



Media Release

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CONSTRUCTION STARTS ON WINDSOR TRANSPORT INTERCHANGE UPGRADE

The NSW Government is delivering an additional 7,000 commuter car parking spaces over the next two years.

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Transport Minister David Campbell and Member for Riverstone John Aquilina today turned the first sod for a transport interchange and commuter car park expansion at Windsor Station.

Mr Aquilina said the \$8.2 million upgrade had been designed to complement the heritage features of Windsor station, which is listed on the State Heritage Register.

“Construction on this important local project begins today and completion is planned for early 2010,” Mr Aquilina said.

“When complete, the upgraded commuter car park will boast a total of 208 parking spaces, including 10 disabled spots.

“The interchange will mean commuters can seamlessly transfer between transport modes, with purpose-built facilities to make that possible.”

Mr Aquilina said the upgrade to the Windsor bus interchange and commuter car park project will include:

- A new bus/rail interchange outside the station entrance with new canopies and seating;
- The construction of a new car park on the existing goods yard site, with access from Cox Street;
- Dedicated taxi and kiss & ride areas outside the station;
- New bicycle parking facilities;
- Improved signage;
- Improved lighting and CCTV coverage;
- New landscaping works;
- A new roundabout on George Street; and
- Upgraded power supply facilities.

Mr Campbell said today’s milestone is further proof of the Rees Government’s commitment to providing North West commuters with greater convenience on their daily journey.

“John Aquilina has been campaigning to secure better transport facilities for the community and this upgrade is another step forward in doing so,” Mr Campbell said.

“Works on this upgrade will be undertaken by Builtform Constructions Pty Ltd of Baulkham Hills, demonstrating that the NSW Government is delivering infrastructure which stimulates the local economy and supports small business.

“This is fantastic news for the local community and will make a big difference for hardworking local families who make the commute into the city and other regional centres every day.”

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