



## WORKS NOTIFICATION

### EXTENDED CONSTRUCTION HOURS ARTHUR AND WILLIAM STREETS, SOUTH YARRA

**MONDAY 25 MAY TO FRIDAY 5 JUNE 2020**

As part of the Metro Tunnel works to construct the eastern tunnel entrance in South Yarra, critical works will be completed to install new drainage pipes in the South Yarra Siding Reserve and to complete ground improvement works within the egress shaft near Arthur Street.

#### What we are doing

##### Pipe installation works

- Drainage installation works were previously notified to take place in early May, however due to changes with construction activities these works have now been rescheduled for late May
- Installation of new drainage pipes within the South Yarra Siding Reserve
- These works will require the use of a hydraulic jack to push the pipe into the ground
- The new pipes will be connected to the rainwater detention tank at a later date.

##### Egress shaft grouting works

- Unexpected soil conditions within the egress shaft require necessary grouting works to take place to improve ground conditions
- Drilling into the ground, below the road level within the egress shaft
- Pumping grout into the soil, to provide more stable ground conditions for the continued excavation of the egress shaft.

#### When

##### Pipe installation works

- Monday 25 to Saturday 30 May and Monday 1 to Friday 5 June, 7am to 7pm
- Sunday 31 May, 7am to 5pm.

##### Egress shaft grouting works

- Tuesday 26 and Wednesday 27 May, 6pm to 7am.

#### What to be aware of

##### Pipe installation works

- As the installation of the pipe is critical to ensure the structural integrity of the drainage structure, works will be required to extend past normal construction hours, to ensure the works are completed safely
- These works are expected to generate medium to high levels of noise as the pipe is pushed into the ground. We also expect some low level vibration.

##### Egress shaft grouting works

- Support structures within the shaft need to be removed to complete these works. To ensure structural integrity, and the safety of our workforce, grouting will be undertaken overnight so works can be completed quickly and struts are reinstated as soon as possible
- These works are expected to generate medium to high levels of noise as the drilling is undertaken.



### 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](https://coronavirus.vic.gov.au).

### More information

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