

EXPANDING MELBOURNE'S UNDERGROUND RAIL NETWORK

UPDATE FOR RESIDENTS OF THE DOMAIN PRECINCT APRIL 2016

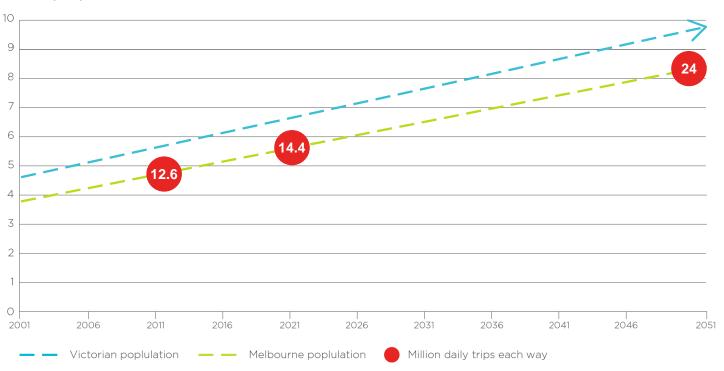




MELBOURNE METRO RAIL

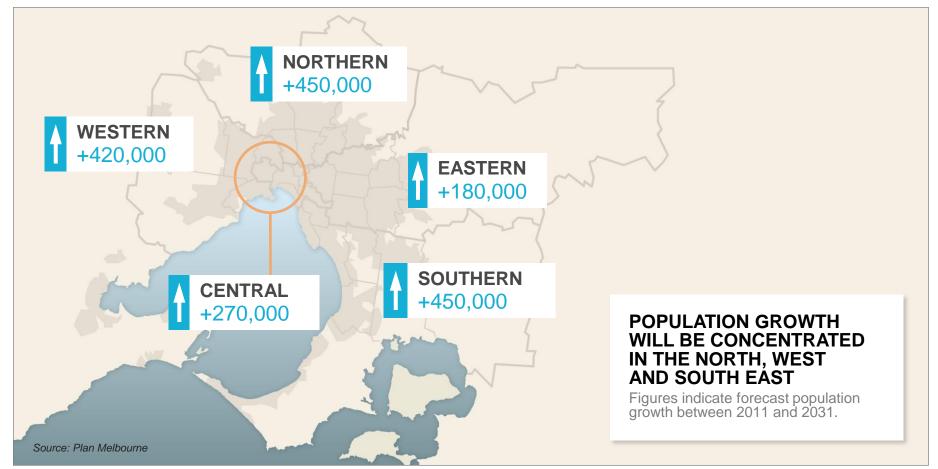
MEETING THE CHALLENGE OF POPULATION GROWTH

million people



MELBOURNE METRO POPULATION GROWTH

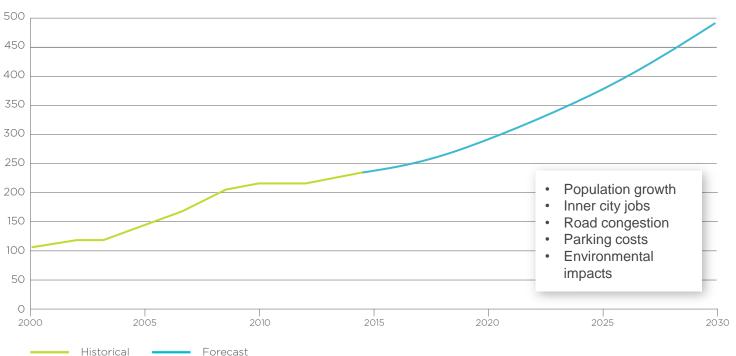






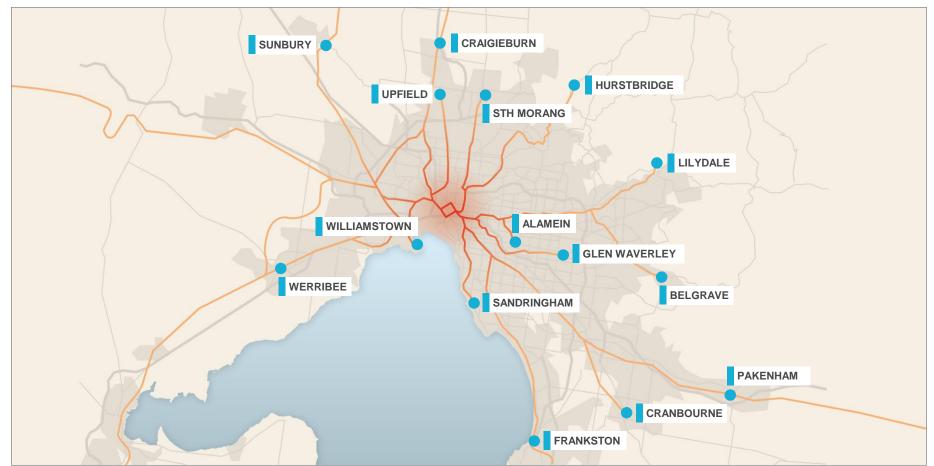
FUTURE RAIL NETWORK PATRONAGE

Annual patronage millions



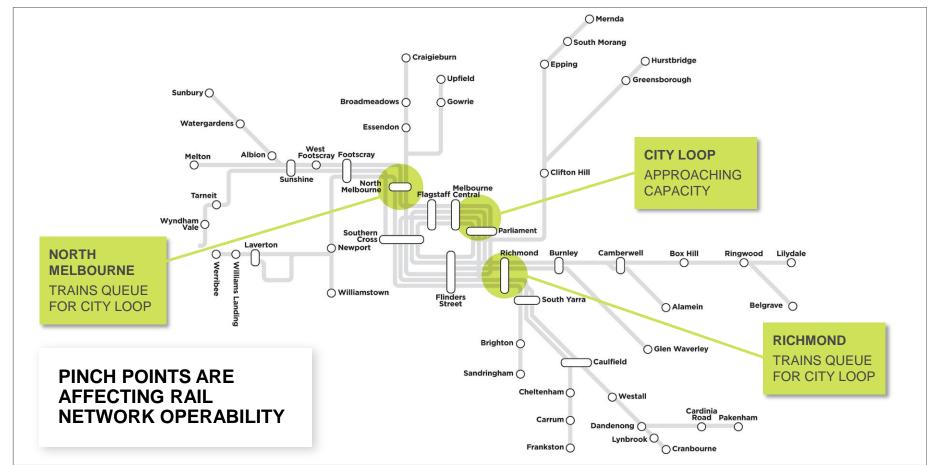
MELBOURNE METRO CURRENT RAIL NETWORK





MELBOURNE METRO NETWORK PINCH POINTS

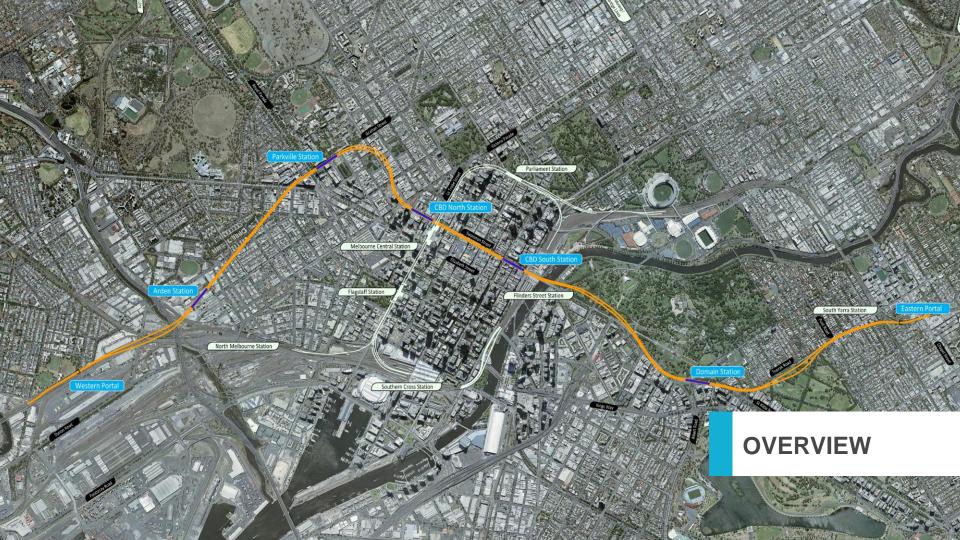




MELBOURNE METRO CBD TRANSPORT PINCH POINTS

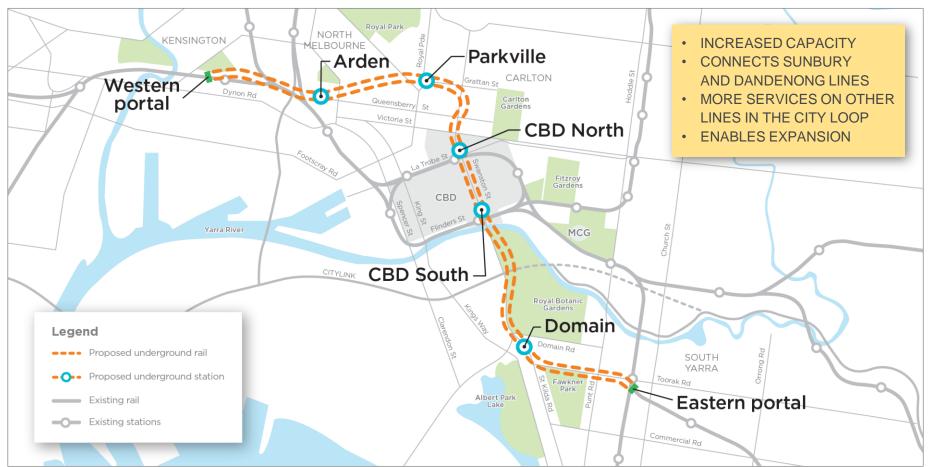






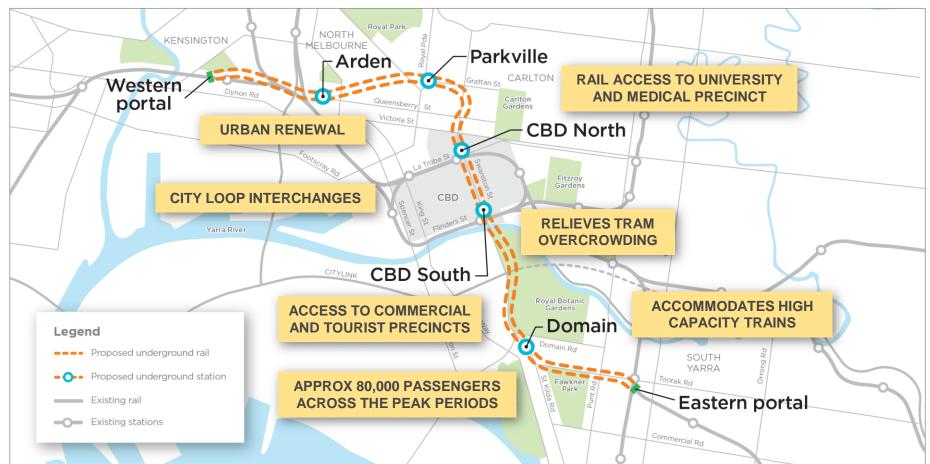
MELBOURNE METRO OVERVIEW





MELBOURNE METRO DIRECT BENEFITS







BUSINESS CASE FINDINGS

Publicly released in February – available at project website

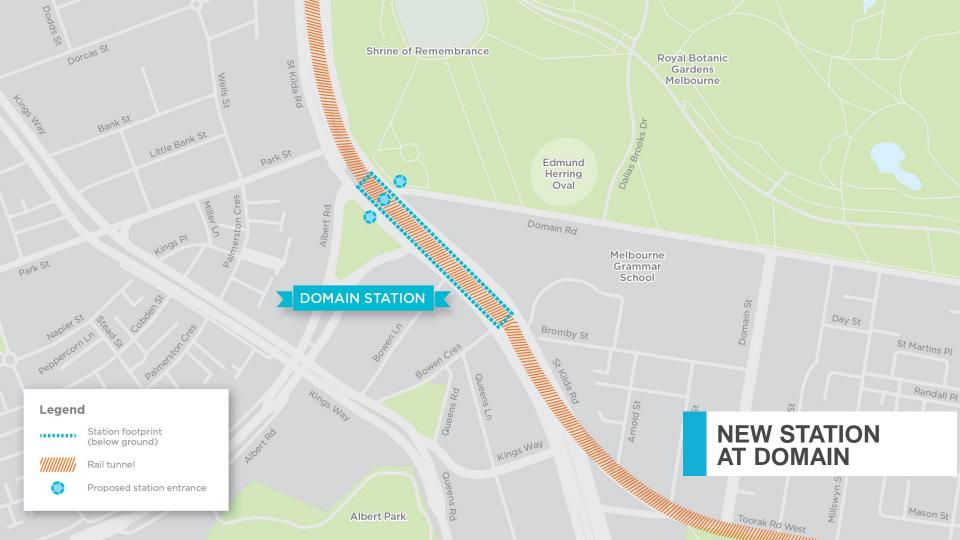
- Enhances Melbourne's liveability and Victoria's prosperity by improving access to jobs, education, health, sport and culture
- Expands the inner core of the rail network to meet demand in the growth corridors to the north, west and south-east of Melbourne
- More evenly distributes passenger flow and eases overcrowding in the inner core of the network
- Creates education and job opportunities in city's inner west for Melbourne's key population growth corridor to the north-west
- Improves access to the CBD and Parkville to support Victoria's growing knowledge economy



BUSINESS CASE FINDINGS

- Upgrades rail capacity into and out of five existing and emerging national employment clusters (Parkville, Monash, Dandenong South, Sunshine, and East Werribee)
- Reshapes travel demand to enable future opportunities for the tram network by moving services to the west of the CBD
- Relieves tram crowding and congestion on St Kilda Road and Swanston Street
- Improves capacity, reliability and punctuality for rail passengers









BUSINESS CASE – DOMAIN STATION

- Domain station key strategic importance
- Services commercial, retail, residential & tourism precincts
- St Kilda Rd, Kings Way, South Melbourne
- Relieves congestion on tram corridor





BUSINESS CASE – DOMAIN STATION

- Responds to increasing demand for public transport
- Provides access to 33,000 jobs & 17,000 residents (within 800m of location) in 2031
- Seamless interchange with tram services
- Will lift productivity efficient access to jobs, health, education
- Would be used by almost 40,000 people each day in 2031





DOMAIN PRECINCT: CHALLENGES

- Shrine of Remembrance / commemorative events and ceremonies
- St Kilda Road busiest tram corridor in the world
- Impact on arterial and local roads
- Local schools
- Nearby residents
- Major cycling route

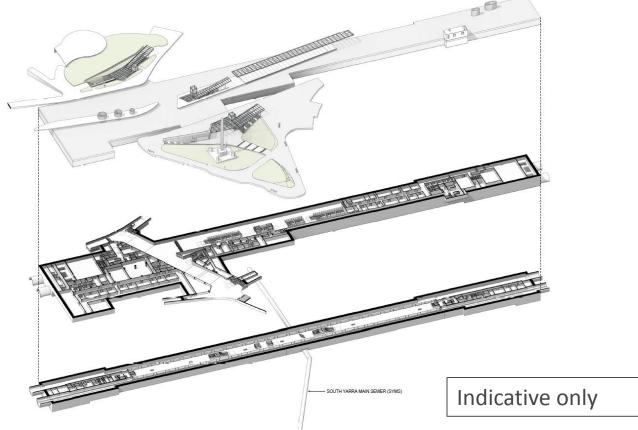
TO ALBERT PARK

Extent of station structure

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DOMAIN STATION - REFERENCE DESIGN



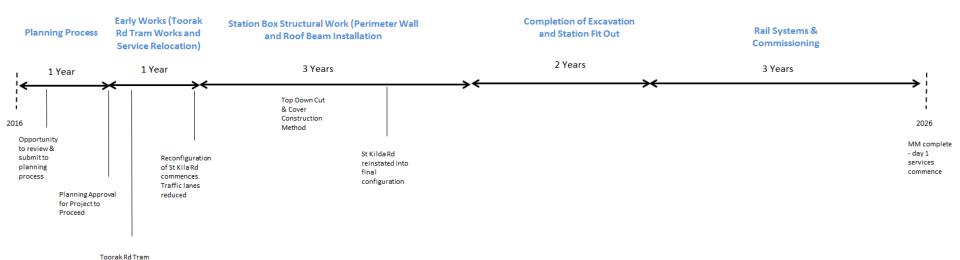


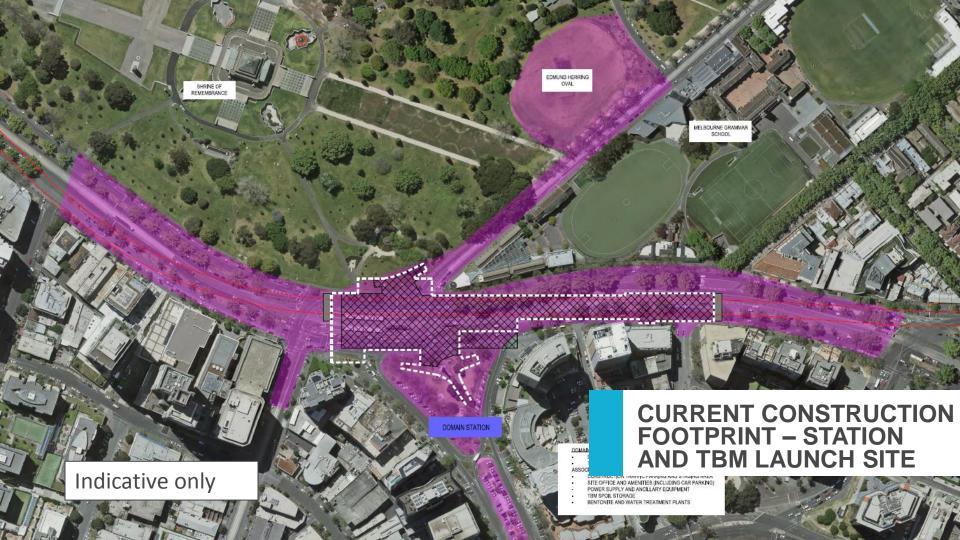


Works Complete

INDICATIVE TIMING

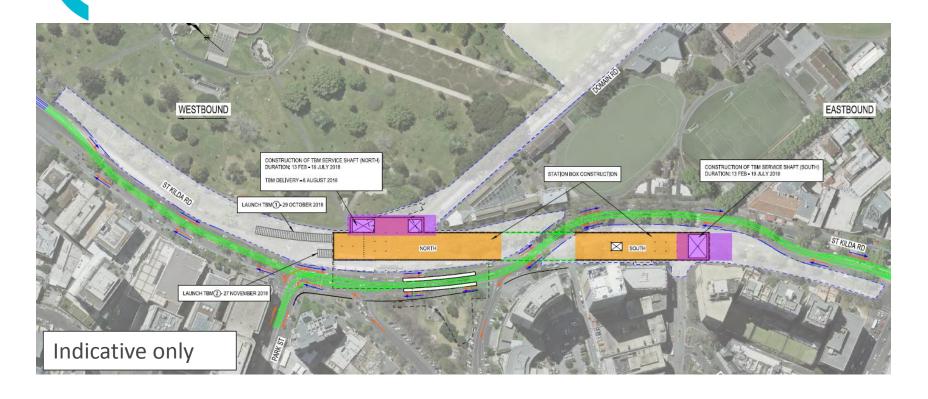








ST KILDA ROAD: CONFIGURATION DURING CONSTRUCTION





PLANNING PROCESS

The Environment Effects Statement covers a comprehensive range of impact assessments.

Key upcoming milestones:

Public exhibition May / June 2016

Inquiry hearings August / September 2016

Final assessment Late 2016 / Early 2017



PROJECT PLANNING UPDATE

The Assessment Project evaluated in the project EES comprises:

- Concept Design
- Environmental Performance Requirements
- Proposed Project Boundary

The Environmental Performance Requirements define the environmental outcomes that must be achieved during design, construction and operation of the project. They allow flexibility by our delivery partners in how the outcomes will be achieved.

The project will be delivered in accordance with the Environmental Performance Requirements.



EES ASSESSMENTS – SPECIALIST REPORTS

Land Use & Community

- Land use and planning
- Economics and business
- Social and community
- Visual and landscape

Cultural Assets

- European heritage
- Aboriginal heritage

Amenity

- Noise and vibration
- Air quality

Earth Conditions

- Hydrology
- Groundwater and contamination

Connectivity

Transport and traffic

Ecology

- Arboriculture (trees)
- Terrestrial flora and fauna
- Aquatic flora and fauna

Greenhouse Gas / Sustainability

- ESD
- Greenhouse gas



NEXT STEPS

2016: Statutory planning approvals – EES

Finalise reference design

Ongoing market engagement

Engage Early Works contractor

Release Expression of Interest – Major Works

Commence Enabling Works

2017: Early works, eg site preparation and service relocation

2018: Commence Major Works

2026: Completion date



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