



WORKS NOTIFICATION

SERVICE RELOCATIONS - LA TROBE STREET 20 MAY - MID-JULY 2019

Major works on the Metro Tunnel are underway to support construction of the new State Library Station at the northern end of Swanston Street in the CBD.

To facilitate the construction of the underground passenger connection between Melbourne Central Station and the future State Library Station underground service relocations will commence from Monday 20 May on La Trobe Street between Elizabeth and Swanston streets.

During these works there will be changes to the eastbound traffic and bicycle lanes, as well as the footpath on the northern side of La Trobe Street.

Works will take place during the day and at night over four stages between 20 May and mid-July. Once the services have been relocated a long-term traffic arrangement will be put in place while construction of the State Library Station continues.

Stage one: 20 May - 14 June

What we are doing

Stage one works to relocate services under La Trobe Street will involve:

- Installation of barriers and hoarding
- Removal of the existing road surface, traffic island and kerb using excavators with hammer attachments, saw cutters, grinders and a vacuum truck
- Construction of new drainage pits
- Installation of pipes between the new drainage pits
- Backfilling trenches and reinstating the road.

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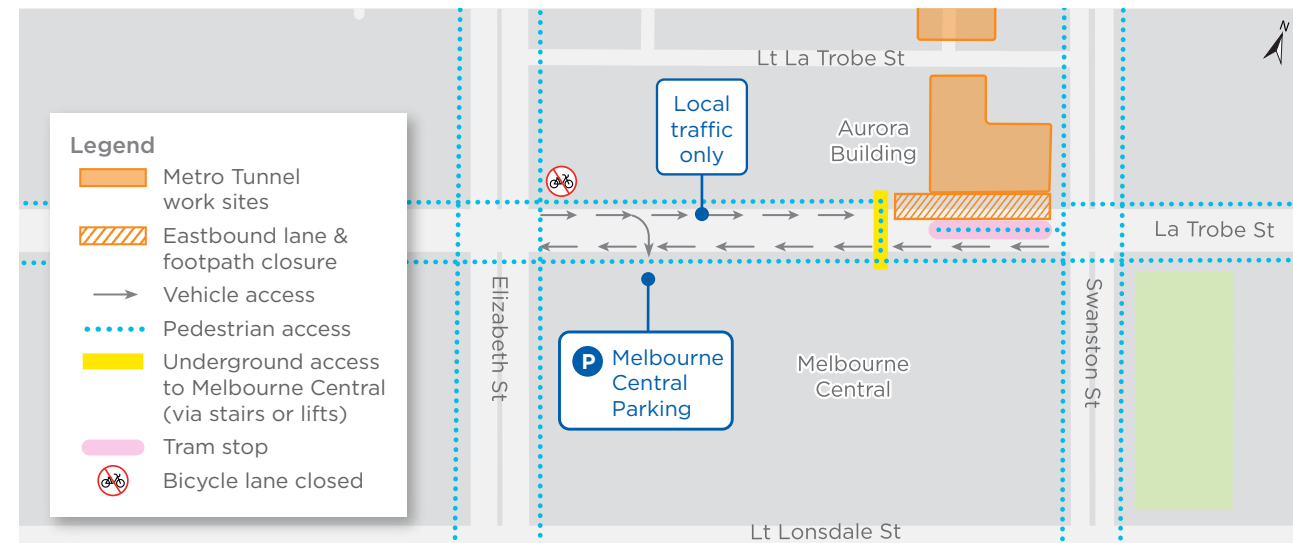
- 7am - 6pm, Monday to Sundays between Monday 20 May to Tuesday 4 June (weather permitting)

- 24/7 works, Monday to Sundays between Wednesday 5 June to Friday 14 June (weather permitting).

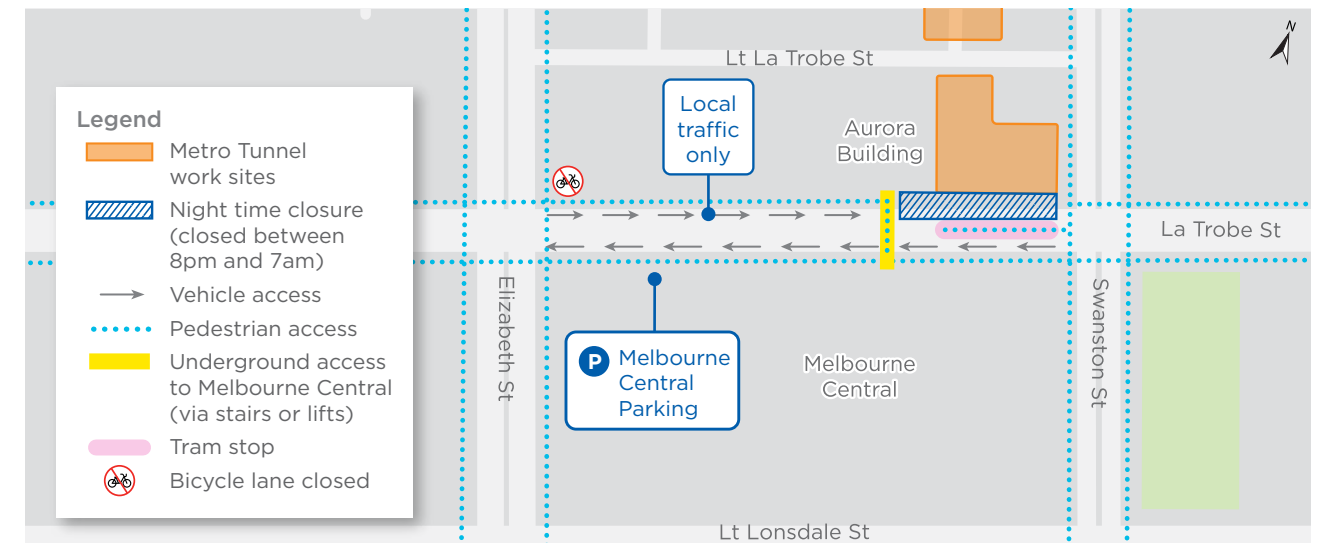
What to be aware of

- There will be no through access for motorists or cyclists to Swanston Street travelling eastbound during stage one works (20 May to 14 June)
- The dedicated eastbound bicycle lane will remain closed with a detour in place via Queen Street, Little Lonsdale Street, and then Russell Street for the duration of the service relocation works
- The northern footpath on La Trobe Street will be closed adjacent to the work area for the duration of the service relocation works
- Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists around the work area
- Where possible noisier activities will be carried out during the day, however there are some activities which will generate high levels of noise at night in June, as part of the removal of the road surface
- All reasonable efforts will be made to complete the works as per schedule, subject to weather and ground conditions
- Access to the tram stop on La Trobe Street will be maintained at all times
- Access to businesses and residential buildings will be maintained at all times.

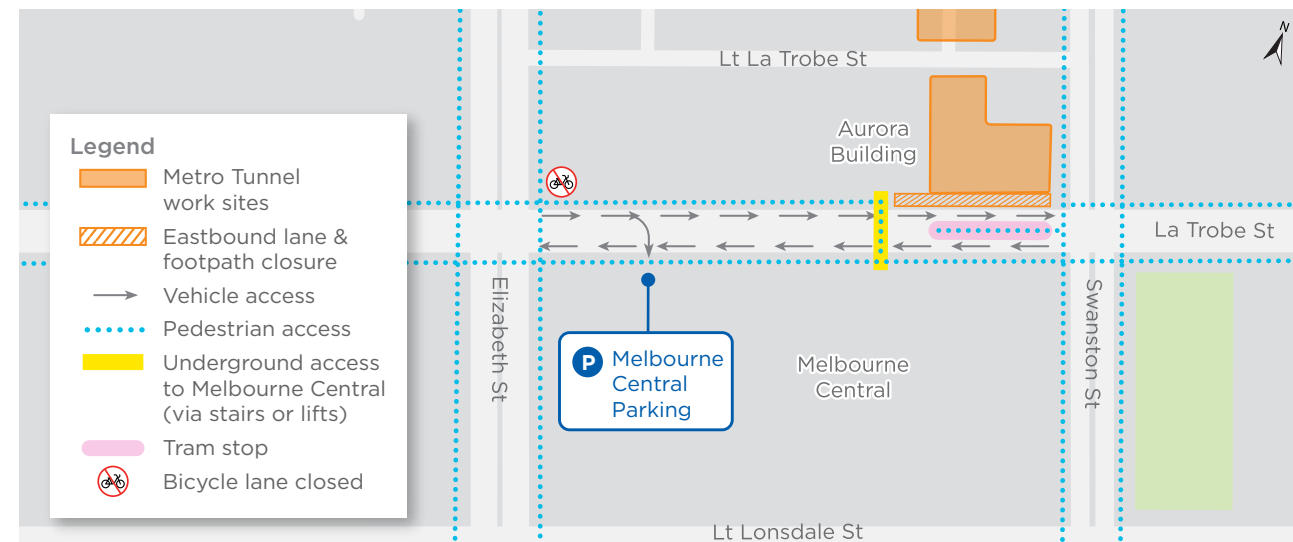
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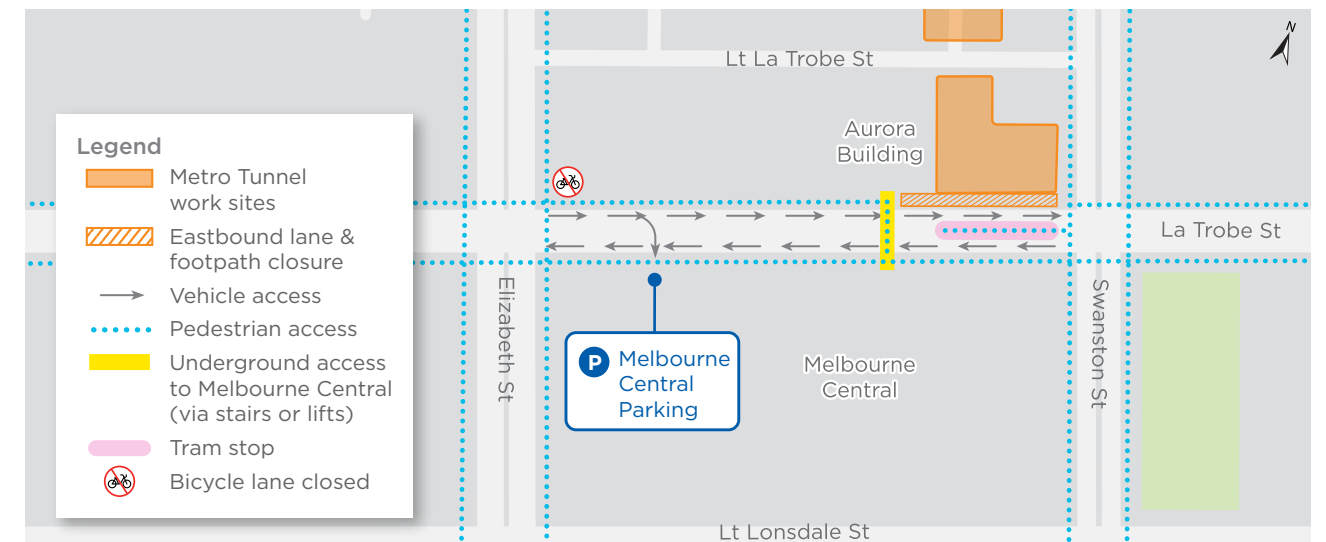
Stage three: 25 June – 1 July



Stage two: 15–24 June



Stage four: 2–15 July



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Stage two: 15–24 June

What we are doing

Stage two works to relocate services under La Trobe Street will involve:

- Saw cutting a trench
- Rock breaking using an excavator
- Removal of ground materials using an excavator, a bobcat and tipper.

When

- 7am – 6pm, Monday to Sundays between Saturday 15 June to Monday 24 June (weather permitting).

What to be aware of

- One eastbound lane will be open to motorists during stage two works
- The dedicated eastbound bicycle lane will remain closed with a detour in place via Queen Street, Little Lonsdale Street, and then Russell Street for the duration of the service relocation works

- The northern footpath on La Trobe Street will be closed adjacent to the work area for the duration of the service relocation works
- Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists around the work area
- All reasonable efforts will be made to complete the works as per schedule, subject to weather
- Pedestrian access to the tram stop on La Trobe Street will be maintained at all times
- Access to businesses and residential buildings will be maintained at all times.

Stage three: 25 June – 1 July

What we are doing

Stage three works to relocate services under La Trobe Street will involve:

- Installation of box sections, pits and pipes
- Installation of tram pole footings using a saw cutter and vacuum truck

- Backfilling, asphaltting and line marking.

When

- 8pm – 7am, Monday to Sundays between Tuesday 25 June to Monday 1 July (weather permitting).

What to be aware of

- There will be no through access for motorists or cyclists to Swanston Street travelling eastbound during work hours (8pm-7am)
- One eastbound lane will be open to motorists outside of working hours
- The dedicated eastbound bicycle lane will remain closed with a detour in place via Queen Street, Little Lonsdale Street, and then Russell Street for the duration of the service relocation works
- The northern footpath on La Trobe Street will be closed adjacent to the work area for the duration of the service relocation works

- Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists around the work area
- 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
- All reasonable efforts will be made to complete the works as per schedule, subject to weather
- Pedestrian access to the tram stop on La Trobe Street will be maintained at all times
- Access to businesses and residential buildings will be maintained at all times.

Stage four: 2–15 July

What we are doing

Stage four works to relocate services under La Trobe Street will involve:

- Pulling cables through new pipes

- Tying in existing and new utility services
- Pressure testing new water main.
- The relevant service provider will contact anyone who is directly affected by interruption to services during these works.

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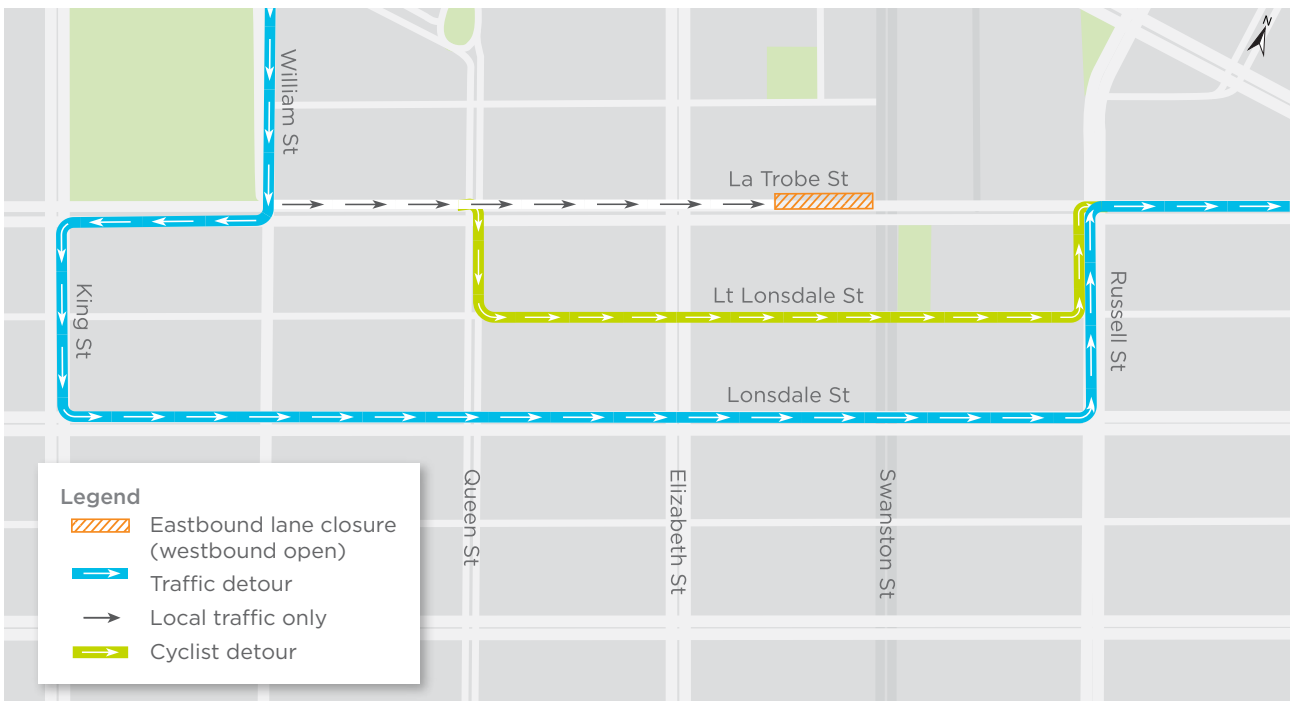
- 7am– 6pm, Monday to Sundays between Tuesday 2 July to Monday 15 July (weather permitting).

What to be aware of

- One eastbound lane will be open to motorists during stage four works and remain open
- The dedicated eastbound bicycle lane will remain closed with a detour in place via Queen Street, Little Lonsdale Street, and then Russell Street for the duration of the service relocation works

- The northern footpath on La Trobe Street will be closed adjacent to the work area for the duration of the service relocation works
- Traffic management will be in place to safely guide pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists around the work area
- There will be low levels of noise during service connection works
- All reasonable efforts will be made to complete the works as per schedule, subject to weather and ground conditions
- Pedestrian access to the tram stop on La Trobe Street will be maintained at all times
- Access to businesses and residential buildings will be maintained at all times
- A long term traffic arrangement will be communicated separate to this notification.

Bicycle and vehicle diversions during works



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