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An update about work in your area

We're renewing the water main along Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach.

This is not just about pipes. It's about water – clean, life sustaining water. Our work will ensure we can continue to give you clean and reliable water every day.

What do I need to know?

We recently wrote to you about renewing a section of the water main along Old Barrenjoey Road in Avalon Beach. As mentioned in our last letter, our work will be split into two stages

 Section 1 and Section 2.
Please scan the QR code for more details on the work staging.



Timing of our work



Our work for **Section 1** planned to start on **Monday 10 March** and is expected to take about 22 weeks to complete, weather and ground conditions permitting.

We'll write to you again before work starts in Section 2 to provide more details about our work and confirm our exact start date.

We expect to finish construction by the end of October 2025, weather and ground conditions permitting.

Night work hours



Our work in **Section 1** needs to be done at night to reduce the impact on daytime traffic flows and local businesses.

Our night work hours are 8 pm to 5 am, Monday nights to Friday mornings (four nights a week). We won't work on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday nights, or on Public Holidays.



What can I expect?

We understand our work can be disruptive. We will make every effort to reduce our impact as much as possible. You may experience:

Noise



There will be some noise from our equipment and machinery during the work. We will finish the noisiest work (e.g. saw cutting) by **midnight**, minimise vehicle movements and avoid unnecessary loud noises where possible.

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Traffic and parking changes



In Section 1, we'll need to temporarily close part of Old Barrenjoey Road where we're working at night. Our friendly traffic controllers will maintain access for residents, and parking on either side of our work zone. General traffic will be detoured via connecting streets.

At the end of each night shift, we'll restore the road so it can be used as normal during the day.

We'll need up to borrow up to eight parking spaces for equipment storage next to our work area. This storage area will move along the road as we progress.

Temporary traffic changes - Section 1

Temporary road closures in place during night work hours. Access maintained for residents and parking. Temporary storage area in parking lane (up to eight spaces borrowed)

Impact to your services



Your water services **may** be temporarily interrupted on up to five nights during offpeak hours. If you are affected by these shutdowns, you will receive a separate letter with more information.

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Where do I get more information?

Keep up to date with weekly emails



Join our email list to get weekly updates about our construction activities in the months to come. Scan the QR code, call or email our team to join.

You'll only receive emails about this project, and we won't share your details without your permission.



Come and talk with us



We'll have monthly drop-in sessions in Dunbar Park. Our team will be there to discuss our work and answer any questions you have.

When: First Wednesday of every month, between 1 pm and 4 pm.

Next session: Wednesday 5 March, 1 pm to 4 pm.

Visit our project website



For more information and updates, visit our project website by scanning the QR code.

Contact us

We are always here to keep you updated and discuss any concerns you may have during the coming months. To know more, please contact us at confluence@sydneywater.com.au or call 1800 943 119.

We sincerely appreciate your patience and understanding during this important work.