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Extended work hours for pipeline construction – Almond Street, Wilton

Thank you for your patience as Sydney Water builds new drinking water, recycled water and wastewater infrastructure, to service growing communities in the Wilton area.

As part of this project, Sydney Water's contractor, Athassel Civil, has constructed new drinking water and recycled water pipelines along Almond Street, Wilton.

We are now in the final stages of this essential work.

About our upcoming work

For the next phase of this work, we will connect the new drinking water pipeline to the existing network and complete testing. The map of our work areas is provided on the next page.

Our standard work hours are 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturday.

However, due to high flows in the drinking water system during weekdays, we need to work extended hours to complete this work.

We are planning to complete this essential work on Sunday, 18 October 2026 from 7am to 6pm, weather permitting.

This work will involve:

- securing the current work areas and checking safety and environmental controls
- generators and pumps operating intermittently
- using machinery to excavate around the new pipelines, including rock breaking when required
- cutting pipes with hand tools
- connecting and testing the new drinking water pipeline.

In the event of heavy rainfall, we may not be able to complete this work. If this occurs, we will contact you again with updated details before this work is rescheduled.

We expect to begin restoring these work areas in a few weeks, following final testing and approval of the new drinking water pipeline.

What to expect

- During the work, you may notice an increase in vehicle movements, noise and dust.
  - There will be trucks and other construction equipment with reversing beepers working in the area.
- Traffic changes will be required during the work.
  - Temporary single-lane or full road closures will be in place at various times before, during and after the work, which may require detours through adjoining streets.
  - Motorists may experience minor delays, as traffic controls will be used to help vehicles move safely through the work area and detours.
  - Reduced speed limits and traffic signage will be clearly visible to motorists approaching the work areas to help keep everyone safe.

    Please follow road safety signage and reduced speed limits. These measures help protect motorists and all road users travelling through the area.

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Minimising our impact on you

We understand extended work hours can be disruptive, and are committed to minimising the impacts of our work on the local community.

We will make every effort to minimise any disturbance our work may have on you by:

- limiting our higher-noise activities to standard daytime working hours where possible
- positioning machinery away from residential properties where we can
- not running motors and equipment unnecessarily
- using traffic management controls to maintain safety and traffic flow around the work area.

Local residents will continue to have access to their properties during this work.

Appropriate safety and environmental controls will be in place at all times.

This work is not expected to interrupt your water supply.

Map of our work areas



Work areas

New drinking water pipeline

New recycled water pipeline

More information

If you have any questions or want to learn more about this work, please contact our Community Engagement Team:

- **Call:** 1800 678 098
- **Email:** wiltonnewtown@sydneywater.com.au
- **Visit:** sydneywater.com.au/wilton-new-town

You are also welcome to visit us at our community drop-in centre at 150 Condell Park Road, Wilton.

Thank you for your patience and understanding during this essential work.

Yours sincerely,

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