

WORKS NOTIFICATION

OUT OF HOURS WORKS RAIL CORRIDOR, BETWEEN KENSINGTON AND FOOTSCRAY STATIONS

26 JUNE - 6 JULY 2020

Further to the Kensington June Monthly Construction Update, this notification provides additional information about upcoming works in your area.

What we are doing

Cable pipe installation (South Kensington station and Maribyrnong River)

• Installing steel pipes and posts for new signalling cables. This involves the use of excavators and dump trucks operating within the rail corridor.

Earthworks and site investigations

- Use of an excavator to undertake embankment stabilising works between the tunnel entrance and the existing rail corridor
- Spraying concrete (shotcreting) along the embankment
- Use of a non-destructive digging (NDD) truck to confirm the location of existing services.

Installation of foundations and overhead wiring structures (Maribyrnong River to Footscray station)

- Installing new overhead wiring foundations through bored piling. This involves using excavators to drill holes in the ground and remove excess soil. A reinforcement cage is then installed and concrete poured in to create the pile
- Rail mounted cranes will be used to lift new steel overhead wiring structures into the rail corridor. Workers on elevated platforms will then use hand tools to complete installation.

When

Cable pipe installation (24 hour works)

- 8pm, Friday 26 June to 7pm, 30 Tuesday June 2020 (South Kensington station)
- 8pm, Friday 26 June to 5am, Monday 6 July 2020 (Maribyrnong River).

Earthworks and site investigations

• 7am to 6pm, Friday 26 June to Sunday 5 July 2020.

Installation of foundations and overhead wiring structures (24 hour works)

• 8pm, Friday 26 June to 5am, Monday 6 July 2020.

What to be aware of

- The works are expected to generate medium level noise
- The use of generator-powered lighting towers will be required during nightworks. Where possible, these will be faced away from residential properties
- For the safety of rail users and our workers, some of these activities can only be performed out of hours when trains are not running





- Overhead foundation and installation works will take place 24/7 between Maribyrnong River and Footscray station. It is expected that these works may generate some periods of low level noise to residents close to Maribyrnong River
- To minimise disruption to the local community and rail users, important Metro Trains Melbourne maintenance works will also be carried out at this time. For more information on these works visit: **metrotrains.com.au**.

Travel changes

Buses replace trains on the Sunbury Line

• From 12.45am Saturday 27 June to last train Sunday 5 July between Flagstaff, North Melbourne and Sunbury.

Please allow extra time to complete your journey.

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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