Works Notice

Controlled blasting at Albert Street

Controlled trial blast 2 – Saturday 18 July 2020

The second controlled trial blast on Lot 2 (project site adjacent to The Sebel) will take place on Saturday 18 July 2020.

Trial blasting involves a small scale blast which is carried out prior to production blasting to confirm predicted impacts, understand ground conditions and confirm noise and vibration levels.

Download the 'Controlled blasting' works notice and fact sheet from the Cross River Rail website for more information.

What to expect

- The acoustic shed will reduce some impacts to nearby residents
- A siren will sound near the blasting area 5 minutes prior to the blast
- Residents and businesses within approximately 200 metres of the blasting area may hear and feel the controlled blast. This sound is similar to rumbling thunder and some slight vibration may be felt
- As an additional safety measure, during each blast there will be brief pedestrian and traffic stoppages for up to 10 minutes in the Albert Street/Mary Street intersection. Signage will be installed around the area to inform pedestrians and motorists. See map overleaf for details.

In the event of wet weather or unforeseen circumstances, this activity may be rescheduled.

Subscribe to email and SMS alerts

To register to receive email and SMS updates prior to controlled blasting, please send your name, phone number and home address by email to crossriverrail@cbgujv.com.au or by text to 0419 679 314 (message and data rates may apply).

Personal information collected for the purposes of SMS services will be managed in accordance with the Information Privacy Act 2009 (QLD).

Project information

For more information, contact the Tunnel & Stations Community Relations team on 1800 010 875 or email crossriverrail@cbgujv.com.au
Map showing potential impacts of controlled blasting

- Cross River Rail site Lots 1 & 2
- Tunnel access shaft
- Potential to experience noise/vibration
- Pedestrian and traffic stoppages

Map indicative only and not to scale