



# Community Liaison Group Meeting

11 May 2023



# Agenda Items

Time	#	Item detail	Owner
5.30pm	1	Welcome, introductions and apologies	Chair
5.40pm	2	WGTP MTIA updates	WGTP MTIA
5.50pm	3	Construction update	CPBJH JV
6.30pm	4	BREAK	All
6.40pm	5	Member questions	Community members
7.10pm	6	Actions update	All
7.30pm	7	Thank you and close Next meeting: 15 June	Chair



# West Gate Tunnel Project MTIA



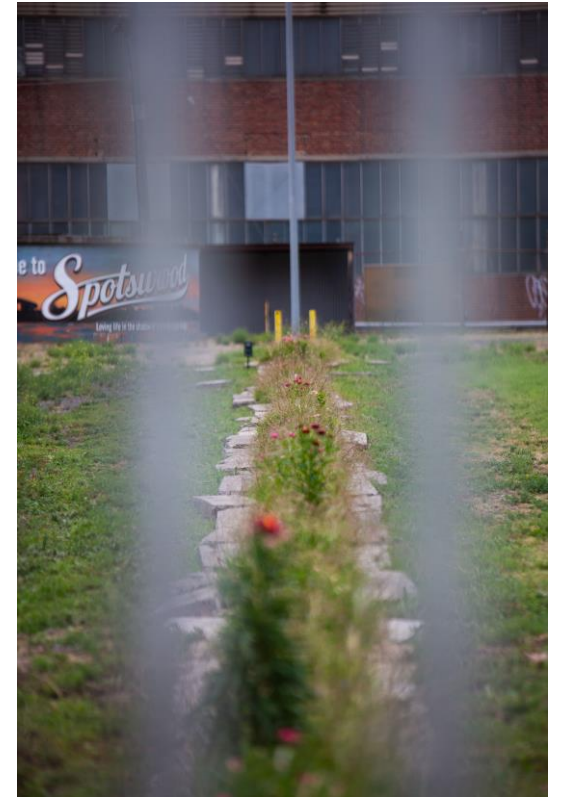
# Grants and Partnerships



Laverton Bowls Club Community Garden



Treatment III – Deakin University public art installation



All round 1 WGNF projects have been transitioned back to WGTP for Management as of 31 March 2023

# West Gate Neighbourhood Fund

To date 70 projects have been awarded to community groups and council from the \$10 million West Gate Neighbourhood Fund, allocating approx. \$7.3 million to communities in Hobsons Bay and Maribyrnong City Council areas.



*\*originally announced \$495k, two projects withdrawn*

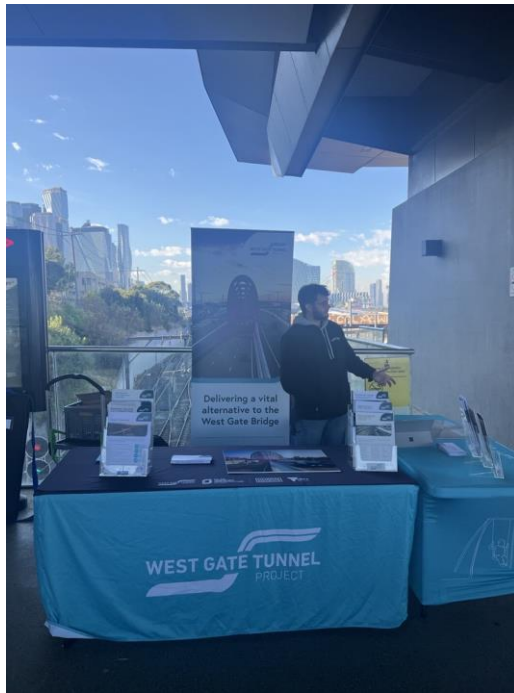
More than 75% of round 1 grants have been delivered, with most of the funding fully expended

There are a number of round 2 grants that are already delivered, with most others due for completion by the end of 2023

Partnerships represent higher value and more complex delivery projects, like infrastructure upgrades, creation of green space and extensive community participation programs

- Of the partnerships 9 projects were in the priority areas of Yarraville, Spotswood, Altona North, Altona North and Brooklyn
- We anticipate the final round of partnerships will launch before the end of financial year

# Community Outreach



## North Melbourne Station

A pop-up information stall at the station on Tuesday 4 April and Wednesday 12 April engaged 50 commuters about ongoing Footscray Road closures, Wurundjeri Way works and overall project benefits.

## Footscray Market

An information stall was held at Footscray Market on Wednesday 5 April from 9am to 1pm. 20 shoppers engaged with the project regarding ongoing Footscray Road closures and project disruptions.

## Docklands Community Market

Docklands Community Market on Sunday April 23 from 10am to 2pm provided an opportunity for the project parties to engage with 40 cyclists and residents about the upcoming Footscray Road SUP closures, Wurundjeri Way works and impact on North Melbourne residents.





# Construction and Community Update





# West Zone





# West Community Engagement

## Notifications

- **31 March:** Altona North Freeway verge works
- **3 April:** Spotswood Freeway verge works
- **3 April:** Hyde Street ramps and Williamstown Rd

## Stakeholder Engagement

- **31 March:** Ferguson St residents
- **5 April:** Groundwater monitoring

## Business Engagement

- **5 May:** Spotswood Traders Association



# Williamstown Road



# The Avenue at Melbourne Road



# Fogarty Avenue



# Millers Road



# Hyde Street Ramps



# Federation Trail





# Port to City (East) Zone



# East Community Engagement

## Notifications

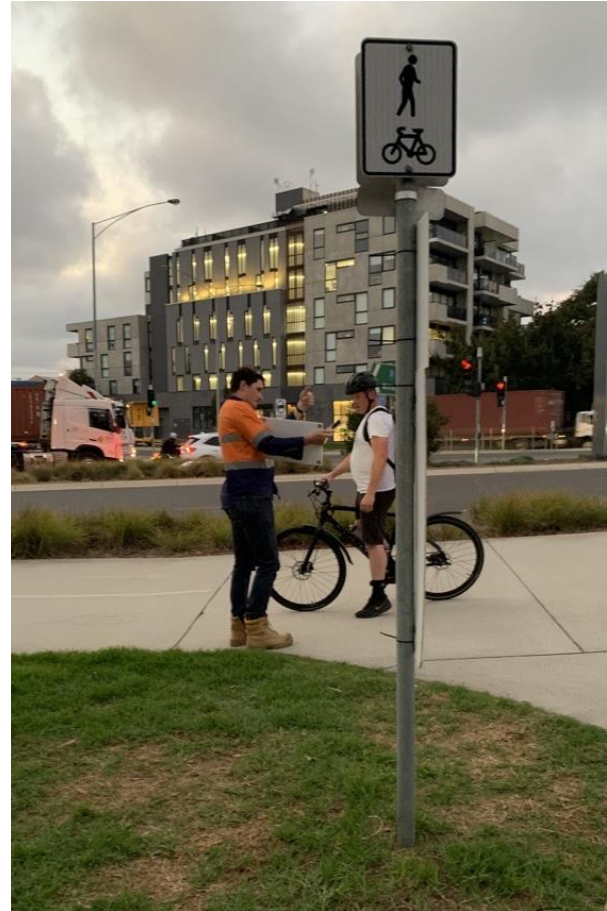
- **23 March:** Maribyrnong Street carpark update
- **29 March:** Moonee Ponds Creek trail closure
- **29 March:** Shepherd Bridge closure

## Stakeholder Engagement

- Pop-up cyclist engagement:  
**31 March:** Capital City Trail  
**4 April:** Footscray Road Shared User Path

## Business Engagement

- **4 April:** BINGO Industries



# Maribyrnong River Bridges



# Elevated road at Footscray Road



# Elevated road at Footscray Road



# Dynon Road



# Wurundjeri Way





# Tunnel Zone



# Tunnels Community Engagement

## Notifications

- **3 April:** TBM2 Vida retrieval from site.
- **4 April:** End of Tunnelling Bella breakthrough and demobilisation notification
- **16 April:** Drop-in session invite notification
- **18 April:** Inbound notification on continuing works near Williamstown Rd
- **1 May:** Community Day end of tunnelling event invitation distributed

## Stakeholder Engagement

- **3 April:** TBM Bella breakthrough  
HBCC, MCC, Better West, MTAG and Save Willy Road briefed on the upcoming breakthrough, demobilisation and completion of tunnelling.
- **19 April:** Tunnelling drop-in info session

## Business Engagement

- Multiple businesses were engaged to discuss upcoming works and disruptions
- 23 Businesses around the original super load route
- 9 Businesses along the final super load route





# End of Tunnelling Community Day



- Community Day was held on Saturday 6 May at the Info Centre to celebrate tunnelling milestones.
- A range of local suppliers were showcased at the event, including food trucks, musicians, face painters and more.
- Food and family friendly activities free for the community to enjoy were much appreciated by 273 attendees.

# Bella Breakthrough

- Bella broke through on 3 May at the Southern Portal Outbound
- Bella has excavated 700,000 cubic metres of rock and soil and installed 15,340 concrete segments.
- Bella has tunnelled 4.0 kilometres in 15 months.
- The cutterhead will be buried at the southern outbound portal shaft, and its gantries will be dismantled over three months, using a 400-tonne crawler crane.
- Parts will be transported back to the Tunnelling Hub on Whitehall Street via West Gate Freeway via Millers Road, Francis Street and Whitehall Street.





# Inbound Tunnel

- We have dismantled and transported 80% of the TBM cutter head.
- We have removed the first super load (Erector) and transported it back to the Tunnelling hub.
- The second super load (Main drive) was transported back to the tunnelling hub on 2 May.
- Works undertaken in the portal include the excavation of one cross passage, and the construction of the base slab in the Cut and Cover section.



*The main drive waiting to be lifted*



# Member Questions





# Previous Actions



# Open actions

Name	Owner	Action	Status and update
AN8	CPBJH	CPBJH to confirm total number of trees to be replaced and removed.	Action to remain open.
ALL3	CPBJH / TU	CPBJH / TU to follow up an earlier than end 2023 re-opening of Federation Trail between Millers Road and Fogarty Avenue	Action to remain open. All project parties working toward a solution.

## Informal follow ups from last meeting:

- MTIA to provide update on transition of grants process from councils to State.
- CPBJH to follow up responsibility of cost of retrofitting tunnel filtration.
- CPBJH to follow up pump issue in Hughes St Yarraville and provide update.



Thank you and close

Kim Jordan

