

## Silverdale Road & Warradale Road, Silverdale Heavy patching works commencing

**Where:** Council will be undertaking heavy patching works including underground services repair on the following road

- Warradale Rd between Silverdale Rd and Turunen Ave
- Silverdale Rd between Lewis St and Warradale Rd

Proposed roadwork area in red



[Site map – Warradale Road]

Proposed roadwork area in red



[Site map – Silverdale Road]

**When:** The work is programmed to commence from 7am on Wednesday 21 October 2020 (weather permitting).

**Duration:** We are allowing 1 shift on Warradale Road and 4 shifts on Silverdale Rd (Mon-Fri 7am-5pm)

**Methodology:** The existing road pavement has been damaged by the existing underground services on Silverdale

Road and Warradale Road. As part of proposed heavy patching works, the damaged underground services will be repaired and lowered by a plumbing contractor accredited by Sydney Water. While the work is underway, a detour will be in effect for traffic on Marsh Road/Lewis Street/Turunen Avenue. Residents will still be able to access properties within the worksite – this includes deliveries, visitors etc.

**Detour:** Completing the work safely is our main priority. The work will involve relatively deep excavations (250mm deep) and lowering/fixing the underground services with a number of workers/equipment. The safest way to do the work is to reduce the traffic travelling in close proximity to the worksite (there are 6200 vehicles per day using this road). Through traffic will therefore be detoured around the worksite on Lewis Street and Turunen Avenue (see attached detour plan). Residents, buses, deliveries etc will still have access to properties within the worksite. They are to report to the traffic controllers and will be allowed through when it is safe. The detour will increase safety and limit (not eliminate) disruption as much as possible.

**Notifications:** As the work will involve some disruption, it is important that you are aware of the roadwork and make appropriate plans (e.g. leave a few minutes earlier). Council will distribute flyers to nearby residents / businesses and will install electronic message boards on 16 October, a week before works are due to commence. In addition, our contractor will send out a second notification to residents.

## Frequently Asked Questions

**Why aren't we doing this at night?** Night work was investigated. Completing work at night can limit disruption to motorists but this work is relatively noisy and creates even greater levels of disruption to nearby residents. This section of road is directly adjacent to many family homes and it would be too disruptive to them to complete the work at night.

**How disruptive will the work be?** Limiting disruption is something Council considers when choosing how and when

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roadwork will be done. People travelling through a worksite at night may experience delays of a couple of minutes. If motorists have any questions or special needs they can speak to the friendly traffic controllers on site and efforts will be made to work with them to address any issues that arise.