

## Powerhouse Parramatta | June

Powerhouse Parramatta is the largest investment in cultural infrastructure since the Sydney Opera House, and the first major NSW cultural institution to be established in Western Sydney. Lendlease is responsible for the detailed design and construction of Powerhouse Parramatta.

Welcome to this now bimonthly construction update to keep you informed of progress onsite and showcase key milestones.

### Key construction activities this month



#### Excavation and earthworks progress

Excavation works are progressing well despite heavy rain over the last few months. Around 70 percent of earthworks on the project is complete. Approximately 35,000 tonnes of soil is expected to be removed off site, out of which 75 percent is complete.

#### Piling progress

Piling continues through to September

with a total of 230 piles being completed, pending weather conditions. To date, around 30 percent of piles have been drilled and installed to support the deep foundations of the buildings.

#### Service diversions update

Work continues in **Dirrabarri Lane** to construct two new substations. Pedestrian and vehicle access continue to be maintained at all times with temporary fencing to separate pedestrians and vehicles from the work zone.

Stormwater diversion works have started on the western side of **Wilde Avenue** at the intersection of Phillip Street. The bus lane on the western side of Wilde Avenue will shortly be temporarily closed to facilitate excavation of sections of the and traffic controls are in place to appropriately manage pedestrians and buses throughout this work. This work will take approximately two months to complete.



## News and events



### Main works construction celebration

Powerhouse Parramatta celebrated the main works construction phase of this historic project with founding partners, donors and delivery partners onsite this month. Honoured guests included the Minister for the Arts The Hon. Ben Franklin MLC and Member for Parramatta The Hon. Geoff Lee.

Image credit: Jacquie Manning

### New animation revealed

The first 3D fly-through of Powerhouse Parramatta has been revealed, bringing to life the architectural features

of the design by Paris-based Moreau Kusunoki and Sydney-based architectural practice Genton. The fly-through illustrates the epic ambition and capacity of the museum, including Australia's largest exhibition space, featuring a 55-metre-operable facade that connects with the public domain.

## Managing construction activities

We are committed to minimising the impact of our works where we can.

All construction activities are carried out with the health and safety of the local community as our top priority, and in accordance with the approved construction management plans.

We endeavour to keep noise, dust and vibration to a minimum. Thank you for your patience while we progress this important work.

### More information

We are committed to keeping you informed and regular updates will be provided.

Contact us for construction related questions, feedback or complaints:

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