

REED CONSTRUCTIONS AUSTRALIA PTY LTD

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SOUTHERN SYDNEY FREIGHT LINE

Contract: NSW-T-C-1766 Southern Sydney Freight Line –

Formation construction between Liverpool & Glenfield, Ingleburn & Macarthur and Cabramatta & Liverpool.

Bridgeworks between Ingleburn & Macarthur, Cabramatta & Casula and the Glenfield Flyover.

Earthworks and Retaining Wall Package 2

During the month of March 2009, preliminary works and groundworks to allow for main construction works to commence.

These preliminary works include:

- Continuation of the underground services search and verification.
- Establishment of traffic management plans and controls.
- Installation of delineation fencing along the rail corridor.
- Establishment of erosion and sediment controls for each work site.
- The foundation treatment and construction of piling platforms.
- Initial site clearing of vegetation at a few work locations.
- Initial setout and design verification works.

Bridge Package 2

Extensive services search and verification has taken place at each bridge structure location. The results of this work have been forwarded to ARTC and their designers.

Various bridge structures are affected by services and are in the process of being resolved.

During the March 2009 railway possession, foundation / piling works had commenced at Mill Park 1 Bridge and Woodbrook Rd Bridge.

At the Shepherd St Bridge foundation/ piling works has also commenced and is expected to be completed by mid-April 2009.

The precast concrete bridge planks and girders subcontracts have been awarded.

Earthworks and Retaining Wall Package 3 and 4

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- Continuation of the underground services search and verification.
- Establishment of traffic management plans and controls.
- Establishment of erosion and sediment controls for each work site.
- The foundation treatment and construction of piling platforms.
- Initial site clearing of vegetation at a few work locations.
- Initial setout and design verification works.

The precast culverts subcontract packages have been awarded.

Bridge Package 3 and 6

The March 2009 railway possession was used successfully at the Glenfield Flyover to carry out the foundation and piling works at both bridge abutments.

During this period critical foundation works was carried out and completed to allow for the installation of the concrete piles.

The precast concrete bridge planks and girders subcontracts have been awarded.

Progress to date includes:

- Continuation of the underground services search and verification.
- Establishment of traffic management plans and controls.
- Establishment of erosion and sediment controls for each work site.
- The foundation treatment and construction of piling platforms.
- Initial site clearing of vegetation at a few work locations.
- Initial setout and design verification works.