

We're bringing the Ryde to Pymble drinking water pipeline back into service!

August 2025

This pipeline was originally built in 1936 and ran from the Sydney Water Ryde Pump Station on Victoria Road, to Roland Avenue in Wahroonga. It served our customers well for over 70 years, but was disconnected from the network in 2014 due to its age and condition.

Sydney Water is upgrading the vital connection to the Wahroonga Reservoir. This project will boost the water distribution system's capacity, ensuring we can meet the growing demand for drinking water and support continued growth across Sydney's North Shore.

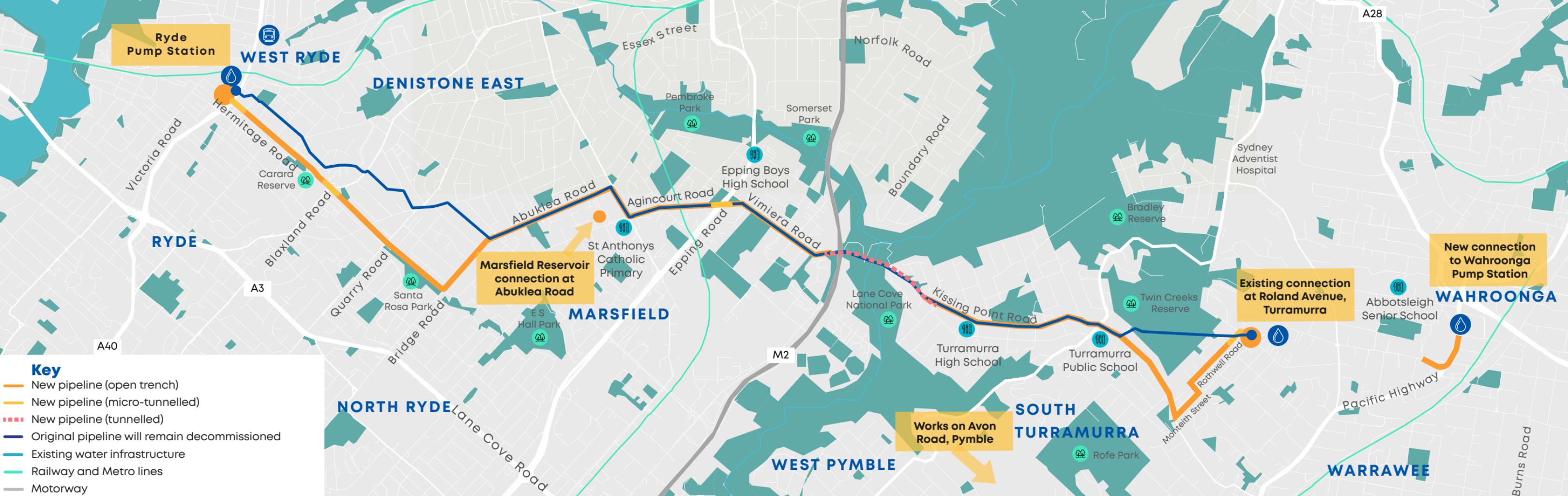
Talk to the team

We're holding drop-in sessions about the upcoming pipeline alignment and future construction. Please come along to learn more. Our project team will be available to answer any questions.

| West Pymble Community Hall | Marsfield Community Centre |
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| Tuesday 9 September | Wednesday 10 September |
| 9am - 11am | 1pm - 3pm |
| Online session | Online session |
| Monday 8 September | Thursday 11 September |
| 11am - 11.45am | 6pm - 6.45pm |

Please scan the QR code to sign up for an online session.





What stage is the project at?

The project is currently in the development stage. We have carried out studies on the existing pipe and surrounding environment to confirm the best alignment and methodology. This solution minimises community and environmental impacts, and considers safety and traffic impacts during construction.

The reinstated pipeline will have a 100-year design life, and ensure we can provide clean and reliable water as the area continues to grow.

A Review of Environmental Factors, which looks at environmental impacts during construction and operation, will be prepared and published later this year.

When will the work start?

Construction will be staged, and we will keep you informed when you can expect work in your area. Subject to approval, we anticipate site establishment and associated activities to begin in late 2025. We are expecting construction work on the Ryde to Pymble pipeline upgrade to be completed by early 2028.

Construction compounds

The Ryde to Pymble pipeline upgrade will need temporary construction compounds to support its work. The site compound locations are still being finalised. We'll communicate these details and update the alignment once the delivery partner confirms them.

These compounds will accommodate a range of facilities such as laydown areas, site offices, amenities, parking and construction support facilities such as equipment storage, maintenance sheds,

and stockpile areas. Where possible, construction compounds will be located close to the project footprint to help vehicle movement and transport of construction materials.

Working in your community

Sydney Water and our delivery partners are committed to ensuring the safety of their workers and the community, and minimising disruptions where possible. The community will continue to be kept updated throughout all phases of the project. We encourage you to contact the project to raise concerns or make enquiries at any time.

We know building a project of this scale and significance is not without impact. Managing risks and reducing the impacts on the community is important to us. We will continue to work with you and our key stakeholders to identify and implement measures to reduce these effects.

Construction workforce and hours

The workforce size for this project will vary according to the specific stage of construction and its associated activities.

Construction will generally take place between 7am and 6pm, Monday to Friday, and from 8am to 1pm on Saturdays.

For the safety of our workers and the community, and to minimise impacts on traffic flow or utility services, some work may be required outside standard hours. We will let keep the community informed in this case.

Estimated project timeline



Stay in touch

For the latest project updates and work notifications, please visit our webpage. You can subscribe below to receive email updates directly to your inbox.

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Nếu quý vị cần thông dịch viên, hãy gọi đến số trên đây.

यदि आपको दुमापिए की सहायता की ज़रूरत है, तो कृपया ऊपर दिए गए नम्बर पर फोन करें।

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