

M41 Merri Creek to MCG Water Main Renewal Project

Construction update September 2018

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.

M41 Site location on George Street, Fitzroy

From Tuesday 4 September to approximately Monday 15 October 2018, the M41 project will have a project site located on George Street, Fitzroy. This project site will remain in location for the upcoming works on Victoria Parade.

For your safety, our construction corridor will be fenced off for entire road width with the footpath open at all times. The road will be closed to vehicles on George Street. Entry and exit to the construction corridor will be from Victoria Parade and George Street. These entry and exit locations will be managed by traffic controllers during construction hours. Pedestrian access will be maintained at all time on footpaths.

Site location

Tuesday 4 September 2018 to Monday 17 September 2018



Access to the lane detailed above will be from Victoria Parade only

Site location

Monday 17 September 2018 to Monday 15 October 2018



***Access to the lane detailed above will be from George Street from Gertrude Street or Little Victoria Street.
No access to the lane from Victoria Parade.***

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 within the red zone detailed above.

The project will reopen George Street as soon as it is safe to do so.

Please also keep in mind that as a result of these temporary road closures, there will be limited on-street parking available in neighbouring streets for both local residents and businesses.

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 construction hours. Please follow the signage and direction of our traffic controllers and allow extra travel time.

Reinstatement

Once we have completed laying pipe and upgrading the water main the project will temporarily reinstate the trench with asphalt so the road can open for traffic. The project will ultimately re-asphalt roads kerb to kerb at a later stage. We will keep you informed on when these works will need to occur.

What can you expect

- Site establishment with temporary fencing erected to delineate the work zone
- Temporary loss of vehicle access to driveways and off-street car parking on George Street
- Temporary changes to on-street parking and traffic conditions
- Temporary lane and road closures and changes to the speed limits near work areas
- Noise from various construction plant, vehicle and activities such as rock breaking
- Dust and vibration
- Increased construction vehicle movement in local area

Construction hours

Construction works will be performed on Victoria Parade 24 hours per day, from Friday 21 September 2018 to Monday 8 October 2018.

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