

M41 Merri Creek to MCG Water Main Renewal Project

Construction works to commence

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 may create significant community disturbances during emergency repair works.

Construction of the M41 Merri Creek to MCG Water Main Renewal Project will commence on **Clarendon Street, from Wednesday 7 November 2018.**

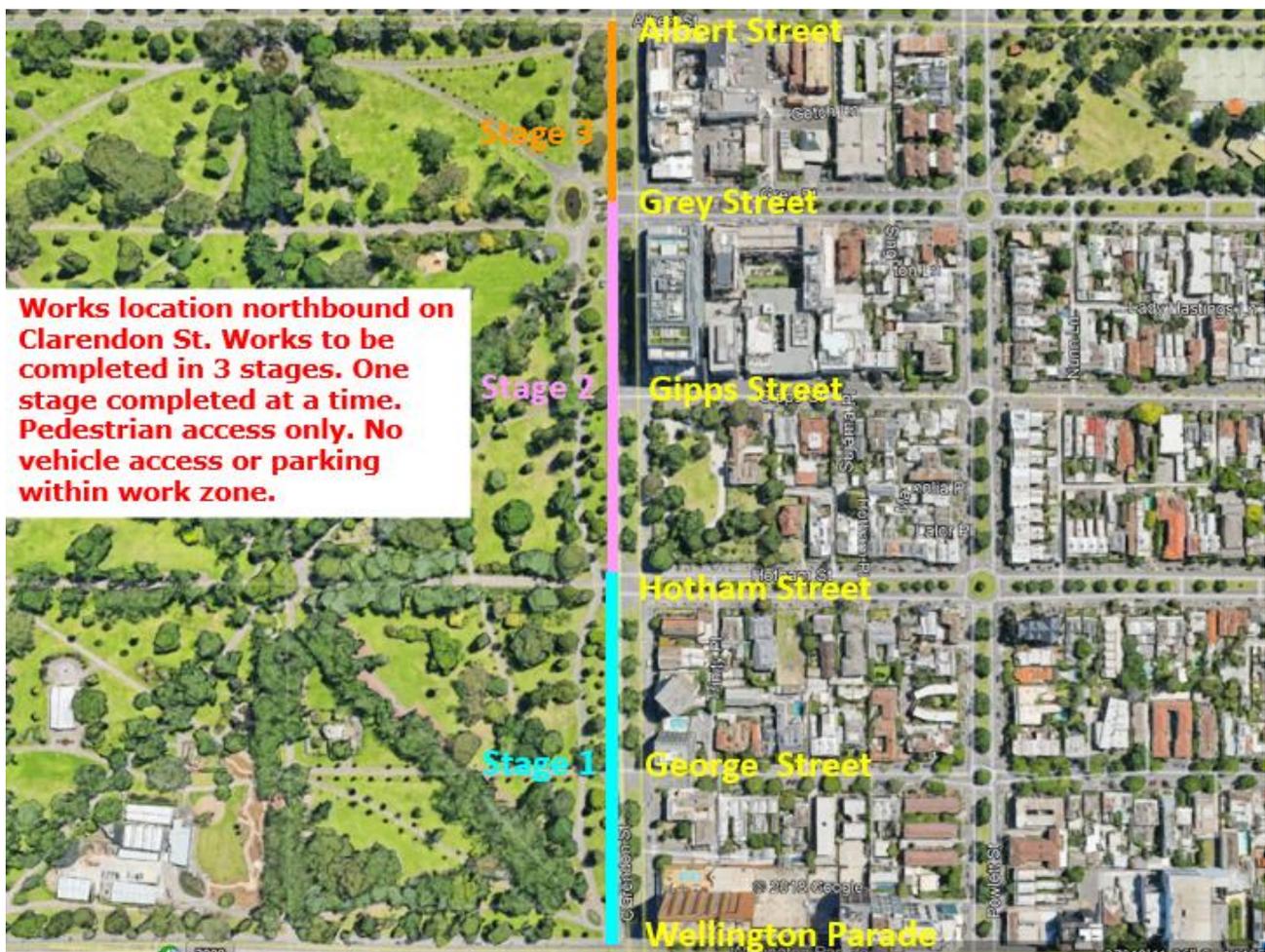
Project Site Location

Northbound lanes of Clarendon Street will be closed from Wellington Parade to Hotham Street for stage one. Works will be completed in three stages with one stage completed at a time;

Stage 1 – Wellington Pde to Hotham St (from 7 November 2018)

Stage 2 – Hotham St to Grey St

Stage 3 – Grey St to Albert St



Site compound area during Christmas shutdown

The project site compound will remain on Clarendon Street once the pipe laying has been completed during the shutdown period from Friday 21 December 2018.

This will be located in a section between Grey St and Albert in the northbound lanes. It is required for upcoming works on Albert Street that will commence late in December/early January.

Temporary changes to on-street parking

There will be no on-street parking and no vehicle access available within the work zone while the works are undertaken. This applies to the northbound lanes only.

These temporary changes may be in place on Clarendon Street for a period of up to 10 weeks, weather permitting. The project will open the road as soon as it is safe to do so. Please follow the signage and direction of our traffic controllers and allow extra travel time.

Installation of the new water main

The project will be excavating a trench approximately 3m deep and 20m long to install the new 1.2m diameter steel pipe. These pipes range in lengths from 6.5m to 13.5m.

You will notice a crew of workers, as well as large excavators, compaction rollers, trucks and light construction vehicles within the work zone.



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.

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 return at a later stage to ultimately re-asphalt the road kerb to kerb.

Construction hours

These works will be performed during the day between **7am to 6pm Monday to Friday** and **Saturday between 7am to 1pm**.

What can you expect

- Site establishment with temporary fencing erected to delineate the work zone
- Temporary changes to on-street parking and traffic conditions on Clarendon Street
- 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
- Trimming of trees within the site zone. Trees will be protected by fencing
- Dust and vibration
- Increased construction vehicle movement in local area

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