

Powering Sydney's Future

POTTS HILL TO ALEXANDRIA TRANSMISSION CABLE PROJECT COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION

Current and upcoming work on Lindsay Street, Campsie

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 electricity supply for Sydney's CBD and surrounding areas. You can view a map of the cable route at www.transgrid.com.au/psf.

This letter is to provide you with an update on the underbore on Lindsay Street and upcoming work to install ancillary pits near the Cowper Street intersection.

1. Underbore update

Work to drill a bore beneath Cooks River and Lees Park started on Thursday 25 March. At 260 metres long and 13 metres deep, this is one of the most complex underbores on the project.

Due to extremely hard ground conditions, work to complete the underbore has been extended and is now expected to be continue until **mid June**.

We sincerely apologise that the work is taking longer than originally anticipated and thank you for your ongoing patience.

2. Installation of ancillary pits

We are installing underground fibre optic communications equipment for the monitoring and control of the new electricity cable. Ancillary pits are required for this equipment.

Work to install ancillary pits at **Lindsay Street, Campsie** will start from **Wednesday 5 May** and will take around two weeks to complete, weather and ground conditions permitting. Please refer to the map overleaf for the location of the ancillary pits.

Work activities

- > Installing temporary fencing and safety barriers around the worksite.
- > Tree trimming may be required to create a safe distance from plant and equipment (directed by a trained arborist).
- > Excavating ancillary pits up to two metres long and two metres wide either in the road, footpath or grass verge.
- > Installing precast concrete sections in the pit to form the floor and walls of the ancillary pits.
- > Excavating a narrow trench to connect the pit to the cable trench in the road.
- > Using a dewatering pump/vacuum truck as required, particularly in wet weather.
- > Temporary restoring the road, footpath and grass verge surface to allow normal traffic flow.

Work hours

Standard work hours are **7am – 6pm, Monday to Friday** and **8am – 1pm on Saturday**.



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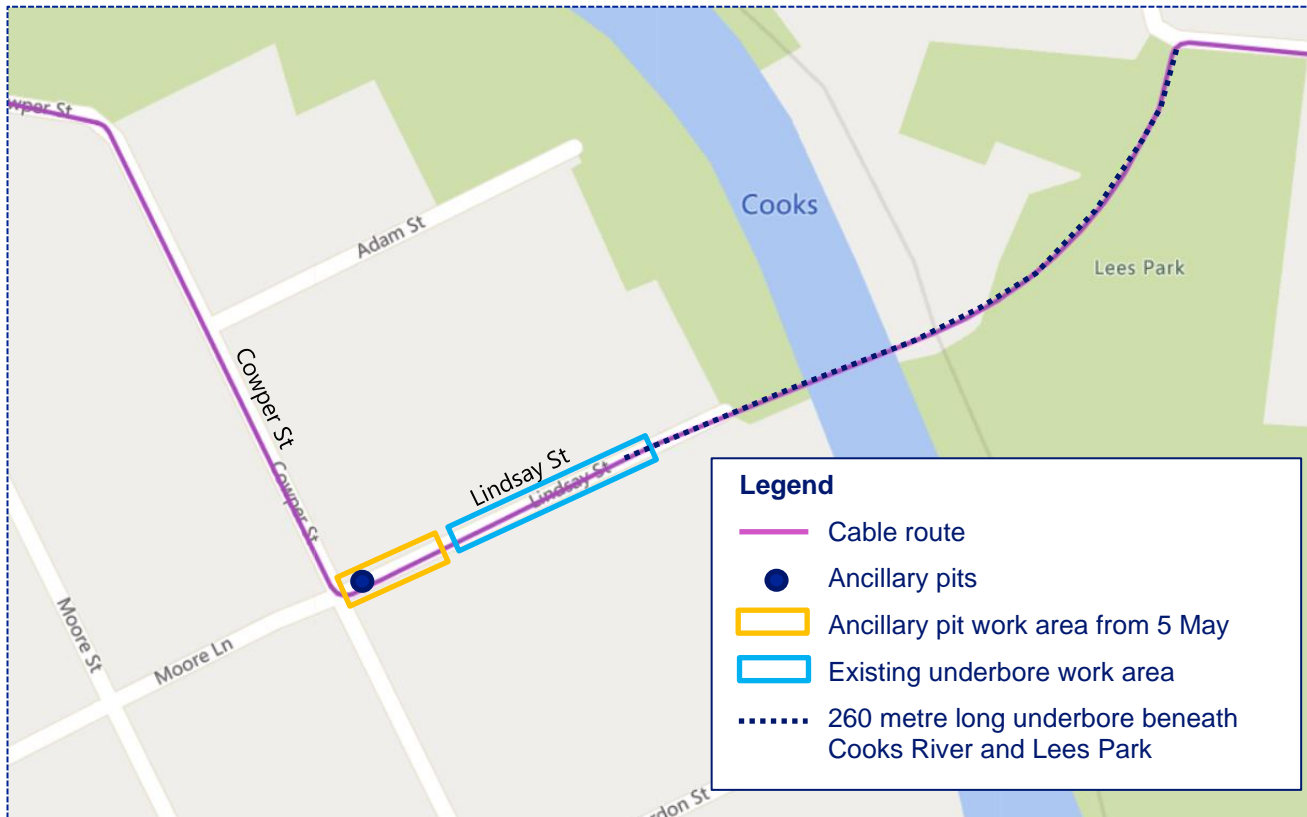
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How will the installation of ancillary pits affect you?

- > There will be temporary lane closures to ensure the safety of workers, road users and residents, although two-way traffic flows will be maintained. Traffic control will be in place to safely direct traffic around the site.
- > The work will be noisy at times, but every effort will be made to keep noise to a minimum.
- > There will be a temporary loss of street parking while work is in progress.
- > Road users may experience short delays to access local properties.
- > There may be temporary closures of footpaths, but we will provide an alternative route for pedestrians.
- > If we expect your driveway access will be disrupted, we will inform you in advance and discuss arrangements.

Location of work



What's next

We expect to be working on Lindsay Street until July 2021 but work will not be continuous during this period. Once the underbore is completed in mid June, we will dig a trench to connect the electrical earthing system for the new cables. We will also open up an already excavated cable pulling pit on Lindsay Street near the Cowper Street intersection to assist with cable installation. We will keep you advised of these activities.

Once all work is complete in the area and the cable is installed and tested, we will permanently restore the road surface.

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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