

Cabbage Tree Road Sand Quarry

Welcome to **Edition 8** of the Cabbage Tree Road Sand Quarry Newsletter. The purpose of this newsletter is to provide the community with an update on how the project is progressing and inform the Community of upcoming events.

As you are aware, we are entering the final stages of the intersection construction and wish to advise of changes to traffic conditions and unavoidable noise generating activities.

We appreciate the tolerance of most adjoining residents during the construction phase of the intersection and can assure you we have tried to complete the intersection in the minimal amount of time with minimum impact to residents.

ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED FOR MONDAY 26TH APRIL 2020

The following activities will be undertaken from 7am on Monday 26th April;

1. The existing concrete barriers for the length of the project along Cabbage Tree Road will be removed. Traffic along Cabbage Tree Road will be reduced to single lane flow controlled by stop/go in accordance ROAD OCCUPANCY LICENCE NO:1388130 issued by Transport NSW for the duration of this activity.
2. The concrete barriers will be replaced with temporary traffic delineator posts.
3. Following completion of the removal of the barriers and the installation of the delineator post, traffic will return to two way flow and traffic control will cease.

ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY 27TH APRIL 2020

The following activities will be undertaken from 7am on Tuesday 27th April;

1. From 7am traffic along Cabbage Tree Road will be reduced to single lane flow controlled by stop/go in accordance ROAD OCCUPANCY LICENCE NO:1388130 issued by Transport NSW for the duration of this activity.
2. Temporary delineation posts removed for the scheduled activity.
3. Saw cutting of existing pavement is anticipated to be completed within 1- 2 hours and requires the use of a concrete saw to cut the existing pavement for the full length of the job to create a clean interface for the new works to join the existing Cabbage Tree Rd pavement.
4. Pavement Milling / profiling will immediately follow the saw cutting activity and will involve profiling a 1.5m width of the existing Cabbage Tree Rd pavement between the saw cut and the new pavement. Pavement millings will be collected and removed from site by truck.
5. Noise monitoring will take place during these activities, however we remind resident's these activities fall under EPA's Interim Construction Noise Guideline and not Condition 3 of Schedule 3 of the Consent, that specifically excludes noise associated with the intersection construction.

Noise Impact Assessment Criteria

3. The Applicant must ensure that the noise generated by the development does not exceed the criteria in Table 2 at any residence on privately-owned land.

Table 2: Noise criteria dB(A)

Receiver	Day	Shoulder	Shoulder
	<i>L_{Aeq} (15 minute)</i>	<i>L_{Aeq} (15 minute)</i>	<i>L_{Amax} (1 minute)</i>
Any residence on privately owned land	43	39	45

In this condition, 'the development' excludes road construction activities associated with the intersection of the quarry access road and Cabbage Tree Road and vegetation clearing operations within the Southern Resource Area (see condition 4 below).

Noise generated by the development is to be measured in accordance with the relevant requirements and exemptions (including certain meteorological conditions) of the *NPI*. Appendix 5 sets out the meteorological conditions under which these criteria apply and the requirements for evaluating compliance with these criteria.

The criteria in Table 2 do not apply if the Applicant has an agreement with relevant landowner/s to exceed the noise criteria, and the Applicant has advised the Department in writing of the terms of this agreement.

6. Following the completion of the milling activities the delineator posts will be reinstated and traffic will return to two way flow and traffic control.

ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY 28TH APRIL 2020

1. From 7am traffic along Cabbage Tree Road will be reduced to single lane flow controlled by stop/go in accordance ROAD OCCUPANCY LICENCE NO:1388130 issued by Transport NSW for the duration of this activity.
2. Asphalt Placement – the final wearing course asphalt will be placed in a similar nature to what occurred on Thursday 23/04/2020. This will include materials being delivered to site, paving machine to place material and a roller compacting and finishing the asphalt along with other associated minor plant and equipment.
3. Following the completion of the asphalt placement and finishing the delineator posts will be reinstated and traffic will return to two way flow and traffic control.

ACTIVITIES SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY 29TH APRIL 2020

4. From 7am traffic along Cabbage Tree Road will be reduced to single lane flow controlled by stop/go in accordance ROAD OCCUPANCY LICENCE NO:1388130 issued by Transport NSW for the duration of this activity.
5. Temporary delineation posts will be removed as required and line marking activities will occur.
6. Following the completion of the milling activities the delineator posts will be reinstated and traffic will return to two way flow and traffic control.

Changes to the above schedule may occur in the event of unfavourable weather or any other unforeseeable delay, irrespective of this all work will take place within the approved construction time controls.

ACCESSING THE SITE AND YOUR SAFETY

WSS would like to remind the community that the property on which the quarrying is occurring is both a construction site and operating quarry. For your safety, no unauthorised access is permitted on the land. If you would like to access the site, please contact the quarry manager, who will, where possible, assist with your request.

CONTACT US

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