

Powering Sydney's Future

POTTS HILL TO ALEXANDRIA TRANSMISSION CABLE PROJECT COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

Work update for Charles Street, Marrickville

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 appreciate our work and associated traffic changes have caused disruption to the local area and we thank you for your patience and cooperation so far. The cables are now being joined together inside the joint bay (marked orange on the map overleaf) and this work will take another one to two weeks to complete.

This letter is to advise you of remaining work activities in Charles Street. After the cables are joined inside the joint bay, we expect to complete the work outlined below by **late August 2021**. Work in Charles Street may not be continuous during this period.

Remaining work

- Excavation**
 We will open up the previously constructed joint bay (marked purple on the map overleaf) and use CCTV to inspect the conduits we have already installed.
- Testing**
 Testing the new cable involves a crew lifting the lid off the previously installed communications pits, and using hand tools to monitor the cable's performance.
- Permanent restoration**
 We will do concreting at the communications pits located in the road and grass verge.

The road surface on Charles Street will be permanently restored at a later stage in consultation with Inner West Council. Residents will be advised prior to this work starting.

Work hours

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

How will the work affect you?

- > **At times, Charles Street will be closed to through traffic between Amy Street and Illawarra Road.** Access for residents will be maintained.
- > 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.



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Work activities

All activities will involve:

- > 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.

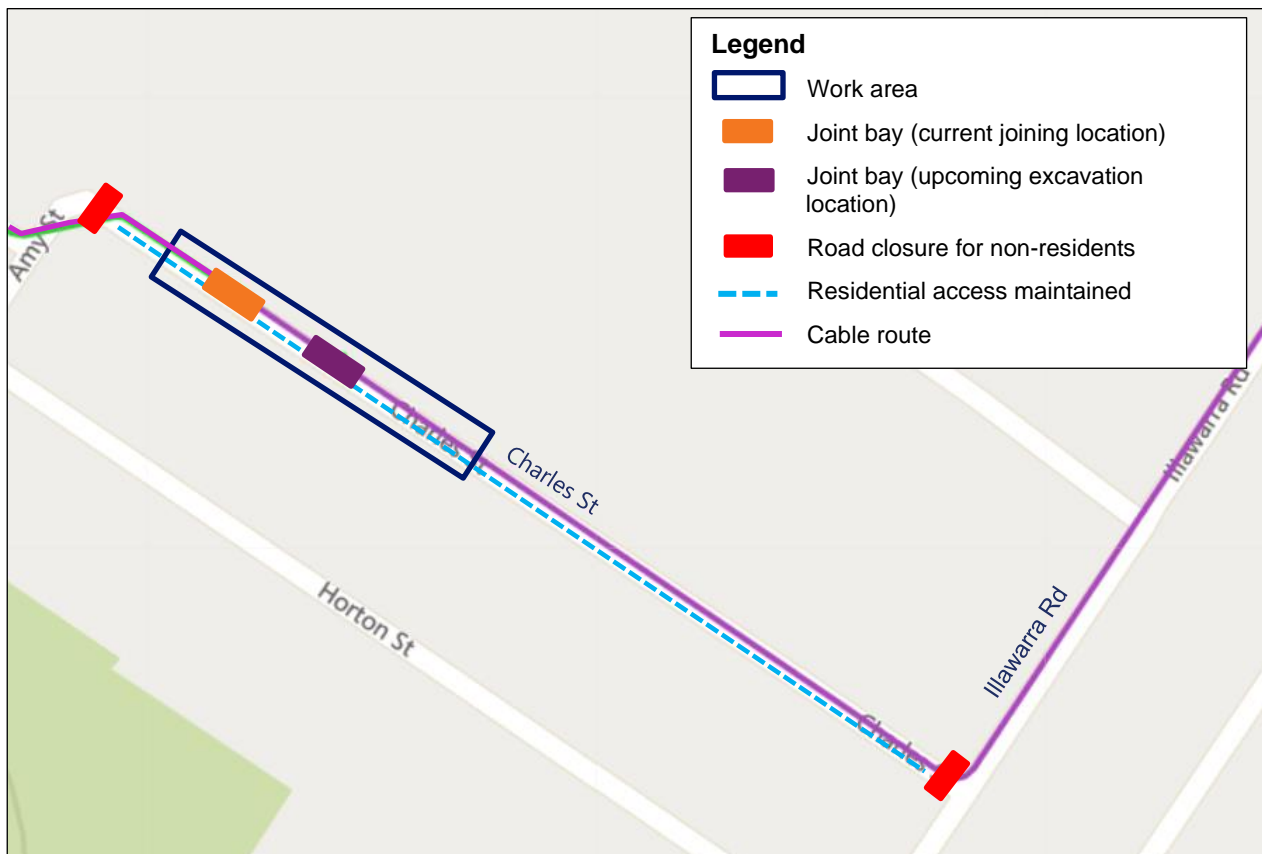
Excavation will also involve:

- > Excavating the ground around the joint bay using a road saw and excavator.
- > Checking recently installed conduits using CCTV equipment.
- > Covering any excavated sections of road with steel plates where required to maintain traffic flow.
- > Temporarily restoring the road surface to allow normal traffic flow.

Permanent restoration will also involve:

- > Concreting work at the communications pits in the road and grass verge.

Location of work



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.



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