

Works Notification

Out of hours works on the Mernda line Epping to South Morang

From Monday 17 May to Friday 27 August 2021

Testing of next-generation High Capacity Signalling for the Metro Tunnel is continuing on the Mernda line.

Please read the information in this notification to familiarise yourself with the impacts of the works, including planned closures of the Mernda line.

Out of hours works will continue intermittently on the Mernda line from May to August to allow the Metro Tunnel Project to conduct critical testing of High Capacity Signalling technology.

These works will also include relocation of an existing signal mast and associated trackside equipment near Pindari Avenue in May 2021.

What we are doing

- Testing trackside and train equipment
- Testing new signalling technology
- Relocating trackside and signalling equipment
- Works will require the use of an excavator, hand-held power tools, lighting tower, light vehicles and trains that will be testing the new technology on the track.

When

From 7pm to 5am

- Monday 17 May to Friday 21 May
- Monday 7 June to Wednesday 9 June
- Wednesday 16 June to Friday 18 June
- Monday 28 June to Friday 2 July
- Monday 5 July to Friday 9 July
- Monday 12 July to Friday 16 July
- Monday 26 July to Friday 30 July

- Monday 2 August to Friday 6 August
- Monday 9 August to Friday 13 August
- Monday 16 August to Friday 20 August
- Monday 23 August to Friday 27 August.

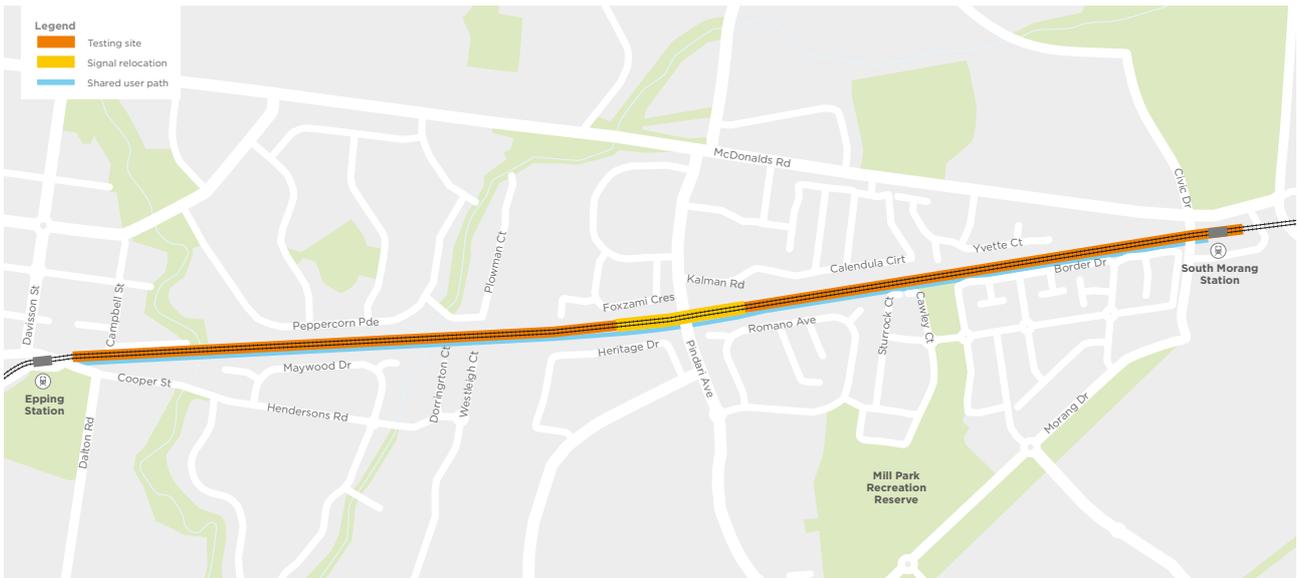
What to be aware of

- These works are expected to generate medium to high levels of noise
- During the May works at Pindari Avenue, the shared user path that runs alongside the rail corridor between Epping and South Morang station will remain open for use. However, traffic management will be in place during this period to enable safe movements of light vehicles that will be accessing the path to enter the rail corridor
- Testing works will require the use of trains at night, when trains are not normally running. The trains will use horns as required.

Travel changes

- To ensure these works can take place safely, buses replace trains on various evenings from 8.50pm to last service between Epping and Mernda from 17 May to 27 August 2021
- Passengers should allow extra travel time.

To stay up-to-date with bus replacement timetables and to plan your journey visit ptv.vic.gov.au



Health and safety

Works on the Metro Tunnel Project are progressing with strict COVIDsafe Plans in place. The health and safety of our workforce and community remains our top priority.

For more information and advice about the coronavirus (COVID-19), please visit coronavirus.vic.gov.au



More information

To find out more about the Metro Tunnel Project:

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