# **Powering Sydney's Future**

## POTTS HILL TO ALEXANDRIA TRANSMISSION CABLE PROJECT

## COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

## Repair work in Omaha Street, Belfield

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 <u>www.transgrid.com.au/psf</u>.

As we advised in our recent letter, construction resumed in Seventh Avenue on Monday 16 August 2021. During the conduit inspection process, a section of conduit was found to be damaged in Omaha Street.

This section will need to be re-excavated and repaired.

From **Monday 30 August 2021**, work will start in **Omaha Street**, **Belfield**, to repair the damaged section of conduit. This work will occur at the same time as the other work underway in Seventh Avenue that we recently advised you of (see map overleaf).

Work in Omaha Street will include re-excavating the road surface to expose the previously installed conduits, repairing the damaged section, and then temporarily restoring the road surface.

Following completion of our work, the impacted road surface will be permanently restored by City of Canterbury Bankstown Council. You will be advised by Council (or its contractor) at least 48 hours prior to this restoration work starting in the area.

### Work hours

Work hours are 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturdays.

#### How will the repair work affect you?

- > At times, Omaha Street will be closed between First Avenue and Lincoln Street to enable repairs to be completed. Access for residents will be maintained with the help of traffic controllers.
- > Some work activities will be noisy but we will make every effort to keep noise to a minimum.
- > There will be a temporary loss of street parking. We will endeavour to maximise street parking where possible.
- > An alternative route will be provided if any diversions or closures of pedestrian pathways are required.
- > Residents and businesses may experience short delays to access properties.
- > Driveway access will be maintained where possible. If we anticipate that access will be disrupted for an extended period, we will inform you in advance.
- > Please refer to our recent letter regarding how the associated work in Seventh Avenue may affect you.

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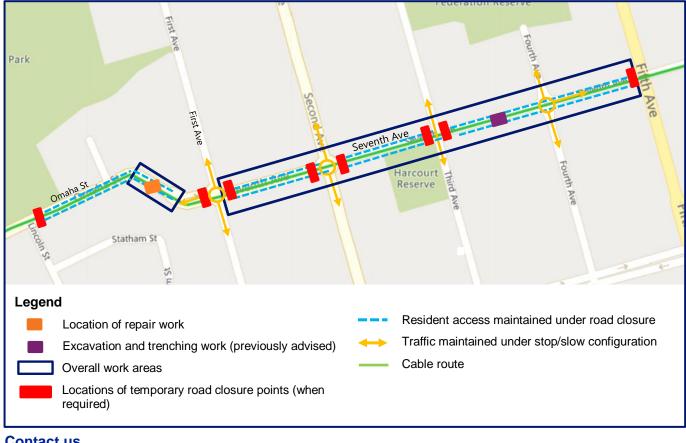
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#### **Repair work activities in Omaha Street**

- > Installing temporary fencing and safety barriers.
- Delivering plant and equipment to site. >
- Trimming trees to create a safe distance from plant and equipment (directed by a qualified arborist). >
- Using a pump/vacuum truck to remove water as required. >
- Excavating the ground around the previously installed conduit using a road saw and excavator. >
- Repairing the damaged section of conduit using milling machine attachment and hand tools. >
- Checking conduit using CCTV equipment. >
- Covering the excavated sections of road with steel plates where required to maintain traffic flow. >
- Temporarily restoring the road surface to allow normal traffic flow. >

### Location of repair work in Omaha Street and previously advised work in Seventh Avenue



#### **Contact us**

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



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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