Melbourne Metro Rail Authority



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Dear Sir/Madam,

METRO TUNNEL UPDATE: TRAM WORKS AND SERVICE RELOCATIONS

I am writing to update you about the Metro Tunnel project and associated early works including service relocations and tram works on Toorak Road West and St Kilda Road, and invite you to an upcoming information evening on Wednesday 30 November (details over the page).

The \$10.9 billion Metro Tunnel will transform the way people move around Melbourne by unlocking the City Loop, with 'turn up and go' rail services and improved access to key landmarks via five new underground stations.

Tram works

In preparation for construction of the Metro Tunnel, Domain Road (between St Kilda Road and Dallas Brooks Drive) will be closed for an extended period and trams that travel along Domain Road and Park Street, South Yarra will be diverted to Toorak Road West.

New tram infrastructure will be constructed along Toorak Road West and into St Kilda Road including two new tram stops. This will enable us to keep trams and other vehicles moving through the area as we build the new Domain station.

Service relocations

A number of underground services including gas, water, power, telecommunications and sewerage also need to be protected or relocated before construction can begin on the tram infrastructure, as well as the new tunnels and Domain station.

What this means for you

Your property is in the vicinity of the proposed works, which will include:

- Relocation of utility services in Toorak Road West
- Design and construction of new accessible tram stops on Toorak Road West and St Kilda Road
- Changes to tram services including Routes 8 and 55 and the new Route 58
- Loss of a limited number of car parking spaces on the north side of Toorak Road West
- Modifications to Bromby Street
- Modifications to support the continued operation of Melbourne Grammar School and local businesses
- Service relocation on local streets
- Closure of slip lane from St Kilda Road to Toorak Road West

Community Drop-In Information Session

We invite you to attend the upcoming Information Session on Wednesday 30 November to learn more about these works. The session will be held in two parts, with a short 10 minute works overview provided at the beginning of each part. Staff will then be available to answer any questions or to explain the information that will be on display.



When: Wednesday 30 November

6pm – 7pm: Tram works

7pm - 8pm: Service relocations

Where: South Yarra Senior Citizens Centre, Fawkner Park, 65 Toorak Road West, South Yarra

We will provide you with further updates as the Metro Tunnel project works progress. If you would like to register for email updates, please visit metrotunnel.vic.gov.au/contact-us or if you have any questions about the project or these works, please phone us on **1800 551 927** (9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday).

Yours sincerely

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Director

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