Works Notification

Lane closures on St Kilda Road
Domain precinct

Thursday 10 September 2020

Major construction is continuing in Domain at the site of the future Anzac Station and surrounding areas as part of the Metro Tunnel Project.

What we are doing

Two Tunnel Boring Machines (TBMs) have nearly completed their first sections of tunnel in the eastern precinct of the project, as they get closer to reaching the Eastern Portal.

Once the machines have broken through, they will be dismantled and brought back to site on St Kilda Road so they can be reassembled for launch towards the CBD next year.

In preparation for the transportation of these oversize TBM parts back to site, some trees overhanging St Kilda Road will require branch trimming. To allow this work to occur safely, there will be temporary lane closures of St Kilda Road northbound.

The tree trimming work will progressively move from Park Street up St Kilda Road towards the city, with local building access maintained at all times via traffic controllers. Traffic access will be available on St Kilda Road with the exception of the block between Park Street and Dorcas Street, which will be closed to northbound traffic to allow for the work.

What you should be aware of

— Between 9am and 11am on Thursday 10 September, St Kilda Road will be closed between Park Street and Dorcas Street
— There will be a detour in place via Park Street, Wells Street and Dorcas Street (see map)
— During this closure, local access will be maintained, however, some delays should be expected
— Once the trees in this block have been trimmed, the works will progress up St Kilda Road
— After 11am, the northbound outer carriageway of St Kilda Road will progressively be closed between Dorcas Street and Southbank Boulevard as the team works their way up the road trimming trees
— St Kilda Road will remain open for the duration of this section of works via the central carriageway
— Access to local buildings and side streets will be maintained from the central carriageway

When

— Thursday 10 September 9am – 4pm.
Health and safety

The Metro Tunnel Project is a critical state infrastructure project under Stage 4 restrictions, allowing work to continue with strict health and safety measures in place. The health and safety of our workers and the community is our key priority and we have measures in place to protect the safety of our construction workforce, including temperature screening, additional protective equipment including masks, daily health screening of workers, enhanced cleaning, staggered shifts and break times, and physical distancing. Our workforce numbers across Victoria’s Big Build have already been significantly reduced to support directions from the Chief Health Officer, and we are continuing to manage the number of staff and visitors attending our worksites.


Keeping you informed

To help support the Victorian Government’s stage 4 coronavirus (COVID-19) restrictions while still making sure people know what’s happening in their area, we’ve temporarily changed the way we’ll notify you about upcoming works.

We are using the following channels instead of hand delivering information into your letterbox at this time.

Please sign up to our email updates via the Metro Tunnel Project website www.metrotunnel.vic.gov.au so we can continue to keep you informed about works in your area.

More information

To find out more about the Metro Tunnel Project:


[1800 105 105](tel:1800105105) (24 hours a day, 7 days a week)

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