

GreenWay construction notice

Johnson Park temporary closure

from Monday 21 October 2024 to mid 2025

The GreenWay is a major pedestrian, cycling, and biodiversity corridor linking the Cooks River at Earlwood with the Parramatta River at Iron Cove. As part of the GreenWay project, Johnson Park in Dulwich Hill will undergo an upgrade. The improvements will require closure of the park from 21 October 2024 to mid 2025 (pending weather delays).

Where will the temporary closure be undertaken?

The full Johnson Park is scheduled to be closed from Monday 21 October 2024 to mid 2025 (pending weather delays). This includes the off-leash dog area, sport courts, BBQ area, fitness equipment, the field, most paths the playground and all other areas.

What type of work is being done?

The upgrades will consist of a new playground, new multipurpose court, paths, planting, seating, and lighting.

What will be the pedestrian access through Johnson Park?

Access to the Arlington light rail station will remain available from Constitution Road as it is now. All other access through the park will be closed off for the public. Traffic management and detours will be in place for pedestrians and cyclists.

When will the work be undertaken?

The full park closure will commence from Monday 21 October 2024 and remain in place until mid 2025 (pending weather delays).

Works are planned to take place during regular working hours 7am – 6pm on weekdays.

What will be done to minimise inconvenience for me?

Every effort will be made to minimise noise associated with the movement of vehicles, plant, and equipment. The contractor will undertake mitigation measures in accordance with their Construction Environmental Management Plan to reduce noise, dust, and debris during their works.

Alternative park, playground and off-leash dog area

The nearest alternative park with a playground is nearby J.F. Laxton Reserve, Williams Pde in Dulwich Hill.

The Johnson Park temporary full closure includes the dog off-leash area. Council has provided a temporary fenced dog off-leash area in nearby Hoskins Park.

More information and a map can be found on posters in both parks or online at www.innerwest.nsw.gov.au/GreenWayUpdates.

The existing dog off-leash area at Johnson Park will be reinstated at the conclusion of the Greenway missing links construction works.

Keep up to date and make enquiries

Keep up to date with future project developments on the GreenWay webpage innerwest.nsw.gov.au/greenway.

For general GreenWay enquiries, please contact Magda Jansen, GreenWay Engagement Officer, via magda.jansen@innerwest.nsw.gov.au or call 02 9392 5425 (Tue & Thu).