

Notification of Ambient above-goal reading

WestConnex M4 East

To be notified immediately to Project Company and TfNSW. Project Company is to notify DPE, EPA and NSW Health within 24 hours.

Date	29 August 2020	
Time (start and finish)	0000hrs to 0000hrs	
Relevant location	<input type="checkbox"/> Allen Street	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Powells Creek
	<input type="checkbox"/> St Lukes Park	<input type="checkbox"/> Concord Oval
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Haberfield Public School	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ramsay Street
Relevant goal	<input type="checkbox"/> CO – 8 hour rolling average of 9.0 ppm	
	<input type="checkbox"/> NO ₂ – One hour average of 0.12 ppm (245 µg/m ³)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> PM ₁₀ – 24 hour average of 50 µg/m ³	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PM _{2.5} – 24 hour average of 25 µg/m ³	
	<input type="checkbox"/> PM ₁₀ – Annual average of 25 µg/m ³	
	<input type="checkbox"/> PM _{2.5} – Annual average of 8 µg/m ³	
Above-goal reading Detail the above-goal reading that was received	PM_{2.5} Haberfield Public School: 25.0 µg/m ³ Powells Creek: 25.3 µg/m ³ Ramsay Street: 25.2 µg/m ³	
Duration Detail the duration of the above-goal reading or event	24hrs	
Nature of event Detail nature of the event that contributed to the above-goal reading	The elevated PM _{2.5} concentrations across the six M4 East ambient monitoring stations are consistent with the Sydney East DPI&E ambient air quality network. NSW RFS has confirmed that planned hazard reduction burning is currently underway, which at this stage is thought to have caused the above-goal readings.	
Was the data valid? If unknown at this stage, please indicate. Refer section 5.2.1 of this Protocol.	Data is yet to be validated.	
Was there an emergency? Refer section 3.1 of this Protocol. If this is unknown at this stage, please indicate.	No.	
Measures employed Detail measures employed to minimise the concentration levels	All ventilation outlet and in-tunnel monitoring results for the 29/08/2020 were below the limits specified.	
Commitment to prepare and submit a Report on Above-Goal Reading A Report on Above-Goal Reading will be prepared for this notification. Please note that a Report is not required in the event of an emergency.		
Person responsible for notification	Name: Peter Redwin	
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