACO drains, medians, landscaping and shared pathway. • Pavement level correction and reinstatement, final wearing course and line markings • Relocation of water hydrants • Accessing the stormwater line and completing medians, line marking, footpath and asphaltting works at the O'Neill Street cul-de-sac. • Landscaping preparation, including removing and planting new vegetation. • Traffic signal adjustment at O'Connell Street. • Reinstating the cul-de-sac at Colson Crescent.

		Bayside Council will be upgrading footpaths in the area during December. They will notify you of these works separately.
 Zone East	President Avenue between Crawford Road and The Grand Parade 3 and 4 December 10 and 11 December 17 and 18 December	- Intelligent traffic systems signage and signal works on The Grand Parade. - Maintenance of pre-existing pile outside 177 President Avenue. - Bayside Council will be upgrading footpaths in the area during December. They will notify you of these works separately.
 WBS and MOC3	West Botany Street between President Avenue and MOC3 2 and 4 December 8, 9 and 11 December 15, 16 and 18 December	- Continuing finishing works, including kerbs, gutters, ACO drains, driveways, medians, landscaping, shared path, asphaltting, line marking. - Accessing and upgrading communication assets including conduit installation and piling works for future signals and signage. - Concrete placement, steel fixing and scaffold modification activities at MOC3. - Milling and resheeting for pavement restoration. - Bayside Council will be upgrading footpaths in the area during December. They will notify you of these works separately.
  	Bicentennial Park, O'Neill Street and Colson Crescent site compounds These sites can be accessed outside of standard construction hours and work dates.	- Continuing structural steel and cladding install for the tunnel portal. - Collecting and relocating stockpiled material, delivering and relocating equipment and oversized plant. - Ongoing utility investigations and monitoring, as required - Footpath and vegetation works at the O'Neill Street cul-de-sac. - Installing signposts and road furniture. - Stormwater drainage upgrades in Bicentennial Park, including removing hoarding and installing temporary fencing near the southern carpark. - Removing temporary haul roads and hardstand areas. - Excavating, installing underground conduits and piling to install lighting poles along the shared pathway. - Removal of the temporary boundary wall at Bicentennial Park East, and installation of temporary fencing. - Landscaping, earthworks (including the use of vibratory roller), vegetation and tree removal, and constructing retaining walls for the shared pathway. - Ongoing concrete works and drainage upgrades for the Bado Berong bridge, as well as dewatering within the tunnel portal and for the shared pathway. - Ongoing concrete works, welding, painting, scaffolding, and installing, handrails, and drainage pipes for President Avenue bridge.

Opening of the shared pedestrian and cyclist pathway

The shared pedestrian and cyclist pathway at Scarborough Park will be open to the public by the end of the year. To celebrate, we'd like to invite you to come for a site walk with our team. Please register your interest by 8 December 2025 at info@M6Stage1.com.au and we'll come back to you with more information.

Permanent traffic and pedestrian changes

- Traffic changes have been made in Traynor Avenue and Lachal Avenue.
- Traffic lights have been installed at the Moorefield Avenue, President Avenue intersection. These lights will be activated in December.

Map of work area



Our holiday work schedule

We will be temporarily pausing our surface work activities from 6pm Friday 19 December 2025 until 7am Monday 5 January 2026 for the holiday break.

While we will not be working during this time, you may still notice our traffic, maintenance and security team in the area.

There may be finishing works to complete in January 2026 (if work in December is delayed due to weather conditions). We will notify the community of these works.

The Community Information Centre is now closed. You can still contact our team on 1800 789 297 or email info@M6Stage1.com.au.

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