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## Refresh Vaucluse Diamond Bay Project | Reinstatement of two way traffic and parking on Carlisle Street from Hamilton Street to Fernleigh Avenue | May 2026

Sydney Water and its delivery partner Abergeldie Complex Infrastructure (ACI) are constructing a new pump station at Parsley Bay and supporting infrastructure which will redirect untreated wastewater from one of the last remaining ocean outfalls and transfer it to the [Bondi Water Resource Recovery Facility \(WRRF\)](#).

### Project update

We have completed the installation of 3 new maintenance holes and some underground wastewater pipes on Carlisle Street from Fernleigh Avenue to Dover Road. A new work area has been established on the corner of Dover Road and Carlisle Street and on Ian Street, and we continue with the excavation and construction of new maintenance holes, electrical kiosk and wastewater pipeline in Rose Bay.

The **Stage 4** work continues and includes some minor design amendments – resulting in less activity in the compound on the corner of Dover Road and Carlisle Street. **24/7 one way traffic flow on Carlisle Street from Dover Road to Hamilton Street** will remain in place. This work is expected to be complete by **July 2026**, weather permitting.

### Carlisle Street construction activities, parking and traffic changes

From **Monday 18 May 2026 to Friday 22 May 2026** weather permitting, we will begin reducing our construction footprint by removing the site compounds located outside of 33 - 37 and 45 - 53 Carlisle Street. This will involve the re-surfacing and restoring of our construction footprint on Carlisle Street and reinstating two way traffic flow and parking on Carlisle Street from Hamilton Street to Fernleigh Avenue.

We anticipate that two way traffic flow and parking will be reinstated by **Saturday 23 May 2026**. We greatly appreciate your patience during this important work.

We will be installing a ventilation shaft on Carlisle Street, opposite Conway Avenue before project completion. The ventilation shaft will be placed on a concrete footing, is approximately 14 m high and 250 mm in diameter, with a u-shaped bend at the base. Ventilation shafts are painted green to blend into the environment, and are commonly situated around neighbourhoods to allow air to enter and exit the wastewater system. We will update the community closer to this work and outline the expected impacts.

### Traffic impacts and changes:

- **two way traffic and parking on Carlisle Street** will be reinstated from Hamilton Street to Fernleigh Avenue
- **24/7 one way** eastbound traffic on Carlisle Street from Dover Road to Hamilton Street
- reduced **40 km per hour speed limit** around our work area on Dover Road and Carlisle Street
- **no right turn** from Ian Lane to Carlisle Street
- School drop off and pick up will be available on Carlisle Street, opposite McAuley Catholic Primary School
- driveways will remain open for local resident access on Carlisle Street and Dover Road.

For the safety of pedestrians, motorists and the community, traffic detours and a **40km** per hour speed limit will be in place.

**Traffic management**

Traffic control, signage, detours and digital message boards will be in place on Dover Road, Carlisle Street and the surrounding area to direct road users. These arrangements are essential to ensure the safety of residents, pedestrians, workers, and motorists during our work. Additional traffic management will be in place during school drop off and pick up times. We are working with McAuley Catholic Primary School, Out of School Hours Care and The Scot’s Early Years Centre to coordinate safe access for children and parents.

**Work hours**

Our work hours will be from **Monday to Friday, between 7 am to 6 pm** and on **Saturdays between 8 am to 1 pm**. If we need to work outside these hours, we will notify residents in advance.

**Equipment**

Equipment and machinery to be used for the work may include:

- generator, tipper truck, excavator, drum roller and road saw.

**To minimise impacts we will**

- have exclusion zones around work areas, turn off machinery when not in use.

**Stage 4 work area and traffic changes**



**Stage 4 detours to Carlisle Street**



**Contact**

We will provide regular updates to the community as the work progresses. If you have any questions, please contact our community engagement team on **1800 641 349** or email us on [vaucusediamondbay@sydneywater.com.au](mailto:vaucusediamondbay@sydneywater.com.au).



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