Major construction is continuing in the northern end of Swanston Street at the site of the future State Library Station.

Last month the project team also reached a major milestone, with the first tunnel breakthrough for the project. This involved roadheader ‘Jane’ breaking through rock under Swanston Street between A’Beckett and Franklin Street for the State Library Station cavern.

Further information on these works can be found overleaf or at metrotunnel.vic.gov.au.

Construction snapshot

Construction works are continuing within the State Library Station precinct during August and will include:

- Piling and plunge column installation at the La Trobe Street site
- Tunnelling at the A’Beckett Street, Franklin Street East and La Trobe Street sites
- Deck construction and strutting at the Franklin Street West site
- Service investigation activities throughout the CBD
- Road surface works on Little La Trobe Street under road closure

- Relocation of tram poles on La Trobe Street under road closure.

When are we working?

Normal construction hours
7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday
7am to 1pm, Saturdays

Some activities may be required to continue slightly past these hours. All efforts will be made to complete activities as scheduled.

Out of hours

Some works are required to take place out of normal construction hours. The timing of these works are outlined in the construction information overleaf.

24 hours

24 hour works are sometimes required during peak construction activities. The timing of these works are outlined in the construction information overleaf.

Project Information Line
1800 105 105
24 hours a day, 7 days a week
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WORKS IN YOUR AREA

Tunnelling works
Franklin Street east site
24/7, Monday to Sunday

- Shaft excavation and tunnelling works are continuing 24 hours a day inside the acoustic shed.
- Other preparatory works will take place on Franklin Street near Stewart Street to install footings, stair wells and plinths.
- Local access for residents and businesses will be maintained at all times.

Deck construction and strutting
Franklin Street west site
7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday and
7am to 6pm, Saturdays, ongoing

• Construction of a steel deck and struts will involve steel deliveries and lifting using mobile cranes. These works will involve excavating, jackhammering and drilling using a small drill rig
• These works are expected to generate low to medium levels of noise.

Oversized deliveries
Franklin Street west site
7am to 3pm, Monday to Saturday
11pm to 5am, as required

• There will be oversized deliveries to the Franklin Street West shaft site to deliver large sections of structural steel for the acoustic shed and deck.
• For the safety of the community and our workers, Franklin Street will be closed between Stewart and Swanston Street between 7am and 3pm from Monday to Saturdays as required (refer to map)
• Due to traffic restrictions some oversized deliveries will take place between 11pm and 5am. The steel will be lifted directly off the truck using a crane and placed into position.
• Local access for residents and businesses will be maintained at all times
• Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists around the work areas.

Installation of acoustic shed
Franklin Street west site
7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday and
7am to 3pm, Saturday, from late-August

• Installation of an acoustic shed over the shaft site will commence in late-August and will involve road and footpath closures. More information will be available closer to the time.
• Archaeological investigations involving the use of hand tools are nearing completion at the Little La Trobe Street site
• These works generate low levels of noise.

Installation of overhead gantry
Franklin Street west site
7am to 6pm, Monday to Saturdays
from 13 August

• Installation of an overhead gantry will commence with CitiPower installing services under the surface of the road at Stewart Street from 13 to 18 August (refer to map)

Line marking works
Franklin Street west site
6am to 12am, Wednesday 21 August
6am to 12am, Thursday 22 August
(contingency)

Line marking works will take place on the corner of Stewart and Franklin Street. This involves:
• Line marking using a line marking truck
• During these works a detour will be in place, residents of A’Beckett Tower and the Currie and Richards building will need to use A’Beckett Street to access their car parks.
• Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists and motorists around the work area, and to and from the A’Beckett Tower car lift
• These works are expected to generate low levels of noise.

Tunnelling works
A’Beckett Street site
24/7, Monday to Sunday

• Tunnelling works are continuing 24 hours a day inside the acoustic shed.

Line marking works
A’Beckett Street site
6am to 4am, Tuesday 20 August
6am to 4am, Thursday 22 August
(contingency)

Road safety improvements will be made to A’Beckett Street between Stewart and Elizabeth Street. This involves:
• Installation of a zebra crossing
• Line marking at the U-turn and car space lines
• Street parking will not be available on the southern side of A’Beckett Street between Stewart Street and the U-turn, from 3pm Tuesday 20 August to 6am Wednesday 21 August
• Access to A’Beckett Tower car park and Currie and Richards building will be maintained from Stewart Street
• These works are expected to generate low levels of noise.

Concrete pouring
Little La Trobe Street
6pm to 10pm, Monday to Friday, ongoing

• Concrete pours for piles will occur out of hours and generate low level noise, these works will involve use of concrete trucks, pumps and additional lighting.

Piling Little La Trobe Street
7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday and
7am to 6pm, Saturdays, from late August ongoing until 2020

• Piling works will commence at the Little La Trobe Street site once archaeology is complete.
• There will be additional truck movements to deliver and remove equipment, construction materials and ground material
• These works are expected to generate medium to high levels of noise
• Further information is available at metrotunnel.vic.gov.au.

Surface works
Little La Trobe Street
3pm to 10pm, Monday to Friday between 12 August to 16 August; 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday between 19 August to 30 August; 24/7 road closure between 19 August to 30 August

• Before piling commences, works are required on Little La Trobe Street to install and relocate services, create a loading zone and shared use thoroughfare for motorists, pedestrians and cyclists.
• Little La Trobe Street will be closed to motorists travelling from Swanston Street during these works. Local access to Little La Trobe Street and Literature Lane will be maintained via Elizabeth Street (refer to map)
• The northern footpath on Little La Trobe Street will be closed adjacent to the work area for the duration of works. Please use the southern footpath during this time.
• These works will generate medium levels of noise
• Further information is available at metrotunnel.vic.gov.au.

Tunnelling works
La Trobe Street
24/7, Monday to Sundays, ongoing

• Tunnelling under the La Trobe Street site to construct the station cavern for the State Library Station will continue throughout 2019
• There will be additional truck movements to deliver and remove construction materials and ground material
• Further information is available at metrotunnel.vic.gov.au.

Tram pole relocation
La Trobe Street
24/7, Monday to Sunday, from 5 August

To facilitate the construction of the underground passenger connection between Melbourne Central Station and the future State Library Station, tram pole relocation works are required on La Trobe Street between Elizabeth and Swanston Street. This involves:
• Installing padded footing using a road cutter, vacuum truck and a concrete agitator
• Excavating standard footing using a vacuum truck and road cutter
• Installing plugging columns using a crane, excavators, concrete agitators and hand tools
• The La Trobe Street eastbound lane between Elizabeth Street and Swanston Street will be closed to motorists between 5 August and 18 August
• The northern La Trobe Street footpath and dedicated eastbound bicycle lane will remain closed during these works
• Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists around the work areas
• There will be high levels of noise during saw cutting and ground-breaking activities and during use of the vacuum truck. Some noisy works need to take place while the trams are not running between 1am to 5am
• Local access for residents and businesses will be maintained at all times
• Further information about these works are available on metrotunnel.vic.gov.au.

Piling
La Trobe Street
7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday and
7am to 6pm, Saturdays, ongoing until 2020

• Piling works will continue at the La Trobe Street site using piling rigs, cranes, and trucks
• There will be additional truck movements to deliver and remove equipment, construction materials and ground material
• These works are expected to generate medium to high levels of noise

Concrete pouring
La Trobe Street
6pm to 10pm, Monday to Friday, ongoing

• Concrete pours for piles will occur out of hours and generate low level noise, these works will involve use of concrete trucks, pumps and additional lighting.

Oversized deliveries
All sites
10pm to 6am, intermittently throughout August 2019

• In addition to regular deliveries to site during normal working hours, out of hours oversized deliveries will occur intermittently throughout August, to minimise traffic disruptions and for the safety of the public and our workers
• These works are expected to generate low levels of noise. Further information will be provided to directly affected residents closer to the date.
**Traffic and transport impacts**

- Eastbound lanes on La Trobe Street, between Elizabeth and Swanston Street will be closed from 5 August until 18 August for service relocation works.
- The northern La Trobe Street footpath, adjacent to the La Trobe Street site, will be closed for the duration of the La Trobe Street service relocation works.
- The dedicated eastbound bicycle lane will remain closed on La Trobe Street during the La Trobe Street service relocation works.
- Franklin Street will be closed between Elizabeth and Swanston Street between 7am and 3pm from Monday to Saturday and between 7am and 5pm for oversized deliveries as required.

**Ongoing**

- Ongoing intermittent partial closures of footpaths on Victoria, Franklin, Bouverie, and Therry streets to allow for monitoring of the wells.
- Ongoing intermittent overnight lane closures on Victoria, Therry, and Franklin streets to allow for monitoring of the wells.
- Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists around the work areas.
- Access to residential buildings and businesses will be maintained at all times.

Further information is available at metrotunnel.vic.gov.au
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### Business support

While the Metro Tunnel Project will be a significant boost for Melbourne, construction activities in a busy environment can be challenging for local businesses.

In response to this, our Business Support team assists businesses through the disruption and any permanent changes that take place.

We hope you will join us in supporting Captain Melville, the Flinders Quarter Augmented Art Walk and the businesses around our Town Hall Station sites. Please see the insert within this notification for more information.

We look forward to promoting more business precincts and individual businesses in the coming months.

### More information

To find out more about the Metro Tunnel Project and register for future email updates:

- **Website:** [metrotunnel.vic.gov.au](http://metrotunnel.vic.gov.au)
- **Phone:** 1800 105 105 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week)
  - Press 2 and follow the prompts
- **Facebook:** [facebook.com/metrotunnel](http://facebook.com/metrotunnel)


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