



Gardeners Road and surrounding local roads, Mascot

The WestConnex New M5 project is progressing along Gardeners Road, Kent Road and Bourke Street/Road. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your patience and cooperation during this road upgrade work. Below is an overview of what has been achieved so far and what can be expected throughout 2019.

Work is ongoing to upgrade and widen Gardeners Road and the Kent Road and Bourke Street/Road intersections. The new Venice Street has also been completed, which will connect the western end of Gardeners Road with Ricketty Street.

Road widening work occurs in two stages:

- Relocating and upgrading utility services beneath the current road and footpath
- Removing and relaying concrete and asphalt on the new widened road surface.

What has been done

Gardeners Road between Venice Street and O'Riordan Street

Work has been ongoing to relocate and upgrade underground utility services on Gardeners Road and at the Kent Road and Bourke Street/Road intersections. This work has included installing and commissioning Ausgrid cabling, and new Sydney Water main and property water services. Work to install Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) infrastructure and relocate Telstra and Verizon services is also progressing. Once this work is complete, new footpath and road pavement construction will commence.

Bourke Road

Work to construct the Campbell Road Bridge is nearing completion. Once opened, this bridge will link Bourke Road to Campbell Road over Alexandra Canal (pictured on map overleaf). Work to upgrade Bourke Road at the intersection of the Campbell Road Bridge will continue through 2019.

Where

Gardeners Road, Kent Road, Bourke Road/Street and surrounding local roads

For more information

Drop in to the Community Information Centre:
27 Burrows Road, St Peters
9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday excluding public Holidays

Please email info@newm5.com.au with your name and residential address to subscribe to our e-updates for Gardeners Road, Kent Road and Bourke Road/Street.

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Works coming up

Gardeners Road between Venice Street and O'Riordan Street

Work will continue to relocate and upgrade underground utility services on Gardeners Road. Once work is completed on the northern side of Gardeners Road between Kent Road and Bourke Street, the work area will move to the southern side of Gardeners Road between Kent Road and Bourke Street to finalise gas, water and power service connections.

After utility services have been relocated, the new footpath and road pavement construction will commence. Utility services installation and upgrade work will be ongoing. Due to the necessary road closures associated with this utility services work, this work will be done at night. Any work close to residents which exceeds normal background noise by over 5 decibels will be limited to 10 nights per month. Currently, work on Gardeners Road between Kent Road and Bourke Road/Street is being undertaken on Monday, Wednesday and Friday each week. This schedule will most likely continue throughout 2019 and residents will be kept updated.



A new Gardeners Road bridge is also being built across Alexandra Canal connecting Gardeners Road to the St Peters Interchange (pictured above) with construction scheduled to begin in March 2019. This work will include the removal of the current road pavement which will involve concrete breaking and excavation. Preparation work will also include the driving of 20-meter-long concrete piles, which are necessary in this area to construct a safe and solid foundation for the new bridge. A total of 170 piles will be driven in this area over approximately three months, scheduled to begin in March 2019.

Bourke Road

Work to upgrade and widen Bourke Road will continue through 2019. Work will also begin to construct the intersection of Bourke Road and the Campbell Road Bridge. Once complete the intersection will be fully signalised with traffic lights and pedestrian crossings.

Urban Design and Landscape Plan

Landscaping will take place in all areas once road construction is completed. An updated revision of the Project's Urban Design and Landscape Plan (UDLP) is now available to download from the WestConnex website via the below link. The UDLP (Rev G), pages 480- 496 will show the updated details for the landscaping and planting along Gardeners Road and surrounding local roads. The UDPL can be found at this web address:

www.westconnex.com.au/sites/default/files/WCXSTAG2-WCX-SMC-GEN-000759-M5N_UDLP%5BG%5D_Final%20Issue_Combined%20LR.pdf