

Parramatta Light Rail Stage 2

Ermington Boat Ramp



Parramatta Light Rail Stage 2 is the NSW Government's latest public transport project being delivered to serve a growing Sydney. Stage 2 will connect Stage 1 and the Parramatta CBD to Sydney Olympic Park via Camellia, Ermington, Melrose Park and Wentworth Point. It will feature a two-way track spanning 10 kilometres and 14 accessible light rail stops.

What's happening?

Parramatta Light Rail Stage 2 has taken a major step forward with NSW planning approval determined for the game-changing Greater Sydney megaproject.

Delivery of the project is being staged, starting with the construction of a new 320-metre-long public and active transport bridge over Parramatta River between Wentworth Point and Melrose Park, as well as approaches on either side of the river – totalling 1.3 kilometres.

Procurement of the contractor to deliver the \$602.4 million enabling works (bridge) package is well underway, with the contract expected to be awarded later this year. Main construction work on the bridge is expected to start in 2025.

When will this happen?

In late 2022, the Parramatta Light Rail Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) went on public exhibition to give community and stakeholders the opportunity to provide feedback on the project.

In 2023, Transport for NSW sought three amendments to the project outlined in the EIS, to improve social and environmental outcomes and reduce impacts where possible, and consulted with the community between August and September.

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The team continues to work closely with community, stakeholders and major landowners along the alignment, including in Melrose Park, with respect to the design of the light rail to integrate with and support future local development.

How will this impact Ermington Boat Ramp?

As noted in the EIS, to keep the public and our workers safe, the Ermington Boat Ramp will be closed for up to three years. Major construction of the bridge is expected to commence in 2025.



Where can I launch my boat?

The boat ramp and surrounding area will be used to facilitate construction of the bridge between Melrose Park and Wentworth Point. If you wish to access the river, you can use one of the nearby boat ramps (see map over the page for details and approximate travel distances).

Transport for NSW is reviewing opportunities to ease the impacts of the closure on the local boating community, including reducing the length of time the boat ramp is closed and investigating options to increase trailer parking capacity at neighbouring boat ramps.

Alternative boat ramp locations



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