



Controlled blasts at Tantangara work site

Future Generation is excavating the new Snowy 2.0 intake structure at the southern end of the Tantangara Reservoir to start constructing the headrace tunnel that will link Tantangara to Talbingo Reservoir.

This excavation will involve carrying out a series of controlled blasts at the Snowy 2.0 work site inside the marine exclusion zone at Tantangara Reservoir.

The surface blasts will allow the Snowy 2.0 construction team to excavate rock supports for the intake structure on the western foreshore of the reservoir.

Access to the southern area of Tantangara Reservoir will be strictly limited when four (4) controlled blasts take place between early April and late June 2022. Each of the four detonations will be scheduled for 5pm when fewer boats are expected on the water.

The first two detonations* are planned to take place at the following times:

- **between 11 and 15 April**
- **between 19 and 22 April**

* Dates for all blasts to be confirmed and renotified.

What to expect:

- An exclusion zone will be established 430 metres from the blast site on the western foreshore of the reservoir and extends beyond the existing marine exclusion zone.
- The exclusion zone will be in place one-hour before the scheduled detonations.
- Public access to the boat ramp will not be permitted during the scheduled detonations.
- The boat ramp, nearby roadways and reservoir will be patrolled to restrict access during the scheduled detonations.
- Each controlled blast is expected to last 20 seconds.
- The detonations will generate noise and vibration that extends some distance from the blast site. There will be dust in the immediate vicinity.

Trails and camping grounds near Tantangara will remain open to visitors in the National Park.

For more information | Thank you for your understanding while we carry out this work. If you have any questions, please contact the Snowy 2.0 Community Information Line 1800 766 992 (1800 Snowy 2) or Future Generation Joint Venture via email community@futuregenerationjv.com.au



Blast area from Snowy 2.0 worksite at southern end of Tantangara Reservoir