The NSW Government has funded the Bus Priority Infrastructure Program. The program aims to improve the reliability of bus services on Sydney’s main bus corridors.

Transport for NSW has identified some ways to improve the reliability of buses along the Botany to Gore Hill bus corridor.

From Monday 10 September 2018 as part of this program, Transport for NSW and Roads and Maritime Services will extend the bus stop on Elizabeth Street near Goodlet Street, Surry Hills. This stop is serviced by routes M20, M50, 305, 308, 309, 310, 343, 372, 393 and 395.

There will also be some changes to on-street parking. We have included a map to help explain our changes.

**Background**

These changes support *Future Transport Strategy 2056*, which is the NSW Government’s plan to deliver the future transport network. In this plan, a key customer outcome is safety and performance, which seeks to ensure that every customer enjoys safe travel across a high performing and efficient network. It also reflects what our customers tell us about bus services, with travel time and on-time running being some of the most important service features. The bus stop changes have been developed by Transport for NSW and Roads and Maritime, in consultation with the bus operators. The local council was consulted as part of the planning work.

**Key outcomes**

Key outcomes of the bus stop changes include:

- Improving customer and motorist safety for bus operations
- Making travel times more reliable for customers
- Contributing to the NSW Government’s target of 95 per cent on-time running of bus services.

**Bus stop changes**

The southbound bus stop changes on Elizabeth Street approaching Goodlet Street, Surry Hills, include:

- Extension of the bus zone at stop number 201082 by 20 metres north to cater for two stopped buses
- Removal of three southbound parking spaces between Belvoir Street and Goodlet Street
- Removal of two small trees to improve visibility and allow customers to safely board and exit buses.

**What happens next?**

The bus zone extension will be implemented from Monday 10 September 2018.

Works by council to remove two small trees are expected to be completed by mid-December 2018.

We will keep the community updated throughout the project.
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