# Caring for the environment

ISON ROAD OVERPASS





We're building the Ison Road Overpass in Werribee to provide a vital link from Wyndham West to the Princes Freeway.

As part of the design process and during construction, we'll look to identify, avoid, minimise and offset impacts to the environment. The project area is near Lollypop Creek, that flows towards Port Phillip Bay and Bellarine Peninsula Ramsar Site, and within a floodplain.

The Project was referred under the Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999 and determined to be Not a Controlled Action Particular Manner by the Federal Environment Department. A Cultural Heritage Management Plan has been evaluated and approved by the Registered Aboriginal Party, Wadawurrung Traditional Owners Aboriginal Corporation.

Image above: Site of the planned Ison Road Overpass at Werribee.



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# **Before construction**

Before we started building, we:



prepared an Environmental Management Framework (EMF) to reduce and manage environmental and amenity effects during construction



prepared a Landscape and Urban Design Strategy to enhance the existing landscape



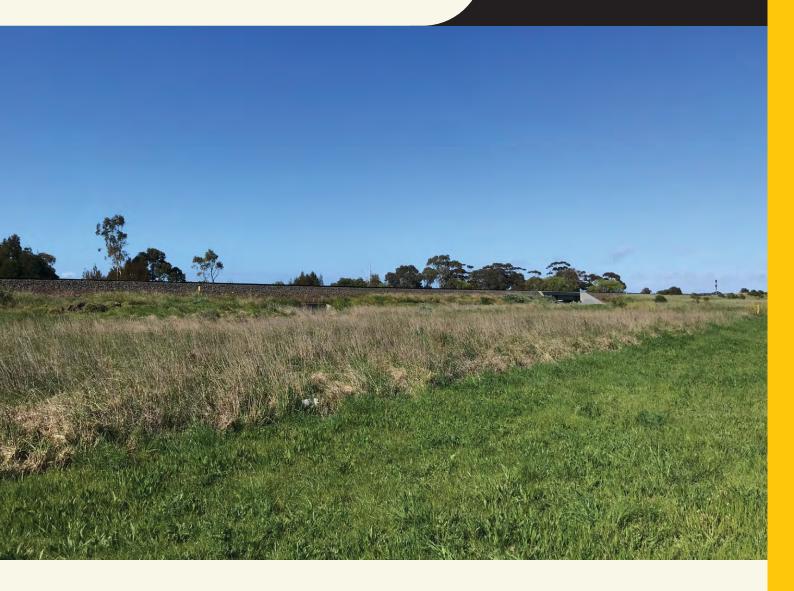
developed management plans that will ensure work is planned and undertaken to minimise or avoid environmental and construction impacts.

Image below: The location for the new road bridge over the Melbourne-Geelong railway line.

### Being accountable for what we do

We have developed an Environmental Management Framework which will provide us with a structured approach to managing the environment. The framework includes the environmental outcomes to be achieved during the design and construction of the Ison Road Overpass.

We'll work with the local community and council to identify environmental and community opportunities for the project, including walking and cycling facilities, safety improvements, landscaping and urban design.



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