

South Yarra Station precinct

Works Notification

Tram Stop Upgrade

Toorak Road, South Yarra

May 2021

We're building a level-access tram stop on Toorak Road that will improve accessibility, as part of the South Yarra Station upgrade. We're also upgrading the tram power supply near the intersection of Toorak Road and Chapel Street. These improvements will get Route 58 ready for E-class trams.

Expect temporary road closures, local access changes, and detours for public transport and traffic along Toorak Road between Murphy and River streets and on Chapel Street between Toorak Road and Daly Street.

	Early works	Major works
When	Multiple dates (see over page)	10pm Friday 11 June to 5am Saturday 19 June 2021 (24-hour works)
What's happening	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Setting up work areas and traffic management. Cutting and digging investigation holes in asphalt or concrete. Excavating to locate underground services. Installing new power poles. Reinstating the work areas. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Digging up the tracks and removing rubble. Building a level-access tram stop with shelters, modern amenities and features. Trenching and installing power infrastructure within the tram tracks and roadway. Installing power infrastructure near the Daly Street substation. Reinstating the work areas.
What to expect	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Night works. Mostly low levels of noise during the night with some short periods of medium-to-high levels when concrete is cut or excavating takes place. Local temporary lane, parking and footpath closures for short periods of time. Vehicles, trucks, small machinery and contractors on site. Some pedestrian detours in place as required. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 24-hour works with road closures and detours. Toorak Road will be closed to traffic between Davis Avenue and Claremont Street from 10pm Friday 11 June to 5am Saturday 19 June 2021. Chapel Street will be closed from Almeida Crescent to, and including, the intersection of Toorak Road and Chapel Street from 1am Wednesday 16 June to 9am Thursday 17 June 2021. Toorak Road will also be closed from Chapel Street to River Street from 1am Wednesday 16 June to 5am Friday 18 June 2021. High levels of noise during the day and evening until 10pm e.g. concrete, asphalt and steel cutting.

Early works

Platform works service investigations

Night works: 9pm to 6am, Thursday 20 to Friday 21 May 2021

- Setting up work area including traffic management.
- Cutting holes in the concrete or asphalt in the footpath, road and tram way near the site of the new platforms.
- Excavating to locate underground services.
- Reinstating the work areas.

Pole installation work

Night work: 8pm to 5am, Monday 24 May to Tuesday 2 June 2021 (except Friday and Saturday nights)

- Setting up the work area, including traffic management.
- Excavating to locate underground services.
- Digging or removing backfill from holes where the new poles will go.
- Installing new poles using specialised crane and equipment.
- Reinstating the work area.

Road and parking

- Temporary lane closures in Toorak Road and Chapel Street, but no roads will be closed.
- On-street car parking will be temporarily closed near work sites, as required.
- Traffic management and signage will direct traffic, please follow signage around works.

Public transport

No changes to trams on Toorak Road or Chapel Street.

Pedestrians

- There may be temporary footpath closures.
- Local detours may be in place, please follow signage around works.

Noise and dust

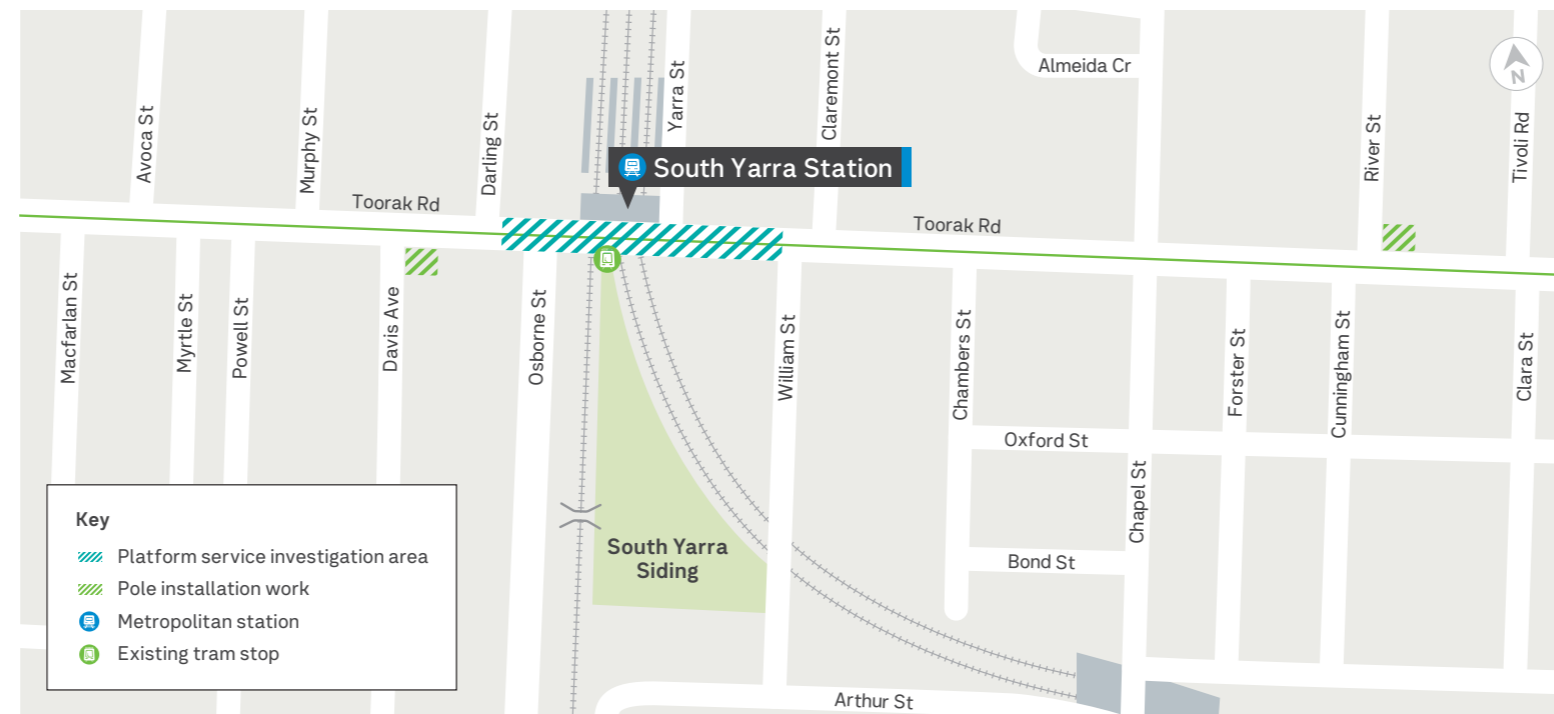
Medium-to-high level noise and low-to-medium level dust is expected.

Open for business

Businesses located around the works area will remain open during the works. Please continue to support your local businesses during these essential infrastructure works. Pedestrian access to these businesses will remain open at all times.

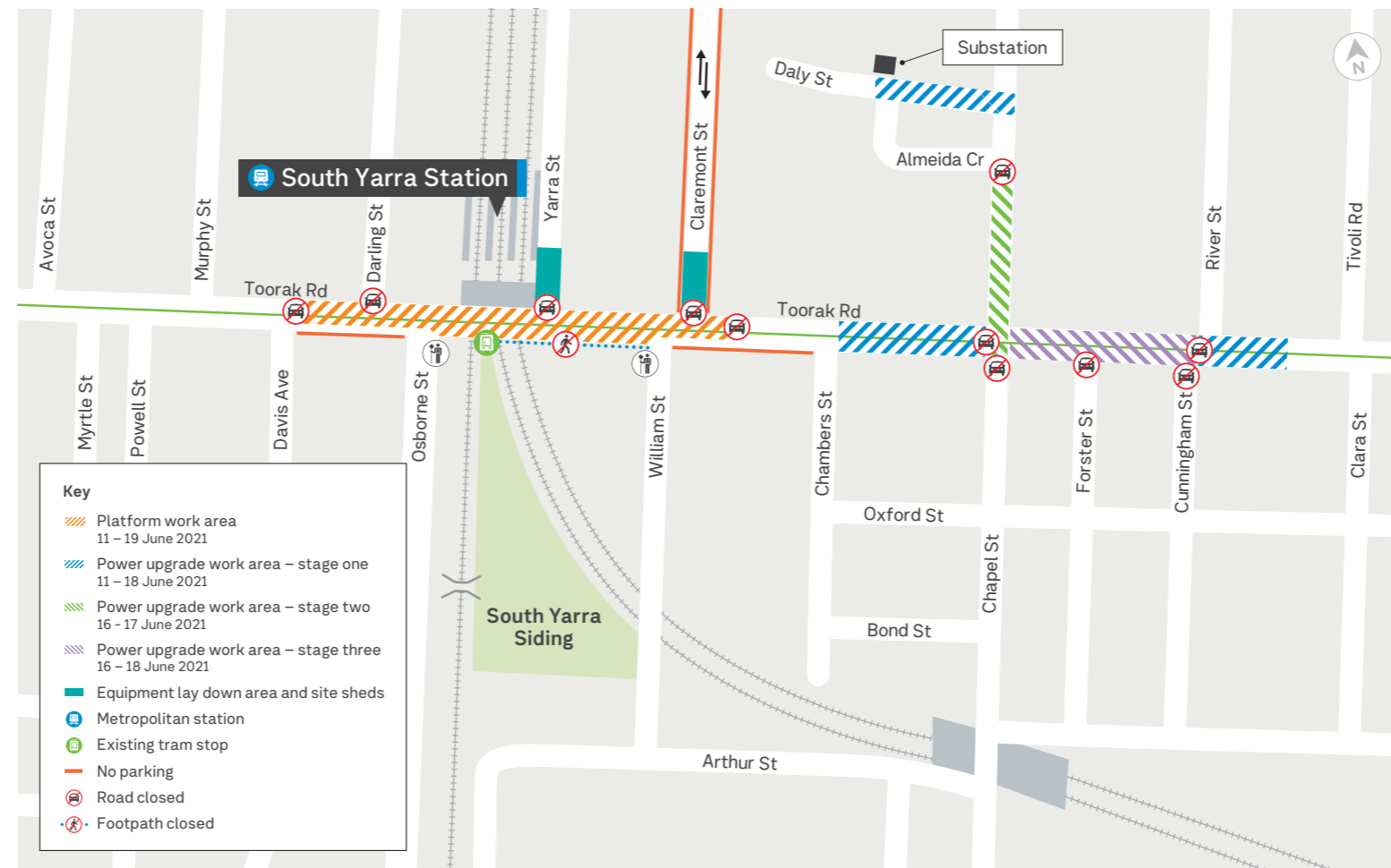
Early Works

Multiple dates – refer to early works column



Major Works

Friday 11 June – Saturday 19 June



Major works

Platform works

24-hour works: 10pm Friday 11 June to 5am Saturday 19 June 2021

Work will involve:

- Setting up work areas and traffic management.
- Building a level-access tram stop with shelters, modern amenities and features.
- Installing a bike lane and bike parking hoops outside South Yarra Station.
- Widening the pedestrian crossing and footpath.
- Creating water sensitive garden beds.
- Reinstating the area.

Power upgrade work

Stage one: 11pm to 5am, Friday 11 June to Friday 18 June 2021

Stage two: 1am Wednesday 16 June to 9am Thursday 17 June 2021

Stage three: 1am Wednesday 16 June to 5am Friday 18 June 2021

Work across all three stages will involve:

- Setting up work areas and traffic management.
- Trenching and installing power infrastructure (pits and conduits) within the tram tracks and roadway.
- Reinstating the area.

Refer to map for where the work will happen.

Road and parking

- Toorak Road will be closed to traffic between Davis Avenue and Claremont Street from 10pm Friday 11 June to 5am Saturday 19 June 2021.
- Osborne Street will be closed at Toorak Road from 10pm Friday 11 June to 10pm Sunday 13 June 2021.
- Chapel Street will be closed from Almeida Crescent to and including the intersection of Toorak Road and Chapel Street from 1am Wednesday 16 June to 9am Thursday 17 June 2021.
- Toorak Road will also be closed from Chapel Street to River Street From 1am Wednesday 16 June to 5am Friday 18 June 2021.
- There will be no on-street parking on Claremont Street to allow for two-way traffic during the platform works.
- Other lane and on-street car park closures will be required around work areas.
- Traffic management and signage will direct traffic, please follow signage around works.

Public transport

There will be service changes to tram Route 58 and 78. We recommend you allow extra time for your journey. For more information closer to the works, visit: yarratrams.com.au/servicechanges

Pedestrians

- The southern footpath across the rail bridge will be closed during the works (see map).
- Other footpaths around the work areas will be open. Some temporary closures and local detours may be required at times.
- Please follow signage around the works.

Noise and dust

Construction will occur 24-hours a day.

Noise and dust are unavoidable, but we will work to minimise this as much as possible and complete the noisiest works between 6am to 10pm.

High levels of noise are expected during the first couple of days while the tracks are dug out and rubble removed. For the rest of the work there will be short periods of high-level noise.

Open for business

Businesses located around the works area will remain open during the works. Please continue to support your local businesses during these essential infrastructure works. Pedestrian access to these businesses will remain open at all times.

As this work is necessary to maintain a safe tram network as required by the *Rail Management Act 1996 (Vic)*, Yarra Trams will not compensate any third parties for any losses incurred during the project.

Close out works

Once the major works are complete, we will need to do some close out works. This work will include finishing works on the footpaths and garden beds.

Health and safety

To ensure the safety of all workers and the community, all construction and maintenance work undertaken by Department of Transport and its contractors are operating under High Risk COVID Safe plans.

If you have any mobility issues, medical needs or urgent access requirements that may be affected by these works, please contact us on **0466 853 477** or **projects-comm@yarratrams.com.au**

Metro Train work during June

Buses replace trains on sections of the Cranbourne, Pakenham and Frankston lines at various times in June due to project and maintenance works. Plan ahead at **ptv.gov.vic.au**

We're getting Route 58 ready for E-Class trams

The upgrade to the tram stop at South Yarra Station and the tram power supply works will get Route 58 ready for the roll out of E-Class trams in late 2021.

E-Class trams running on Route 58 will make it more accessible so everyone can catch the tram and reduce crowding on this busy travel corridor connecting key Melbourne destinations.

E-Class trams are larger than other trams on the network, with room for more than 200 passengers.

Benefits of E-Class on Route 58:

- Increased capacity and reduced overcrowding.
- Dedicated spaces for passengers who travel with mobility aids and prams.
- Improved audio and visual passenger information and more myki readers.
- More comfortable and safer journeys for passengers.
- Level-access connections between the CBD and the Parkville hospital precinct.



To find out more about E-Class on Route 58:

w ptv.vic.gov.au/route58

@ ptvprojects@transport.vic.gov.au

Drop-in sessions

Find out more about upcoming works and Route 58 improvements.

When

10.30am to 12.30pm, Saturday 22 May 2021
4.30pm to 6.30pm, Wednesday 26 May 2021

Where

Toorak/South Yarra Library
340 Toorak Road, South Yarra

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