

M41 Merri Creek to MCG Water Main Renewal Project

Construction update January 2019

The M41 water main supplies drinking water to over 350,000 residents and businesses in Melbourne's inner suburbs. It runs from Merri Creek, Northcote to Wellington Parade, East Melbourne. The existing water main is almost 100 years old and deteriorating and needs to be replaced to prevent leaks which have created significant community disturbance during emergency repair works.

Reinstatement of George Street, Fitzroy

This update is to provide further information on the asphaltting works on George Street. The project will permanently reinstate the road, from kerb to kerb, from **Monday 7 January 2019**.

The permanent reinstatement of the road will occur on George Street from Victoria Parade to Webb Street on the following dates;

- Monday 7 January to Friday 11 January 2019 from Victoria Parade to Little Victoria Street. The intersection of Little Victoria and George Street will close for 3 days during this period.
- Friday 11 January to Wednesday 16 January 2019 from Little Victoria Street to Gertrude Street.
- Monday 7 January to Wednesday 16 January 2019. Partial closure at the intersection of George Street and Webb Street for bluestone kerb reinstatement work.
- Wednesday 16 January 2019 to Monday 21 January 2019 from Gertrude Street to Webb Street.

The project anticipates reopening George Street to all vehicles by Monday 21 January 2019.

Temporary changes to on-street parking, off-street parking and vehicle access to driveways

There will be no on-street parking and no vehicle access available within the work zone while the works are undertaken. This includes temporary loss of vehicle access to driveways and off-street car parks from George Street.

Please keep in mind that because of these temporary road closures, there will be limited on-street parking available in neighbouring streets for both residents and businesses. The project will reopen the road as soon as it is safe to do so.

Traffic detours

There will be local traffic management and detours in place during working hours. Our traffic controllers will be on duty at each work location to ensure traffic and pedestrians can navigate around our worksite safely during working hours. Please follow the signage and direction of our traffic controllers and allow extra travel time.

