



## WORKS NOTIFICATION

### GAS COMMISSIONING ACTIVITIES OSBORNE STREET, SOUTH YARRA ONGOING UNTIL END OF APRIL 2018

Works in preparation for major construction of the Metro Tunnel are continuing in South Yarra with the relocation of utility services underway and service investigations continuing ahead of upcoming works.

Further to the notification issued in mid-February, works are required to complete the gas service relocation in Osborne Street, South Yarra. These works include the connection, testing and commissioning of the new gas main, and the decommissioning of the old gas main. These works will be undertaken in a number of stages and will occur sequentially.

#### **Stage 1: Installation of a new gas regulator pit (previously notified on 13 March 2018)**

##### **What we are doing**

- Initial excavation and preparation for electrical crossings and new pipe installation
- Excavating down to the required depth to prepare the area for the pit installation
- Pipe installation and gas testing activities
- Installing the new gas regulator pit and supporting pipework within the Osborne Street reserve using a mobile crane.

##### **What to be aware of**

- There will be a closure on the southbound lane of Osborne Street during this stage of works
- Traffic management will be in place to maintain contra-flow access during this period.

##### **When**

- 7am - 6pm, Monday to Friday
- 7am - 1pm, Saturdays.

We will notify residents if there are any significant changes to the program.

#### **Stage 2: Tie-in works to connect the new and existing gas mains on Osborne Street**

##### **What we are doing**

- Tie-in works to connect the new and existing gas mains at both ends of Osborne Street
- Purging the new gas main in Osborne Street, at both ends. Purging is carried out to clear the pipes of air and involves releasing gas through the main and using a controlled visible flame through a vent connected to the main to remove any air.

##### **What to be aware of**

- Controlled flames will be used to remove air from gas pipes and may be viewable from street-view. The purging process will be undertaken by experienced construction professionals and the controlled flames pose no risk to workers or nearby residents
- Traffic management will be in place to maintain contra-flow access during this period
- A full road closure of Osborne Street may be required during the tie-in works. Residents will be notified if a full road closure is required.

##### **When**

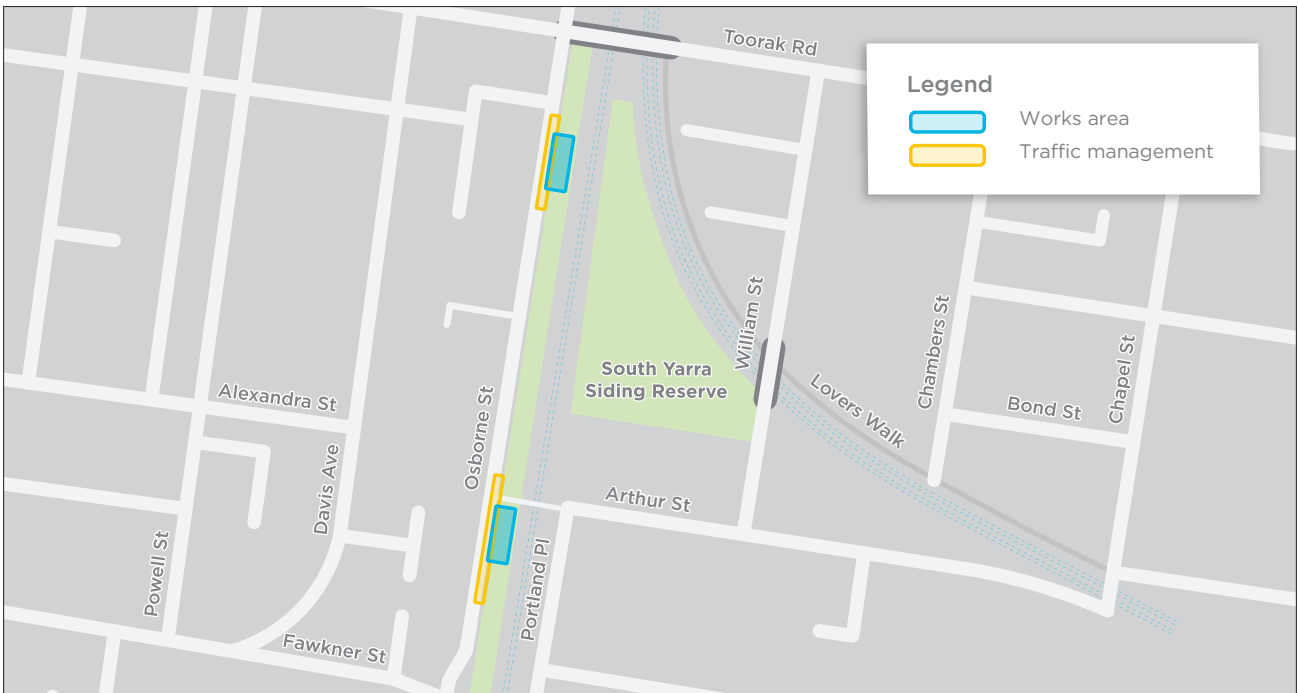
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- Extended hours may be required during stage of works for a period of 2 separate days.

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### Stage 3: Works to decommission the existing gas main

#### What we are doing

- Decommissioning the existing gas main
- Additional purging of gas main at both ends
- Removal of existing pit from the nature reserve via the use of a mobile crane.

#### What to be aware of

- Controlled flames will be used to remove air from gas pipes and may be viewable from street-view. The purging process will be undertaken by experienced construction professionals and the controlled flames pose no risk to workers or nearby residents.

#### When

- 7am – 6pm, Monday to Friday
- 7am – 1pm, Saturdays
- Traffic management will be in place to maintain contra-flow access during this period
- A full road closure of Osborne Street may be required for these works during the pit removal. Residents will be notified if a full road closure is required.

### Stage 4: Reinstatement works

#### What we are doing

- Asphaltting the road
- Reinstating the work area.

### What to be aware of

- There will be a closure on the southbound lane of Osborne Street during this stage of works. Traffic management will be in place during this period, please obey traffic management signage on site.

#### When

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- 7am – 1pm, Saturdays
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