

# We're working 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'll soon begin renewing a section of the water main along Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach. We're also working closely with Northern Beaches Council to plan this work.

The map over the page shows our work area.

Before we start our work, we need to confirm where our pipes and other services are below the ground. This will help us plan for the work and save time when we begin construction.

## Your water services won't be impacted during investigations.

Once we've finished our investigation work, we will return in mid-2023 to start construction of the new water main. We expect construction to take about four months. We'll write to you again to let you know before we start.

### Timing of investigations



Our investigations will start **in late November 2022**. Based on our proposed night work schedule, we expect the investigations to take about **four weeks** to complete, weather and ground conditions permitting.

### Our work hours



These investigations need 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**.

## Night work schedule

We understand our work can be disruptive, especially when we need to work at night. We're asking the local community for feedback on our night work schedule, to minimise the impact our work has on you.

If you've already provided your feedback on our night work schedule via the business survey in October, you don't need to complete this survey again.

### Proposed night work schedule



Our proposal is to work **four consecutive nights** a week from Monday night to Friday morning, followed by three nights off (Friday, Saturday and Sunday).

### Alternative option A



**Three consecutive nights** a week from Monday night to Thursday morning, followed by four nights off (Thursday to Sunday).

Using this schedule, our night work would take longer to complete overall compared to the proposed night work schedule.

### Alternative option B



**Five consecutive nights** a week from Monday night to Saturday morning, followed by two nights off (Saturday and Sunday).

Using this schedule, our night work would take less time to complete overall compared to the proposed night work schedule.

## Have your say

If you prefer one of the alternative options, please scan the QR code and give us your feedback by **Friday 18 November**.



If you prefer to provide your feedback over the phone, you can contact our team on **1800 943 119**.

We will carefully consider all feedback before we finalise our night work schedule. We will write to you again to confirm the night work schedule before we start our investigations in late November.

## How will this work impact me?

We'll make every effort to reduce the impact of our work as much as possible. You may experience:

### Noise



There will be some noise from our equipment and machinery during the investigations. We will finish the noisiest work by midnight, minimise vehicle movements and avoid unnecessary loud noises where possible.

### Temporary storage area



We'll establish a temporary laydown area for this work to store our equipment and materials for our investigations. The area will be fenced off to keep our work area and the community safe.

### Temporary parking changes



We will need to take some parking spaces while we do this work. We'll put up barriers and signs where temporary parking changes apply.

## Traffic changes



We'll have traffic control and signage in place to keep traffic flowing safely around our work areas.

While we're working near Woolworths, we'll need to close part of Old Barrenjoey Road for **up to four nights**. Traffic will be detoured via local streets during our work hours and access to the Woolworths carpark will be maintained.

## Where do I get more information?

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](mailto:confluence@sydneywater.com.au) or call **1800 943 119**.

### Investigations on Old Barrenjoey Road, Avalon Beach

