Works Notification

Services installation
Joseph Road, Footscray

7 September - late October 2020

Major construction is continuing along the Sunbury rail corridor in preparation for the Metro Tunnel. To prepare the rail corridor for new power, communications and signalling infrastructure, we will soon commence works near Joseph Road, Footscray.

What we are doing
— Delivering construction machinery and materials on site
— Earthworks including the use of excavators and bulldozers and compaction rollers to change ground conditions
— Installing new soil fill to expand and strengthen the existing rail embankment
— Installing new communications and power services
— Transporting excess construction material of site.

When
— 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday
— 7am to 1pm, Saturdays.

What to be aware of
— These works are expected to produce medium levels of noise and low levels of vibration
— Construction vehicles will access the site via Joseph Road. Traffic controllers will be present at times to assist vehicle and pedestrian movements around the construction site
— Please note the Maribyrnong River Trail will remain open during these works.
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.

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

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 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 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week)

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