



Transport for NSW

Warringah Freeway Upgrade Design and construct contract awarded

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About the Warringah Freeway Upgrade

The NSW Government's vision for Sydney is one of an integrated road and public transport network that gives you the freedom to choose how and when you get around, no matter where you live and work.

The Western Harbour Tunnel and Warringah Freeway Upgrade is a major transport infrastructure project that will make it easier, faster and safer to get around Sydney. By creating a western bypass of the Sydney CBD, the Western Harbour Tunnel will take pressure off the Sydney Harbour Bridge, Sydney Harbour Tunnel, ANZAC Bridge and Western Distributor corridors to improve transport capacity in and around Sydney Harbour.

The Western Harbour Tunnel and Warringah Freeway Upgrade project along with Beaches Link, is expected to support around 15,000 full-time equivalent jobs during construction.

We are pleased to announce we have achieved another significant project milestone with the design and construction of the Warringah Freeway Upgrade being awarded to CPB Contractors and Downer EDI Works in a joint venture.

The Warringah Freeway Upgrade is the first stage of work in the NSW Government's Western Harbour Tunnel and Beaches Link Program. The \$1.18 billion design and construction contract has been awarded to CPB Contractors and Downer EDI Works in a joint venture.

With CPB Contractors and Downer EDI Works on board, the first step over the coming months is to work with them to further develop plans on how we will manage the impacts of construction while we build the project.

These plans will detail how we will manage issues like noise and vibration, air quality, contamination, traffic and access and consider our community, stakeholders, road users and the local environment. The plans will describe the construction methods that will be used to minimise impacts to those who live, work and travel through the project area. You will be able to see these plans on our interactive portal once they are prepared and approved by the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment.

Warringah Freeway Upgrade Benefits



Upgrading and streamlining Warringah freeway

Get you to your destination faster



improving public transport connections



Supporting 600 direct jobs



Faster and more reliable bus services

Early works are already underway with the main work to start early next year. Construction is expected to take approximately five years to complete, subject to the detailed design and construction program.

The Western Harbour Tunnel and Beaches Link Program is expected to support up to 15,000 full-time-equivalent jobs during construction, with the Warringah Freeway Upgrade supporting up to 600 direct jobs. We look forward to working closely with our delivery partners, the community and our stakeholders during the delivery of the project.

Working with the community

We know building a project of this kind in a large busy city like Sydney, will come with some disruption to day to day life and will change the surroundings of residents living near our construction sites. Every effort is being made to work with our communities to minimise this.

We acknowledge that communities have changed due to the impact of COVID-19 and we will continue to ensure there is strong engagement between the community and the project team to identify opportunities and minimise impacts as we deliver this important project for Sydney.

We take this role seriously and are committed to being the best neighbour we can and ensuring the safety of the community and our workers. The community will continue to be kept updated throughout all phases of the project.

We are here to help and we encourage you to contact us to raise concerns or make enquiries at any time.

Getting to know your community survey

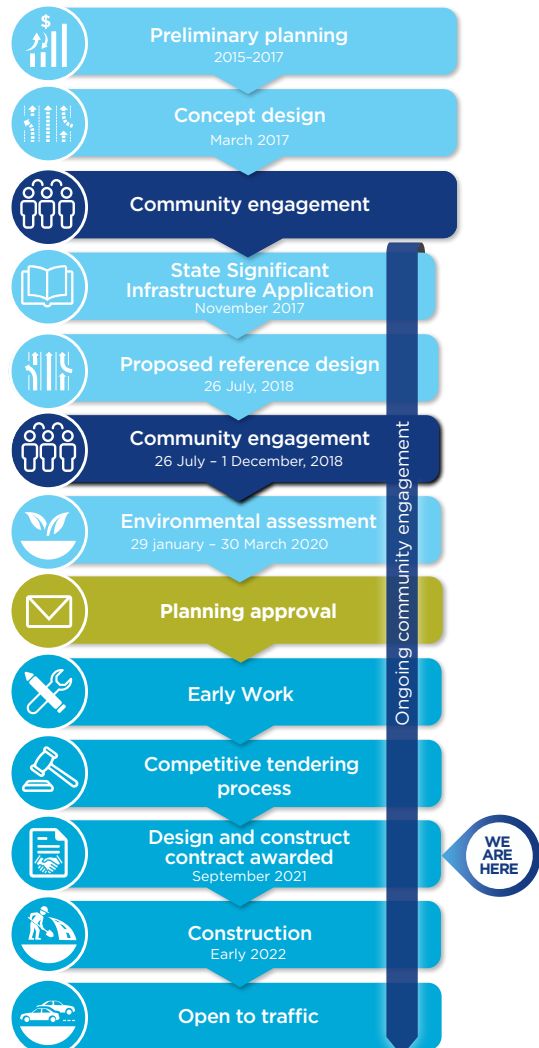
We are continuing to build our knowledge of your community and surrounding local businesses. If you haven't completed the survey yet, we invite you to participate in a short survey so we have a greater understanding of you and your circumstances.



To complete the survey, please use the QR code or visit: nswroads.work/wfucommunitysurvey

Early work program update

We are continuing our service and utility relocation work around the Warringah Freeway. For more information on this work, please see our 'Upcoming work' page on our portal: nswroads.work/whtportal



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Making a complaint about our work

To make an enquiry or a complaint about the project, you can call our community information line, which is available 24 hours a day and is attended during project operation hours. Enquiries and complaints may also be received by the project email and by post.

Privacy Statement: Transport for NSW ("we") are collecting your personal information in connection with public consultation on the Western Harbour Tunnel, Warringah Freeway Upgrade and Beaches Link projects ("the Program"). We will retain and use this information for consultation purposes, including communications and analysis in connection with the Program. We may share your submission or complaint with another NSW government agency where relevant having regard to the nature of the submission or complaint. Otherwise, except for anonymous information which does not identify you, we will not publish or disclose your personal information to any third parties without your consent unless authorised by law. Providing your personal information is voluntary but if you do not provide it we may not include you on our stakeholder database and you might miss further consultation opportunities. Your personal information will be held and managed by Transport for NSW in accordance with the Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998 and you can contact us to access or correct it. Please email us at whtbl@transport.nsw.gov.au, write to us at Transport for NSW, Locked Bag 928, North Sydney NSW 2059, or call us on 1800 931 189.