

Site reinstatement works

Leunig Place, Footscray

Monday 27 July to September 2026

As part of completion activities for the Metro Tunnel Project, reinstatement works will take place at the end of Leunig Place, Footscray until September 2026 to remove the gravel ramp, construct a retaining wall adjacent to the rail corridor and prepare the area to be returned as open green space.



When we'll be working

- **Monday 27 July to September 2026**
- **We will be working Monday to Friday, 7am-6pm and Saturday, 7am-3pm**

Please note works may be rescheduled depending on weather.

What we'll be doing

Service investigation and site clearing, Monday 27 July – mid-August 2026

- Scanning and non-destructive digging (NDD) to determine the location of underground services and ground conditions
- Weed removal
- Grouting redundant drainage pipe.

Retaining wall construction, Tuesday 4 August – late August 2026

- Piling and concrete reinforcement to construct the retaining wall
- Bored piling activities are expected to generate medium to high levels of noise and vibration and is expected to take up to three weeks
- Once complete the piles will be levelled off using a jackhammer which is expected to generate intermittent high level of noise. This activity will be undertaken during the day
- Concrete will be sprayed to construct the retaining wall along the rear of the site
- Boundary fencing and handrail will be installed.

Temporary ramp removal and landscaping, late August – September

- Removing crushed rock and excess materials
- These works will involve an excavator clearing the crushed rock and excess materials
- Materials will be loaded into trucks and removed from the site via local roads during the day
- These works are expected to generate low to medium levels of noise
- Reinstating the grass across the site and planting adjacent to the retaining wall
- Removing temporary fencing.

What to be aware of

- Construction vehicles movements and access to site will increase for the duration of works
- Construction vehicles will access the site via Moore Street, Newell Street, Railway Place and Leunig Place. The project has an approved exemption to travel through the local truck ban zones
- Traffic management will be in place requiring short holds of traffic on Leunig Place throughout works



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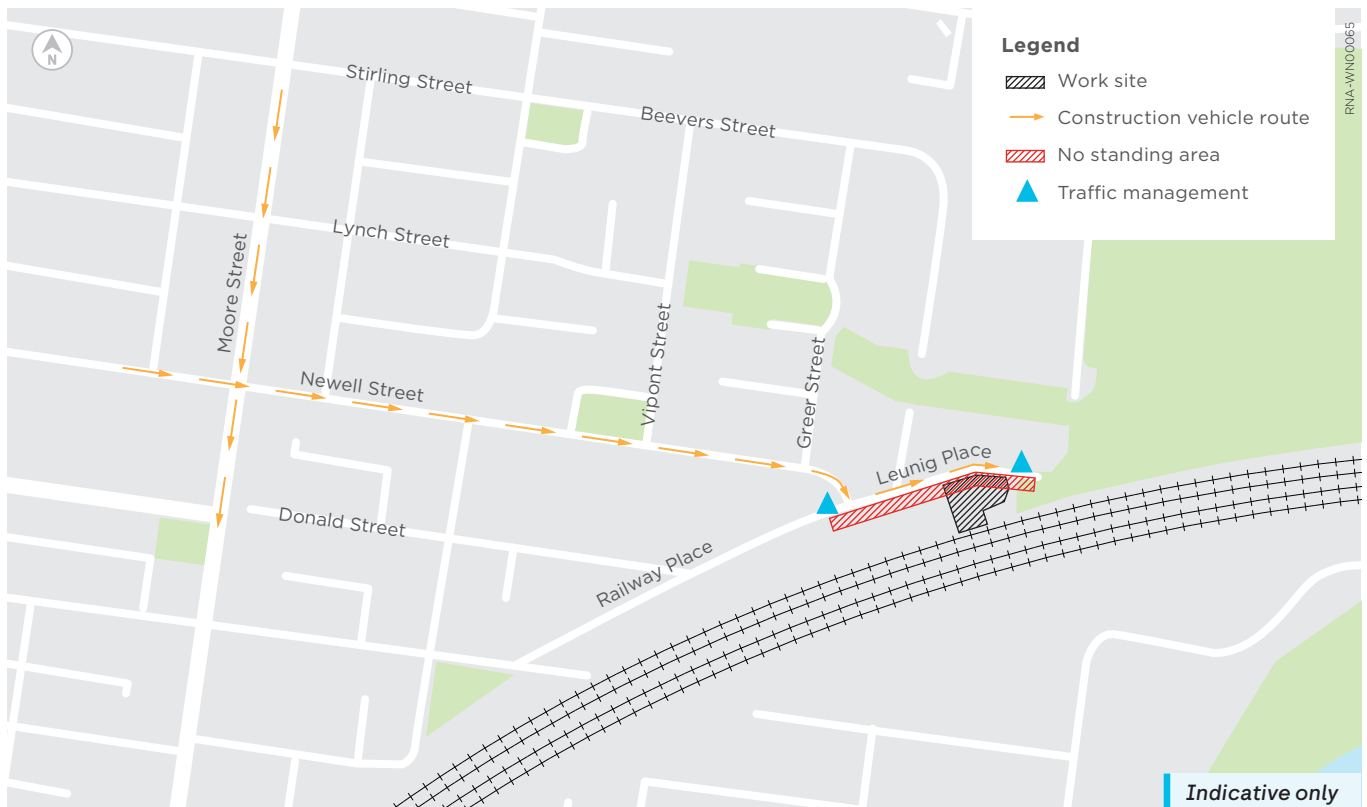
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- Periods of medium to high level noise are expected during tree removal, piling, pile break back and the removal of crushed rock. All other activities are expected to generate low levels of noise
- During piling activities, dust is expected to be generated, and a water cart will be used as part of dust suppression measures as required
- A temporary 'No Standing' area will be implemented on Leunig Place until September
- Residential driveways along Leunig Place and Newell Street will not be impacted
- Residential waste services will not be impacted.

Thank you for your patience while we undertake these works.

Further information on these works can be found at bigbuild.vic.gov.au/projects/metro-tunnel.

Works area map



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