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Works notification: Millers Road Spring road works campaign

The West Gate Tunnel Project will carry out works from late August through to early October 2020 in and around the Millers Road interchange.

The works will begin during the Victorian State Government Stage 4 Covid-19 restrictions and through into the school holiday period making use of lower than normal traffic volumes. These works will involve:

- closing the Millers Road inbound exit and entry ramps for six weeks from 9pm, Friday 21 August to 5am, Monday 5 October
- closing Millers Road under the freeway in both directions for four weeks from 9pm, Friday 4 September to 5am, Monday 5 October
- local road access changes at Primula Avenue, Beevers Street and Cypress Avenue from 9pm Friday 4 September to 5am, Monday 5 October.

Millers Road hydro-blasting, noisy work using highpressure water jets to remove concrete, will be completed in the final week of work. We will be completing these works during daytime hours to minimise impacts to local residents.

This work was going to be completed in September, but with a reduction in traffic on roads of over 50 per cent, we identified the opportunity to get the work done now with less disruption to the community. We thank you for your understanding in bringing this important work forward.

Works will include:

Date	Millers Road inbound exit ramp closed from Friday 21 August	Millers Road inbound entry ramp closed from Friday 21 August	Millers Road under the West Gate Freeway closed from Friday 4 September
Week 1	Remove existing asphalt and pavement Excavate new ramp alignment	 Remove existing asphalt and pavement Excavate new ramp alignment 	Millers Road remains open
Week 2	Excavate new ramp alignmentPlace pavement materials	Excavate new ramp alignmentPlace pavement materials	Millers Road remains open
Week 3	Drainage installation	Place pavement materials	 Starting 4 September, Millers Road closed Remove existing median kerb and traffic island Excavate pavement Soil nail works at bridge Traffic signal underbores
Week 4	Drainage installationInstall traffic signals	Install precast barriers and traffic signals	Place pavement materialsInstall drainage
Week 5	Install concrete kerb and traffic islands	Place concrete kerb and islands	Place concrete kerb and centre islandAsphalt works
Week 6	Asphalt works	Asphalt works	Hydro-blasting works during daytime hours

Hours of work:

Throughout this concentrated construction campaign, we will work seven days a week from 7am to 6pm to complete as much work as possible to finish these works earlier than previously expected, and reduce longer term impacts to residents, businesses and road users.

At times night works and local road closures will be required. When works are scheduled out of hours and you are located close to the works, or impacted by local road closures, we will provide you with further information by email or SMS notification before work starts. Details on how to register with us are below.

Detour maps:

A fully signed detour route will be in place while the Millers Road and inbound exit and entry ramps are closed. Please allow extra time for your journey during this time.

What to expect during these works:

- construction vehicles including earthmoving equipment, rollers, paving machines and cranes
- · completing disruptive or noisy activity during the day, seven days a week. While most of the work will be done during the day, at times you might notice some increased noise at night when works are scheduled out of hours. We will provide you with further information when this happens
- · construction noise from work activities including machinery and trucks, high pressure water jets for hydro-blasting and intermittent localised vibration may be experienced
- · water spray trucks and road sweepers will be used to manage dust and dirt during works. Trucks removing dirt and rock from the site will be covered
- · walking and cycling detours will be in place through the work site. Please follow the signed detour and listen to traffic controllers on site
- traffic changes including lane and road closures will be required. Signed detours will be in place. We will provide further information if you are impacted by local road closures

Sign up to get construction updates for your area directly to your inbox

To maintain safety under Stage 4 restrictions our team has temporarily paused door knocking and letterbox dropping, notifications or reminders. During this time, we will contact impacted residents via phone and email.

If you would like to sign up to construction updates via phone or email, please email us on info@wgta.vic.gov.au or call 1800 105 105.

You can also stay up to date on the latest traffic disruptions by visiting **bigbuild.vic.gov.au/disruptions** and the latest construction notifications at westgatetunnelproject.vic.gov.au/construction/work-notifications

Coronavirus COVID-19 update

The health and safety of our workers is our key priority as we continue to deliver the West Gate Tunnel Project, as is supporting social distancing and the wearing of masks in line with current health advice. We have strict protocols in place to protect the safety of our construction workforce and the community. These include enhanced industrial cleaning arrangements, and measures to reduce staff contact, including staggered shifts and physical distancing. For more information and advice about Coronavirus, please visit coronavirus.vic.gov.au.

Please note that works sometimes need to be rescheduled in the event of bad weather or other unavoidable circumstances.

For updates and more information about our works, please visit westgatetunnelproject.vic.gov.au or call us on 1800 105 105.

Thank you

We appreciate our work can be disruptive and thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

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Detours

A fully signed detour route will be in place while the Millers Road and inbound ramps are closed. Note that detours may change pending other closures at the time, check the Big Build website for more detail.



