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## Upcoming construction activities and traffic impacts on Hopetoun Avenue, Vaucluse

Sydney Water and its delivery partner Abergeldie Complex Infrastructure (ACI) are constructing a new pump station at Parsley Bay. The pump station and supporting infrastructure will redirect untreated wastewater from one of the last remaining ocean outfalls and transfer it to the Bondi treatment plant via pipelines. This project will improve the coastal water quality and help protect the health of marine ecology by removing untreated wastewater from the ocean.

As part of this work, we will need to manage the removal of excess groundwater encountered during underground drilling from our construction site at Parsley Bay. This will be done by installing a pipeline from our construction site to water trucks located on Hopetoun Avenue.

From **Monday 13 January 2025 to Monday 17 February 2025**, we will be delivering and installing pipes on Hopetoun Avenue. Water trucks will be periodically parked on Hopetoun Avenue to facilitate the removal of excess water until the **end of July 2025**.

### Delivery and installation of dewatering pipes

To prepare for underground drilling, we will establish an exclusion zone on a section of the pedestrian path and nature strip on Hopetoun Avenue. This area will be used to unload pipework and install it along the closed pedestrian path leading to Parsley Bay Reserve.

### Removal of excess groundwater

To help manage excess groundwater, water trucks will be temporarily parked on the shoulder of Hopetoun Avenue to connect to the and remove water as needed during our work. Up to 8 truck movements a day may be needed, depending on the volume of groundwater.

Hopetoun Avenue will remain open to traffic and we will have traffic management in place to direct construction vehicles to our work area and to safely guide pedestrians and road users.

A map is provided overleaf which shows the work area and water truck route.

### Equipment

The equipment and machinery to be delivered may include:

- water trucks
- pumps and piping

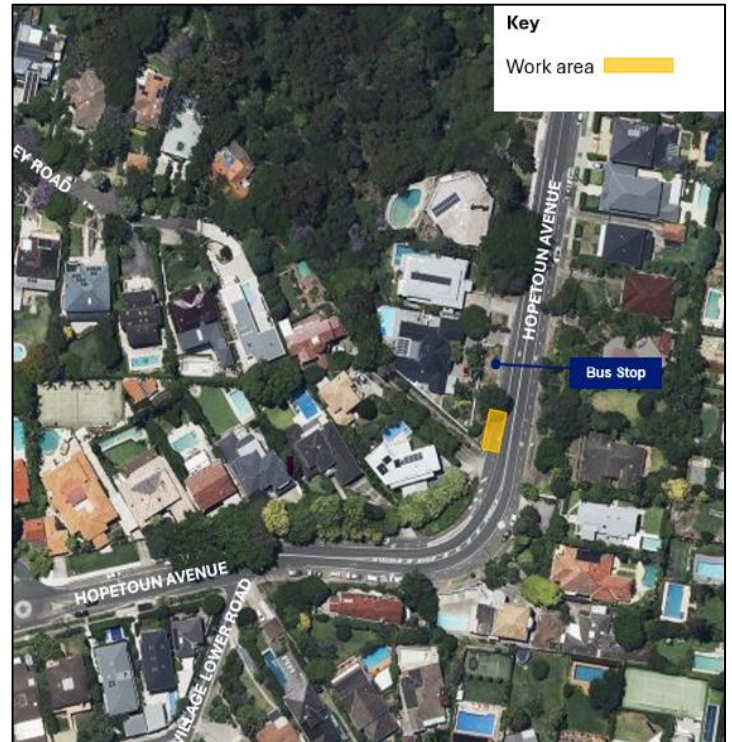
### To minimise impacts we will

- where we can for safety, schedule deliveries outside of peak traffic hours
- ensure all heavy vehicles use the approved direct route to and from Parsley Bay
- turn off machinery when not in use
- traffic control and management on Hopetoun Avenue

### Our work hours

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

## Work area and truck route



## 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 [vauclusediamondbay@sydneywater.com.au](mailto:vauclusediamondbay@sydneywater.com.au).



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