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Dear Resident

### Wilson Road Compound - Pennant Hills - 24 hour work and spoil removal

Further to our previous notification issued on 29 February 2016 about the 24 hour work at the Wilson Road Compound at Pennant Hills, the slip lane from Pennant Hills Road directly into the site is complete and spoil removal from the shaft using the slip lane has started.

This compound is a key facility for tunnelling and will be used to launch four of the nineteen road headers which will tunnel in both north and south directions. A 90 metre shaft is being excavated at this location which will be used to lower the roadheaders underground and for the removal of spoil from the tunnel.

The 24 hour work (from Monday 6am to Saturday 1pm) started in February 2016. **From 02 May 2016, shaft excavation in the acoustic shed will now occur seven days a week.** This excavation activity is in preparation for the 24 hour roadheader tunnelling activities that will start later this year. By excavating the shaft 24 hours and with the use of controlled production blasting, construction time will be reduced and impacts on the community minimised.

Equipment and plant includes:

- Concrete trucks
- Loader
- Rock bolter
- Compressor
- Shotcrete rigs
- Excavator
- Ventilation fan.

It is not expected that you will experience noise or light spill from this work as most of the activities will occur inside the acoustic shed. We will make every effort to minimise impacts by:

- Closing the doors of the acoustic shed between 6pm and 7am each day, doors will only be opened intermittently for very short period for deliveries
- No deliveries will take place from Wilson Road
- No spoil will be removed from site using the Wilson Road site access and no spoil removal will occur outside normal day time construction hours
- Activities occurring outside the acoustic shed between 6pm and 7pm will be kept to a minimum and only be carried out if necessary.

We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause and thank you for your patience. If you have any questions or complaints, please don't hesitate to call us on 1800 997 057, email [enquiries@northconnex.com.au](mailto:enquiries@northconnex.com.au) or visit the NorthConnex Community Information Centre at 118 Yarrara Road, Pennant Hills, open weekdays from 9am to 5pm.

Yours sincerely,

**NorthConnex Project Team**



# Wilson Road Compound layout

New entrance to compound

