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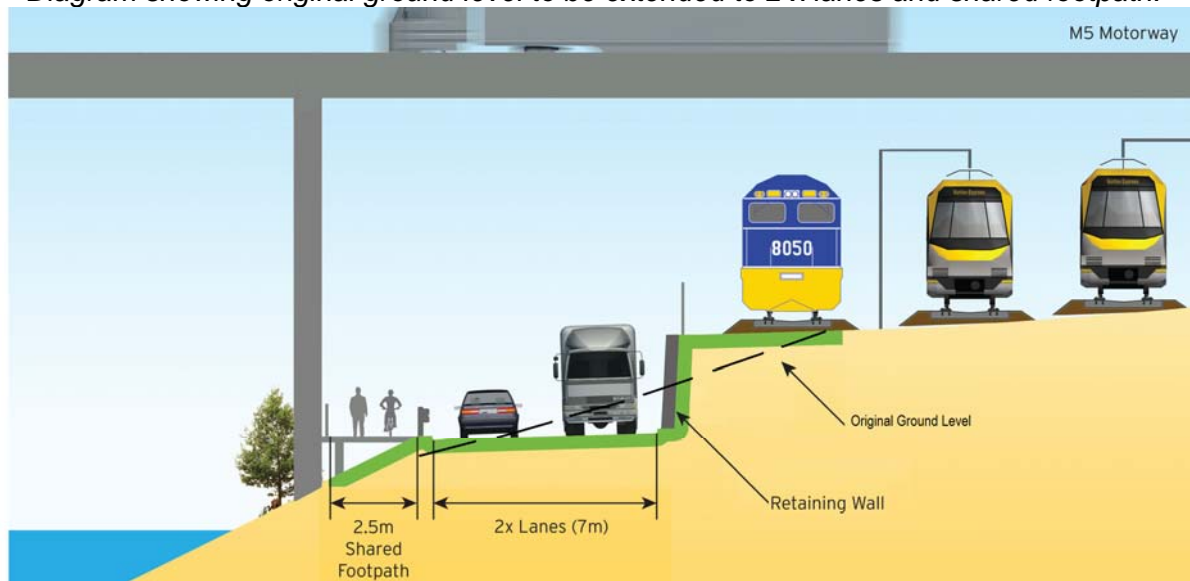
## Southern Sydney Freight Line IMPORTANT COMMUNITY INFORMATION

### New access route along Atkinson Street

Australian Rail Track Corporation (ARTC) is constructing a new Casula access road, as part of the Southern Sydney Freight Line project, stretching around 2km from Shepherd Street, Liverpool down to the Casula Powerhouse Regional Arts Centre (linking with Woodbrook Road, Casula).

The Casula access road will provide a gated access to the Powerhouse in combination with a shared pathway that is being constructed as part of the overall Georges River Corridor Shared Pathway. The road and pathway will service the planned parkland upgrade to the former Casula Golf Course site and form part of the rail safety upgrades, replacing the level crossing at Casula Road.

*Diagram showing original ground level to be extended to 2 x lanes and shared footpath.*



### Construction of the Casula access road

Construction of the Casula access road is underway, with commissioning of the road scheduled for early 2012. The primary construction traffic access point is at Shepherd Street, Liverpool. Some construction traffic is supported via the use of Casula Road, and a proposed access at Woodbrook Road, for periods when construction activities and excavation will prevent access through the site to the areas south of the M5 motorway.

### Proposed new access route

Currently construction traffic uses the Mill Road/ Hume Highway intersection to travel down Mill Road onto Shepherd Street and into the rail corridor and back. Following discussions with the RTA the original truck route using the Mill Road/ Hume Highway intersection has been revised, due to safety concerns. The new truck route is proposed to operate via Atkinson Street and provides an increased line of sight to approaching traffic on entering the Hume Highway.



### Community consultation

The SSFL community relations team will door knock the community to give local residents an opportunity to provide their comments for inclusion in the final work program.

We appreciate your patience while we build this important project for Sydney and NSW.

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