

Mulch removal and replacement works: Preserving trees and vegetation | 2024

What has occurred?

Sections of the Rozelle Parklands and associated sites within Rozelle Interchange tested positive for traces of bonded asbestos. The testing of mulch samples was undertaken by independent occupational hygienists and have returned positive results showing traces of “bonded” asbestos.

Preservation during mulch removal

John Holland CPB Contractors (JHCPB) will be removing all mulch in areas that have been identified by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), in addition to a number of publicly accessible areas. The mulch will be removed using a variety of techniques including hand tools to avoid damaging plants or trees.

JHCPB will endeavor to minimise damage caused to the established parkland and if any damage occurs, these plants will be replaced prior to the reopening of the parklands.

During this period of mulch removal and replacements works, JHCPB will be responsible for the maintenance of the Rozelle Parklands.

Clearance after mulch removal

Once the mulch has been removed from the Parklands and surrounding locations, the area will be inspected by an independent qualified and certified consultant once the mulch has been removed. A clearance certificate will be issued by a licensed Asbestos Assessor. This certificate will verify that the trees and vegetation are free from any contamination.

If you would like to know more about the construction work, please contact us via the details provided below:

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