

Works Notification

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

From Monday 1 June to Thursday 23 July 2020

Testing of next-generation High Capacity Signalling for the Metro Tunnel is continuing on the Mernda line between Epping and South Morang in June and July.

Out of hours works will continue intermittently on the Mernda line throughout June and July to allow the Metro Tunnel Project to conduct critical testing of High Capacity Signalling technology and trackside equipment.

These works will enable the rollout of the first High Capacity Signalling communications system on an existing train line anywhere in Australia.

What we are doing

- Testing new trackside and train equipment
- Testing new signalling technology
- Installing signage within the rail corridor.

When

From 7pm to 5am on:

- Monday 1 June to Friday 5 June
- Monday 13 July to Friday 17 July.

From the last train each night to the first train each morning from:

- Sunday 19 July to Thursday 23 July (no impact to passengers).

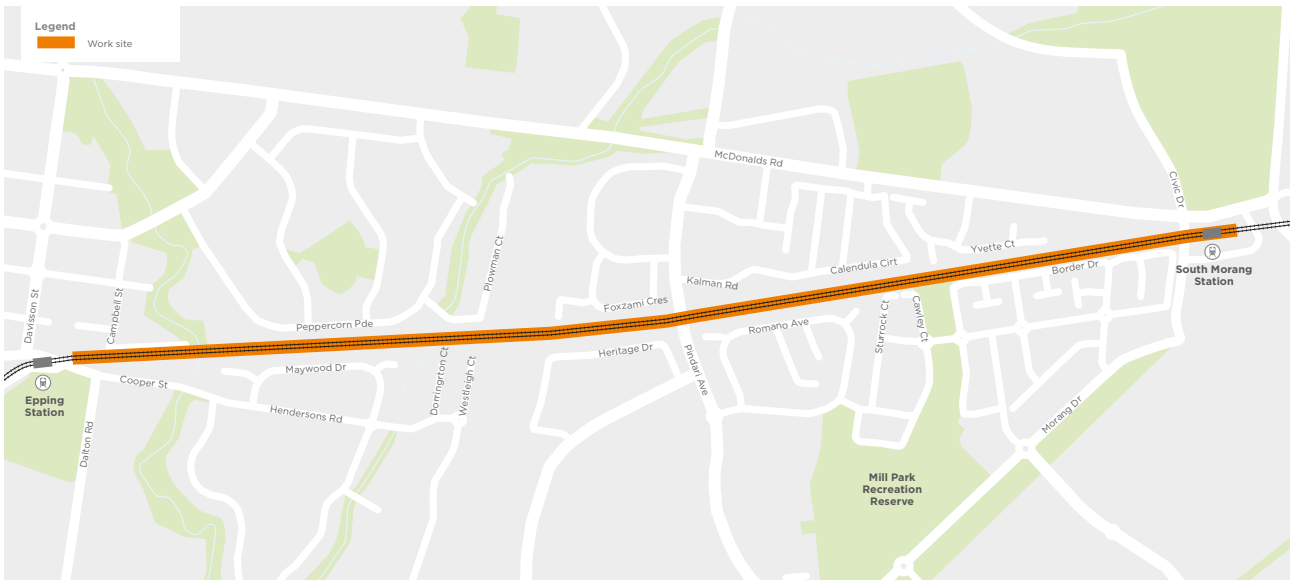
What you should be aware of

- Testing works will require the use of trains at night, when trains are not normally running
- The trains will use horns as required
- The 323 McDonalds Road, South Morang site compound will be used for parking and pre-start activities.

Travel changes

- To ensure these works can take place safely, buses will replace trains at times on part of the Mernda line between 1 June to 17 July 2020
- From 8.50pm to last train each night from Monday 1 June to Friday 5 June and Monday 13 July to Friday 17 July – buses will replace trains between Epping and Mernda stations
- Passengers should allow an additional 30 minutes travel time.

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



Health and safety

The health and safety of our workers and the community is our key priority as we continue to deliver the Metro Tunnel Project, as is supporting physical distancing measures in line with current health advice.


We have strict protocols in place to protect the safety of our construction workforce, including enhanced industrial cleaning arrangements,

provision of personal protective equipment and measures to reduce staff contact, including staggered shifts.

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

More information

To find out more about the Metro Tunnel Project:

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