

GUNGAHLIN SMOKE SIGNALS

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The finishing touches to the Gungahlin Place Stop are underway including landscaping and paving being laid between the shopfronts and the light rail track. Photo supplied by Canberra Metro.

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We want to hear from all residents and workers of Gungahlin what you would like to see in this magazine. We are looking to revamp and revitalise this publication, and to make it more interesting and relevant. We want you to pick it up when you see the new edition at the shops, or follow it online.

The GCC has seen a resurgence in community engagement around topics such as development, roads, education, and other infrastructure in Gungahlin. The number of responses given to private and government consultation shows the people of Gungahlin want to be heard. Keep it up!

If you have content you would like to see in next edition, **please tell us!** It could be an idea you would like someone to pursue, a letter to the editor, or you may want to write an entire article yourself.

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From the President

PETER ELFORD

Gold Creek Homestead

In the last edition of Gunsmoke, I reported that the Gold Creek Homestead site, located on Gungahlin Drive to the east of The Grove, Ngunnawal had been put up for sale. Undaunted, the GCC, along with the National Trust and others, have been campaigning strongly to highlight the historical importance of this site. The GCC is keen to see the site developed, but in a manner that retains the homestead and beautiful surrounding trees and garden to be retained for active public use, perhaps along the lines of the Gungaderra homestead in Franklin. The GCC also raised concerns with the CEO of the Suburban Land Agency (SLA) regarding the tender process, which did not seem to be consistent with the SLA's stated social inclusion objectives, as the tender documentation indicated that any consideration of the heritage value of the site would not be considered in assessing tender responses.

I am very happy to report the GCC was advised late on Friday June 1 that the homestead has been withdrawn from sale and that there would be "further updates on the future of the site in due course". This is tremendous news and we commend the SLA for making this decision and look forward to working with them on a future strategy for the Gold Creek Homestead site.



Gold Creek Homestead

Celebrate Gungahlin 2018

The news is not so good for the Celebrate Gungahlin Festival, which has had to be cancelled for 2018. Many residents will be aware that Celebrate Gungahlin has been anchored by Communities@Work for the past two years, but they have stepped back from this role in 2017. A small volunteer committee was formed to transition the event to a new structure, but some unfortunate timing meant that funding required could not be

secured. Along with the ongoing construction in the town centre, including the Hibberson Street one-way shared zone, the Gungahlin Place park upgrade, the Light Rail and several road projects, the committee agreed that it would not be practical to deliver the festival in the in the proposed September timeframe.

Air Towers development application

The GCC raised concerns about the Air Towers development because of its size and location at the corner of Gozzard Street and Gundaroo. The Development Application (DA) for this two-tower development, one of 18 storeys tapering to 12 storeys, and one of 8 storeys, closed in November 2017 and was strongly opposed by most of the Gungahlin community and the GCC. We know now that 118 representations were made in response to the DA, but that no decision has yet been made to approve or reject it. Following discussion with the planning and land authority, the proponent has submitted an amendment to the proposal, which includes a reduction in the maximum height to 15 storeys. The government (ESPDD) have chosen not to publicly notify this change, as the "amendment provides a reduction in impact and no additional issues would be anticipated to be identified". The GCC does not agree with this position as questions remain about what portions of the two towers that make up the development are what height in what location. It is not known how long it will take to assess the amended DA proposal, and the GCC remains opposed to the DA, even in its amended form, although without having any details it's hard to take an informed position. The GCC is particularly concerned that a development of this scale is in stark conflict to the proposed changes to the Gungahlin Town Centre precinct code presented at the GCC meeting in April 2018 as an outcome from the Town Centre Planning Refresh, which recommended a maximum height of 8 storeys along Gozzard Street.

Gold Creek Country Club

Further to the West, residents of Nicholls have come together to raise their concerns about a possible redevelopment of the Gold Creek Country Club. The owners of the club have indicated that part of the site will no longer be required by the golf club and this "provides an opportunity to create something new in this space". They have commissioned a public consultation known as "re:imagine" to gather community input on what this something might be, but it was clear from the GCC's April public meeting that many residents are opposed to any changes, and particularly to any development that might involve rezoning some portion of the site for mixed/residential use. It will be very interesting to see how this early consultation evolves.

Gold Creek Country Club

COMMUNITY OF NICHOLLS RESIDENTS GROUP

On a cold wintery afternoon on Sunday 15 April, nearly 600 persons from Nicholls and surrounding Gungahlin suburbs attended a meeting called by the Community of Nicholls Residents Group (CNRG). The passion, angst and fervour of the residents was prompted by the sudden release of 'Re:imagine Gold Creek Country Club' by the Konstantinou Group (K-Group), the current lease holder of the Gold Creek Country Club.

The meeting was called to inform the community of the latest K-Group attempt to change the whole character and amenity of the suburb of Nicholls and its surrounding communities. If the open space encompassed by the Gold Creek Golf Course was allowed to be rezoned by ACTPLA and then built-on with units, apartments and commercial premises, it will be lost forever. Windfall gains are likely to accrue to the developer for what was originally public land awarded at a very modest price. The price reflecting the primary lease purpose -- to maintain an 18 hole championship golf course -- with an allowance to build additional recreational-use facilities, ancillary to that primary use, on 15,000sqm of non-golf course land.

K-Group's proposal is to "create a compact 18 hole golf course, or potentially a 9 or 12 hole golf course". According to the brochure distributed to some residents, the whole of the back 9 and practice holes, driving range and an area off Eddie Payne Close is being "freed-up", most likely to be replaced with residential and commercial premises. The Re:imagine survey assumes redevelopment will proceed -- no direct question asking the community whether they wish to preserve the current recreational use and open space is provided.

At the meeting, the community gave CNRG a mandate to pursue six key aims on its behalf:

- Transparency of the community consultation process;
- Preservation of the suburb's open space, amenity and wildlife habitat;
- Land values should not be put at risk;
- K-Group should honour its promises to spend \$15m on ancillary recreational facilities and retain an 18 hole championship-level golf course;
- Certainty about the long-term character of the Nicholls suburb; and
- Continuation of an 18 hole championship-level golf course and the associated urban open space, ie. the K-Group should be required to adhere to the conditions of the lease it acquired in 2006 (as subsequently amended for sub-division in 2014).

Mr Alistair Coe, Leader of the Opposition in the ACT Legislative Assembly, pointed out the purpose of the current lease was for a golf course and that changes to this raised serious questions about property rights. Mr Coe also noted that if it can happen here, it can happen to other pristine recreational open spaces in Canberra. Regrettably, members of the ACT Government did not attend the meeting.

Community concerns raised during the meeting included: the sincerity, enthusiasm and management abilities of the K-Group to really try to run a golf course; their minimal promotion of the course and its ancillary facilities over the last 8 years; claims made about the quantity of water used and the annual 'loss' made by the golf operation; and, the environmental impacts, including threats to the large mob of kangaroos inhabiting the area. The

clear message from residents to the political representatives was "enough is enough" -- the piecemeal, incremental changes put forward by the K-Group must stop.

CNRG will continue to work constructively with K-Group in an effort to protect and preserve the open space and amenity that residents have paid for, come to enjoy and have a right to expect will continue.



Commonwealth Agency to call Gungahlin Home

Zed Seselja

Gungahlin is Australia's second fastest growing region. It has seen exponential residential growth over recent years, but the commercial growth of Gungahlin has struggled to catch up. I saw this back in 2016, and I moved my office to Gungahlin to be the first Federal Representative to be based in the town centre and then, more importantly, I fought to get a commitment that would see a Commonwealth Agency move to the town centre during the 2016 election.

In May I had the pleasure of announcing with the Minister for Defence Personnel, Darren Chester, that Defence Housing Australia (DHA) would be the agency relocating its offices – and approximately 290 staff – to Gungahlin.

DHA was selected as it is the right sized agency, has many clients already in the region and has leases expiring in the near future. With over 22,000 households now in the area and growing strongly, this firm commitment is a vote of confidence in Gungahlin's economic future.

The relocation of staff from Barton will deliver a boost for the local economy, and positive flow on effects for the wider community. A Commonwealth Agency in the town centre will encourage further investment in the region and help grow local businesses.

I have been fighting for the town centres in Canberra. I fought for the Department of Social Services to remain in Tuggeranong with a new building, for the Department of Immigration and Border Protection to remain in Belconnen and now, we have the first major move of Commonwealth Agency to Gungahlin.

Canberra is designed on a town centre model, and we know that the success of our local town centres is significantly impacted by the locations of Government Department offices, as key anchor tenants in the capital. With Gungahlin's expanding population the time is right for this kind of commitment.

I look forward to watching Gungahlin continue to grow as a community and a town centre.

Zed

Zed Seselja
Senator for the ACT

Defence Housing Australia Offices in Barton



Canberra's first “public” JP desk

GUNGAGHLIN SIGNING CENTRE

Back in 2009, Dr Peter Burrows OAM JP knocked on the manager's door at his local shopping centre – the G at Gungahlin – and offered a Justice of the Peace service if they would just give him a table, a chair and a prominent spot in the centre on Tuesday mornings. The management were very supportive, and within a short period of time, other JPs joined his band and became the ‘G Force’. Peter Burrows is no longer with us, and the ‘band’ is now known as ‘the Gungahlin Ladies’. If you're around, you'll see two of the band of seven on duty every Tuesday morning, except on public holidays.

The band led the way for the ACT Justices of the Peace Association to establish signing centres throughout Canberra. Today, clients can find a signing centre any day of the week somewhere in Canberra. It's much easier than searching through a list of JPs to find one who is available at a mutually convenient time. The Gungahlin Ladies are very much in demand – they usually see between 20 and 40 clients every Tuesday morning – on their busiest day they recorded a whopping 67 clients and 396 signatures!

If you need to see a JP, what exactly should you bring with you? First, bring some form of **photo ID**. Driver's licence, proof of age card, passport or ID from your place of work are the most common forms of ID. JPs must record each client and the services provided, and of course, it's all confidential. Bring all your **original documents**. For any documents that **require a JP to witness your signature**, we suggest you fill out the document without signing. You will need to sign in front of the JP. If you bring a signed document, the JP will ask you to sign again in front of them. For a **power of attorney** document, you may find it more comfortable to make an appointment, both for privacy reasons and because these can take up to 45 minutes to complete. More information about powers of attorney is available from the Public Trustee and Guardian (www.ptg.act.gov.au). Before you complete your power of attorney, make sure you and the person or people you're appointing to act for you are comfortable with your proposed arrangements.

If you're not sure whether you need a JP signature on your document, just ask the JP. They may be able to sign your document but if you need advice about the possible consequences of signing, you should seek the right professional advice. You should not sign any documents where you are unsure of the potential effects.



ACT Justices of the Peace Margaret Dando and Lynn Parry at work at the G.

Photo by Loris Manns JP



Thanks a million!

GINNINDERRA PROJECT

A huge thank you once again to all the volunteers who planted six large patches of shrubs into the Box Gum Woodland and Dry Forest at Ginninderra.

As the end of the second planting day (May 27) approached, we still had an army of planters and a frenzy of activity as the last of 1500 shrubs went into the ground near the old scribbly gum forest.

"It was a fantastic effort by everyone involved," said CSIRO Senior Ecologist and planting day organiser, Jacqui Stol. "Over the two days, we managed to plant every last shrub across the six 25×25 metre plots. This wouldn't have been possible without the great efforts from the 100 plus community volunteers."

Jacqui also gave a 'shout out' to the Well Station Cubs, who have taken part in all four planting days at Ginninderra across 2017 and 2018.



Ngunawal Custodian, Wally Bell shared Indigenous heritage insights with planters



Well Station Cubs participating in their fourth CSIRO Ginninderra Planting day

"The cubs were really enthusiastic and did not want to leave until all the plants were in the ground." "We had some people digging holes and some planting, while others supplied the plants, guards and stakes or filled buckets and watered plants. The teamwork and camaraderie was lovely to see, with people really seeming to enjoy the day."

The 2018 planting days introduced a range of 'dry forest' shrub species that will attract a wide range of native woodland birds. These plantings complement the 3500 shrubs planted in the Box Gum Woodlands at Ginninderra in 2017, which have recorded a 90% survival rate and excellent growth rates.

"It is so pleasing to know that the 2017 plantings are already making a difference," says Jacqui.

"During the week our bird survey experts observed some Scarlet Robins foraging in one of the shrub

plots. Providing habitat and foraging areas for this declining woodland bird species is one of our key objectives, but it's very unusual to have an impact so quickly."

In addition to planting, volunteers received a welcome to country by Ngunawal Elder and Custodian, Wally Bell. During a break in planting, community members took the opportunity to visit a scar trees in the nearby scribbly gum forest, where Wally shared his knowledge about the indigenous history and heritage associated with the area and broader Ginninderra catchment.

Planters also enjoyed barista coffee and hot chocolate from the Our Dream Cafe mobile van, and barbecue lunch catered for by the Hall and District Collectors Club.

CSIRO extends a special thanks to all the planters, our event partners, Ginninderra Catchment Group, Wally Bell and Mulanggang Traditional Aboriginal Landcare Group, Our Dream café for refreshments, Horizon coaches for onsite transport, and Evatt Primary School P&C and Hall and District Collectors Club for barbecue lunches. You all made this event a great success!

Scribbly gum forest adjacent to the shrub planting sites



My Gungahlin celebrates 5 years

MY GUNGAHLIN

At the end of May, My Gungahlin held a function at Gungahlin Lakes Club to celebrate 5 years and to announce the launch of their new website.

In 2013 My Gungahlin essentially relaunched themselves with a new website and branding starting a new chapter in the My Gungahlin story. It was this launch in 2013 that has seen My Gungahlin become synonymous with Gungahlin in providing news and information to those that live, work and play in the Gungahlin region.

Five years on and after recognising the need to make improvements to the website and wanting to add more features a new website has been created. This site allows for more news, more events, more community information, an improved business directory and an online forum.

My Gungahlin founder Mark Scarborough said, "The growth of My Gungahlin has been in keeping with the growth of Gungahlin and like many things in Gungahlin we out grew the old site and needed something bigger, faster and more modern."

The event was attended by Yerrabi MLA's, local businesses and community groups.

Opposition Leader and Yerrabi MLA, Allistair Coe said at the event, "Mark is in effect a 6th local member for Yerrabi, for Gungahlin and I think he does a pretty good job of it as well. What all communities need are champions who are not just talkers but are doers and that is exactly what Mark does."

Yerrabi MLA Meegan Fitzharris said "Over the years My Gungahlin has become the 'go to' site and page for residents, old and new, to Gungahlin. I can attest to what a passionate and committed member of our community Mark is and we can all see for ourselves how much foresight he had to develop the My Gungahlin, to foresee the opportunities in social media and to grow My Gungahlin into a smart business and an essential community hub."

At the event Sebastian Ellis from Elements4Life Functional Gym and Personal Training

interviewed Mark providing insights into not only Mark but also the history of My Gungahlin. Sebastian who is also Mark's personal trainer for 4 years said "I have got to know Mark over a good period of time and I know that he is dedicated and passionate about this particular business and I think he does a lot for the community and I know he wants to do more. Every time early Monday morning we always tend to come up with a heap of great ideas and we talk about what he is going to do next. I think that passion is very rare and he inspires me."

You can watch the video on the My Gungahlin Facebook page where you will learn about the history of My Gungahlin and more about Mark such as favourite footy team, preferred beverage and number of tattoos. You can also check out the new My Gungahlin website at www.mygungahlin.com.au



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Dainere's Rainbow Runners take on City2Surf

DAINERE'S RAINBOW RUNNERS

A team of Gungahlin locals have signed up for the world's largest fun run, City2Surf in Sydney to raise money for Dainere's Rainbow Brain Tumour Research Fund.

The 2018 City2Surf will be the sixth time competing for Jarrett Anthony in the run as well as fundraising for much needed awareness and funds for Dainere's Rainbow Brain Tumour Research Fund, supporting The Sydney Children's Hospital Foundation.

Dainere's Rainbow is a charity set up by Jarrett's family which gives 100% of funds raised and donated directly to Childhood Brain Tumour Research. Dainere, Jarrett's little sister, was only 15 years old when she tragically passed away in 2013 from her Brain Tumour. In 2013 before she passed away, together they planned that Jarrett could raise funds for Paediatric Brain Tumour Research through running in the City2Surf and having a fundraising page. He has done this for the past 6 City2Surf runs and will continue to each year to get ever closer to finding a cure for this insidious disease.

For the past two years Mark from My Gungahlin has supported Jarrett in running City2Surf as a team. Jarrett being a little faster than Mark runs ahead to clear the path for Mark to come through sometime much later... This year Mark's wife, Nicole will run her first City2Surf as part of Dainere's Rainbow Team along with Chanel Bernal running her second City2Surf.



Dainere's Rainbow

BRAIN TUMOUR RESEARCH FUND

Last year Jarrett ran a time which qualified him to start in the preferred group (up in the front area) this year, he is looking to smashing his time even more this year, hopefully smash the amount of fundraising also!!

Last year Mark took 17 minutes off his previous years time and is looking to achieve another big PB. Chanel is keen to beat her time last year and has found inspiration in Mark's result from last year. Nicole is looking forward to the event and is focussed finishing and raising as much money as she can for the cause.

You can support the team by donating to the team <https://city2surf2018.everydayhero.com/au/team-dainere-s-rainbow>



What's happening at Mulligans Flat?

ELSIE PERCIVAL, WOODLANDS AND WETLANDS TRUST

Bush Stone-curlews strolling the suburbs

If you live near Mulligans Flat you may be familiar with the melancholic night-call of the Bush Stone-curlew. Recently there has also been sightings of their unmistakable silhouettes striding swiftly down Gungahlin streets.

The vulnerable birds, absent from Canberra for 40 years, have now returned to grace our backyards once again. Although venturing beyond the safety net of the fox-proof fence, they are clever animals. Our curlews appear to be roosting in the sanctuary during the day, and venturing out at night to gobble up clusters of insects attracted to suburban street lights.



Photo by Julie Clark



Photo by Anthony Li Chang

If you are a local – please drive slowly in the streets surrounding the Sanctuary, and be sure to keep your cat contained at all times.

Exciting developments

The President of the Woodlands and Wetlands Trust, Alison Russell-French, welcomed the ACT Government's funding announcement for our forthcoming visitors centre at the Sanctuary. At the moment we have architects engaged, and will have concepts ready to present to the community in the coming months.

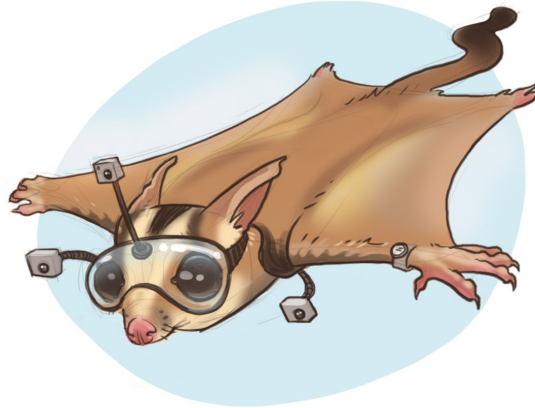
Funding will also go towards eradicating rabbits from the extended sanctuary – a vital step in tripling our protected environment, now that the fence is complete. It will still be a few years of hard work removing ferals before we can reintroduce bettongs, quolls, curlews and other special wildlife.



School Holidays at Mulligans Flat

DIVE *into* nature

Check our *wild*
school holiday
programs.



There are lots of animal adventures coming up at Mulligans Flat during the Autumn School Holidays. Meet Brian the Bettong at our *Meet a Bettong* session, peer in tree hollows during *Hollow Homes* and explore the sanctuary at night on our *Night Walks*.

If you want to venture out of Gungahlin, our Sister Sanctuary—Jerrabomberra Wetlands—also hosts creative nature activities.

Info and bookings via the 'events' section at mulligansflat.org.au and jerrabomberrawetlands.org.au

Ecologists—Shoshana Rapley (bottom right) and Kristi Lee (top right)—uncovering wildlife at Mulligans Flat during our last School Holiday program.



Northside Community Service

NORTHSIDE COMMUNITY SERVICE

Creating Connection through Cooking

The Gungahlin Cooking Circle started in March 2018 and is a weekly cooking group that shares recipes, laughter and lunch. The initial idea came from Cooking Circles Canberra who have been instrumental in setting up cooking circles all across the ACT.

The Gungahlin circle is supported by Northside Community Service and the current term is running from the 24th May to the 5th July 2018. The group have made everything from impossible pie to perfect scones and decadent blackberry mousse, with locally sourced ingredients. Common Ground and the building's tenants, located at 130 the Valley Avenue Gungahlin, have kindly allowed the cooking circle to use their large common kitchen area, and tenants are often found wandering through when the smells of cooking curry and hot cross buns start to waft up through the building. The group all put in \$5 each per week and one person hosts the circle and directs the cooking.

The group is looking for more members at the moment, so if you are interested in meeting new people, sharing meals and perhaps leading the group through some of your favourite recipes, email Northside Community Service on Events@northside.asn.au

Launching Northside's Youth Engagement Program "Y.Engage" in Gungahlin

Northside Community Service officially launched its new youth engagement program "Y.Engage" in the Gungahlin region on the 14th April 2018 at Gungahlin College. The launch provided young people and the local community with the opportunity to get to know our new service model which puts youth-led community activities at the forefront, alongside mobile outreach and case management.

Y.Engage is a youth engagement service for the Gungahlin and Inner North regions of the ACT. Y.Engage works with young people to find the right support, the right worker, at the right time. Our case management service is open for people aged 12 to 25 who are in the Gungahlin community, and aims to bring support to them. We also strive to create volunteering opportunities for young people to run youth led community activities, which was the focus of our launch festival.

For more information on YEngage, please contact Northside at Y.Engage@northside.asn.au



The Northside Team riding into Gungahlin to serve the community



Cooking Circle member Lindy making chapatti bread to accompany the vegetarian curry



The Y.Engage team looking to connect Young People to their communities



Gungahlin artists showcase their creativity and community connections

The Gungahlin Impressions Art Group is a small group of local community artists who began meeting in September 2017 in a series of workshop to create artistic pieces inspired by their own experiences of the local Gungahlin region. They created a fantastic collection of works that was exhibited in December 2017 at Common Ground Canberra, a major supporter of the project. The group created pieces in various mediums including sculpture, oil on canvas, air brush paintings, mosaic, pottery, ceramics and mixed media.

In creating her series of sculptures, local resident Lisa Beattie was inspired by “allowing the shapes to come to being, paying respect to the elements and acknowledging our impact.” She has created a series of wood and earth sculptures to represent the elements, using only timber and natural products found in the Gungahlin region.

Elemental Sculpture “Earth” by Lisa Beattie at the Common Ground Canberra Building © David Howe

Gungahlin Impressions has been led by the experienced artist Tony Steel and supported by Northside Community Service and Common Ground Canberra. Tony has been creating public artworks that enliven spaces around Canberra for the past twenty years. In 2018 the group have been doing a short course in lino printing and will commence their regular open art workshops fortnightly from the 5th July. Tony Steele has again been secured to lead a series of workshop and the group plan to exhibit later in the year.

The group is open to Gungahlin artists of all abilities and mediums who want to work on their own creative pieces and concepts. For more information contact Northside Community Service on Events@northside.asn.au

Elemental Sculpture “Earth” by Lisa Beattie at the Common Ground Canberra Building © David Howe





Rail Ready

→ Are you Rail Ready?

Light rail is fast approaching with testing of the system now happening!

Prior to welcoming passengers on board, the light rail system undergoes a rigorous testing and commissioning process. This important phase of the project ensures the light rail is fully functional and safe to carry passengers before services commence.

Over the coming months, the community will notice changes along the light rail corridor as the project nears completion and progresses into the testing and commissioning phase.

The light rail system and stops will remain closed to the public during the testing and commissioning phase until the project becomes operational.

Testing will happen in sections along the alignment, starting from the Gungahlin end of the line. (See back for map).

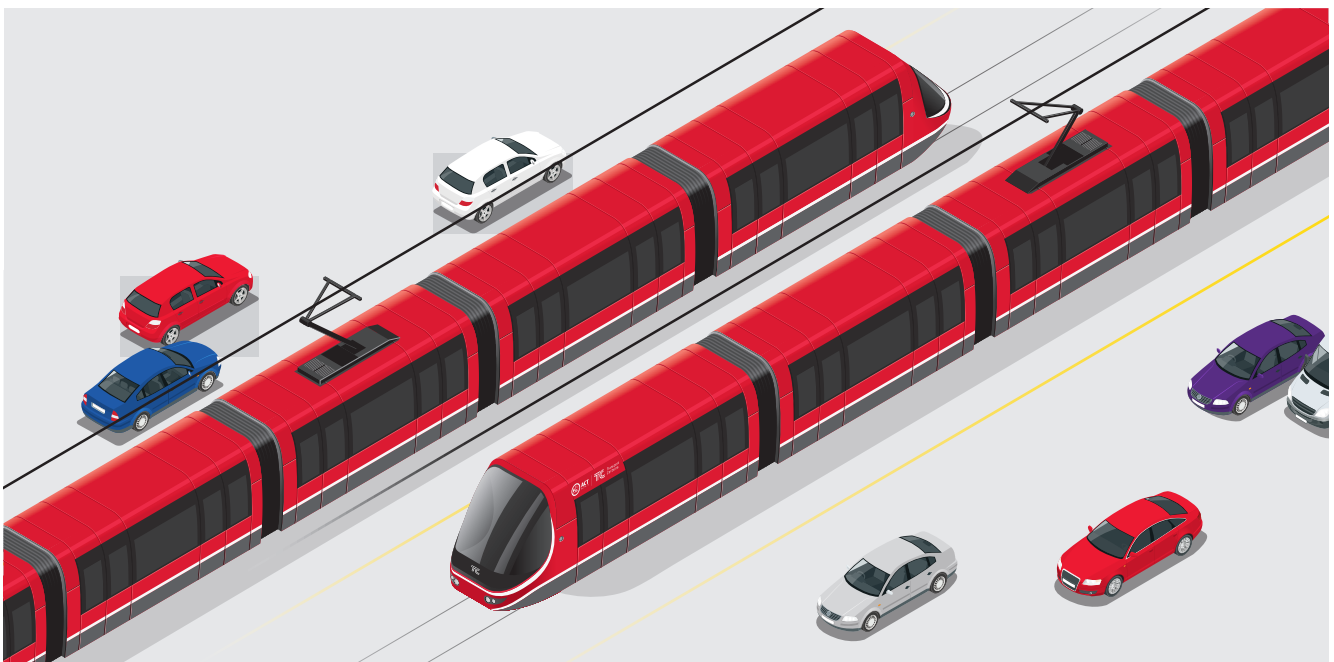
Electrification of overhead wires

Electrification of the new overhead wires that power the light rail is the first stage of testing and commissioning.

Stay Safe



Although the overhead wires are more than 6 metres above the rail track, the wires are **LIVE**. **Always keep a safe distance and never come into contact with the wire.**



Light Rail Vehicle (LRV) testing

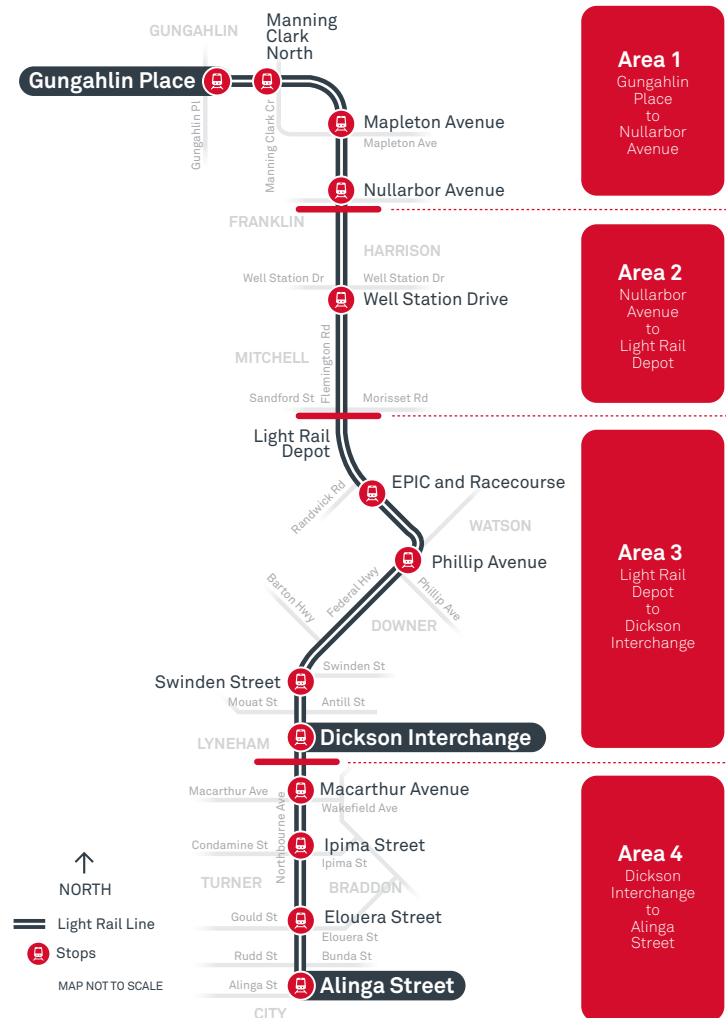
Prior to Light Rail Vehicles (LRVs) travelling along the alignment, the tracks will be cleaned and prepared. This is conducted by a small diesel-powered vehicle.

The tracks are then ready for testing of the LRVs.

LRV testing will initially be carried out at low speed, gradually increasing as tests are completed. New signage and traffic controls will be in place. Please be aware and remember to obey all signs and road rules.

Early stages of LRV testing will take place at night to enable the final stages of construction and landscaping to continue during the day. As the light rail project progresses, testing will continue along different parts of the light rail corridor. **To keep up to date about testing in your area, visit canberra-metro.com.au**

While the LRVs are completing their tests, other elements of the system will be commissioned and training of staff will occur. Once the testing and commissioning phase is complete, the service will be opened for passengers.



Stay Safe



- Never attempt to access the light rail corridor during the construction and testing period. While light rail stops may look complete, the project is still a construction zone and LRVs will not transport passengers until commencement of services.
- Keep flying objects such as drones and kites well away from the overhead wire. The overhead wire is LIVE and carries 750 volts of power. Keep away!
- It is prohibited to drive, walk or cycle along rail tracks.
- Always cross light rail tracks at designated pedestrian crossings and intersections.
- When cycling, crossing in a wheelchair or with a pram, cross the tracks at a right angle to avoid getting wheels stuck in the rail groove.
- LRVs are quiet, move quickly and take longer to stop than smaller vehicles. Avoid distractions like earphones or texting. Stay alert! LRVs can approach from either direction.
- In the event of an emergency, dial 000.



GIVING BLOOD FEELS GOOD

Every donation can save three lives.

Mobile Blood Service visiting:

Gungahlin

Park and Ride carpark, The Valley Ave, Gungahlin

Wednesday 27 June

9.00am – 2.45pm

Thursday 28 June

8.45am – 2.45pm

Friday 29 June

8.45am – 2.30pm

Drink up! Have 3 or 4 glasses of water or juice in the hours before you donate

Eat! Have a good sized breakfast or lunch

Please bring photo I.D. with you

To make an appointment call **13 14 95**
or visit **donateblood.com.au**

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