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## Day work: Ongoing temporary closure of the footpath between Woonona Avenue and Benson Close, Wahroonga

Dear Resident,

The footpath between Woonona Avenue and Benson Close was temporarily closed in early 2019, and was due to be reopened in mid 2019.

During excavation for the sewer pipe relocation, a gas pipe was discovered which needs to be relocated by Jemena. This activity is expected to be completed early in 2020. We will write to you again when we have more information about the work.

In the interim the footpath can not be reopened as we need to monitor the sewer pipe temporary connection.

We assessed the option of installing a temporary footpath over the excavation but the work to design, assess, install and remove the temporary footpath would take longer than the gas pipe relocation.

### How will the work affect you?

The pedestrian footpath between the cul-de-sacs at the end of Woonona Avenue and Benson Close, Wahroonga will remain closed until further notice. Temporary pedestrian diversions are in place via Fern Avenue, Bundarra Avenue and Alexandria Avenue, Wahroonga. A map of the alternative pedestrian route is provided. If you travel along this route, please allow extra time and follow the directional signage.

Driveway access to some properties may be affected. Residents will continue to be consulted in advance.

### Work hours

7am to 6pm Monday to Friday,  
8am to 1pm Saturdays

For the safety of motorists and workers, work may be carried out outside of these hours, in line with our environmental approvals.

Tunnel construction, associated above ground activities and access to compounds is carried out **24 hours a day**.

### More information

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You will experience noise with some activities and we will make every effort to minimise impacts by using non-tonal reversing beepers on all machinery and turning off equipment and vehicles when not in use.

### Work activity

The main work activities include trimming vegetation, excavating and trenching, rock hammering, pipe laying and installation, and services relocation. The project team will use heavy and light vehicles, generators, excavators, jackhammers, grinders, concrete trucks, street sweepers, water carts, vacuum trucks, removal plant, power and hand tools to carry out the work.

We apologise for the inconvenience the continued path closure is causing and will update you on progress once a completion date is confirmed.

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*Note: map is indicative only and not to scale*