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Night work: Service diversions and temporary water main disconnection, Pennant Hills Road and Hewitt Avenue, Wahroonga

Dear Resident

NorthConnex is a nine kilometre tunnel that will link the M1 Pacific Motorway at Wahroonga to the Hills M2 Motorway at West Pennant Hills, removing around 5, 000 trucks off Pennant Hills Road each day.

What are we doing?

As part of the ongoing work to widen Pennant Hills Road, a new water main has been built in a location which will not be affected by the widening work. The existing water main between Hewitt Avenue and Pennant Hills Road will now be cut off and the new water main connected. This work will take place in two separate locations on a southbound lane of Pennant Hills Road, opposite Edwards Road, and the eastern side of the footpath on Hewitt Avenue. A map of the work area is provided in this notification.

To ensure the safety of motorists and workers, this work will be carried out at night between **9pm and 5am on Tuesday 11 October 2016**. In the event of poor weather, work will be completed on **Wednesday 12 October 2016**.

Water main disconnection

On **Tuesday 11 October 2016 between 10pm and 3am**, the water supply will be disconnected in the area and reconnected to the newly installed water main. Sydney Water has provided further information to directly impacted residents in advance.

The eastern side of the footpath on Hewitt Avenue near Havilah Avenue will be closed during this work and will reopen at 5am each day. Access for residents to their properties will be retained at all times. Temporary pedestrian diversions will be in place during the work through the cul-de-sac.

The work involves:

- > Excavating to locate existing services
- > Water main diversion work including placing a cap at each end of the redundant water main which will be filled with grout
- > Restoring the area including asphaltting and line marking.

Plant and equipment for this work includes an excavator, a vacuum truck to excavate the road surface, two tipper trucks, a concrete saw, an earth compaction machine to compact the road sub surface, a concrete truck, hand tools and three light towers.

Managing impacts



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You will experience noise during some of these activities and we will make every effort to minimise impact by:

- > Turning off machinery when not in use
- > Using non-tonal reversing beepers on all machinery
- > Using noise blankets where possible
- > Turning off equipment and vehicles when not in use
- > Using solar-powered lighting tower
- > Using temporary noise barriers where possible
- > Consulting directly affected residents.

Traffic management

As part of this work, there will be night closures of two southbound lanes on Pennant Hills Road between Frith Avenue and Pacific Motorway. The closures will take place between 9pm and 5am on 11 October and 12 October, weather permitting. Residents in Hewitt Avenue will have their access maintained at all times. Traffic management and signage will be in place to ensure the safety of residents, motorists and workers. Please allow extra travel time and visit www.livetraffic.com, download Live Travel App or call the Transport Management Centre 132 701 for the latest information.

We thank you for your patience, and if you have any questions or complaints, please do not hesitate to call us on **1800 997 057**, email 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

Location of work - Pennant Hills Road and Hewitt Avenue, Wahroonga



Work area



Water main