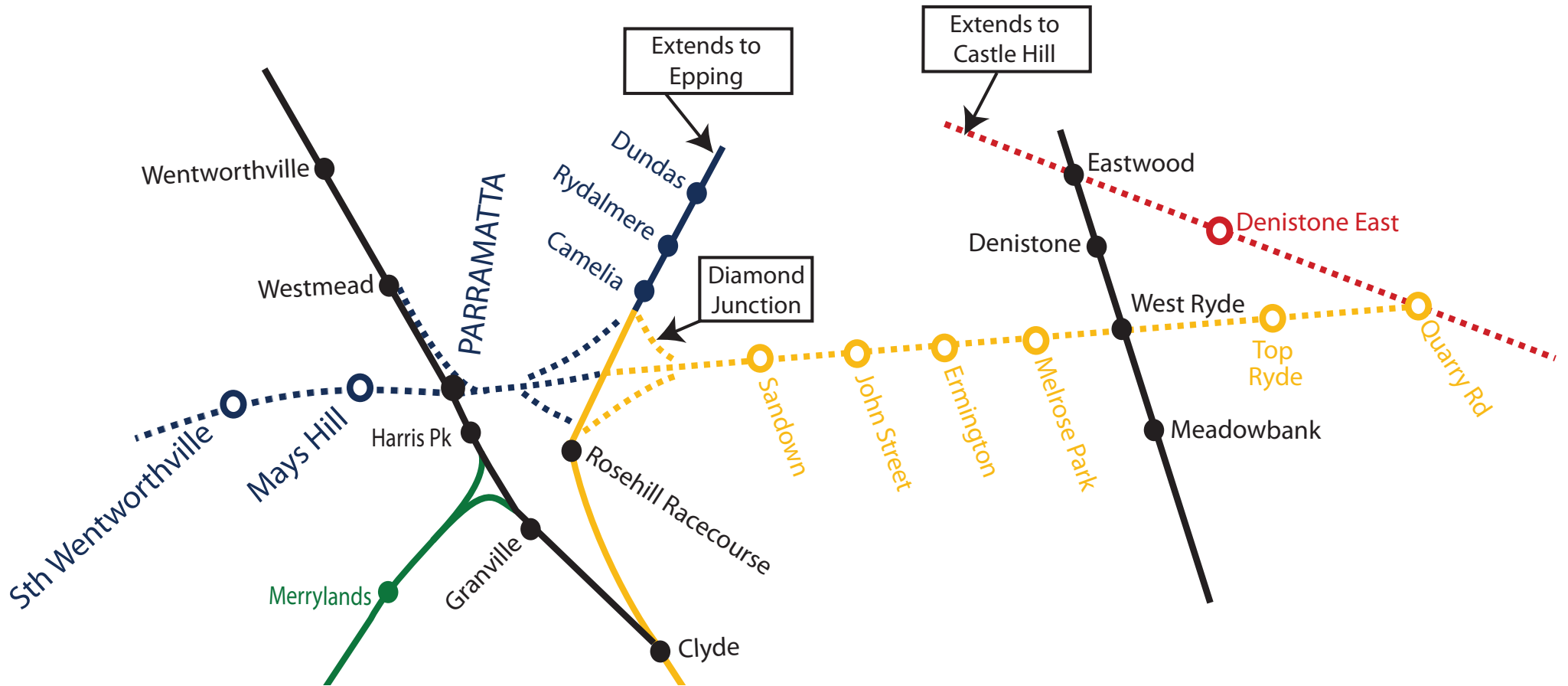


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Ermington Line



Map Key

- Existing Station
- New station / platform
- Existing Rail line
- - - New Rail line

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Community Benefits and Concerns

- The Ermington Line will extend from West Mead on the Western Line to Quarry Road on the Eastwood Line.
- The Ermington Line will ease congestion on the Western Line.
- The Ermington Line will intersect with the Northern Line at West Ryde with underground platforms.
- The Ermington Line will intersect with the Carlingford Line and include a 'diamond junction' thus allowing trains to operate in all directions.
- The 'diamond junction' will be used heavily when race meetings are held at Rosehill Racecourse.
- The goods line that used to have three industrial stations will be upgraded with a newly built station and named Sandown.
- Ermington station will serve the new housing estate near the Parramatta River.
- Above and below ground operation of the line.
- Reduce Peak hour traffic congestion.
- The car, taxi, bus and coach industries will not be adversely affected by the construction of the Ermington Line.
- Existing roads become safer to use for motorists and cyclists.
- Road fatalities will be reduced and as a result car insurance premiums will fall.
- Truck drivers and couriers will be able to deliver goods more easily.
- New bus and light rail routes will not remove the need to expand and improve the rail network.
- Introduction of a multi-modal charge card, for bus, train and ferry similar to the E-Toll account or Cab charge card.
- Enable commuters to purchase rail, bus and ferry tickets on the internet.
- Separation of railway line planning from urban planning.
- Financing of this railway will come from public, private and **RAILWAY BONDS**.
- Who loves sitting in stressful peak hour traffic congestion?

Ermington Line

West Mead
Parramatta
Sandown
John Street
Ermington
Melrose Park
West Ryde
Top Ryde
Quarry Road

**Change at
Parramatta
for**

Carlingford Line

Western Line

Winston Hills Line

**Change at
Sandown**

for

Carlingford Line

**Change at
West Ryde**

for

Northern Line

**Change at
Quarry Road**

for

Eastwood Line