

Geelong Fast Rail

Works Notification

Site Investigations

Westona Station

Monday 11 April to Thursday 14 April 2022

Site investigations are taking place to help inform planning and design for Stage One of Geelong Fast Rail.

What we are doing

Essential geotechnical investigations will take place in the rail corridor near Westona Station to obtain detailed information on existing ground conditions.

These investigations will include:

- Hand digging testing, which involves using handheld devices to excavate test pits
- Drilling a borehole to collect samples and assess ground conditions
- Non-destructive digging (NDD) which involves using a vacuum truck to excavate carefully into the ground
- Reinstating the drilling area after the works.

What to be aware of

- The geotechnical investigations will take place within the rail corridor
- The works are expected to generate moderate levels of noise
- There will be no impact on local roads, walkways and shared user paths as part of these works.

Geelong Fast Rail

Geelong Fast Rail will deliver faster services between Geelong and Melbourne's CBD with a travel time of around 50 minutes enabled through a major investment to the Werribee corridor.

The Werribee corridor has been selected as the route to deliver faster services for Geelong, as it is the shortest and most direct rail path between Geelong and Melbourne.

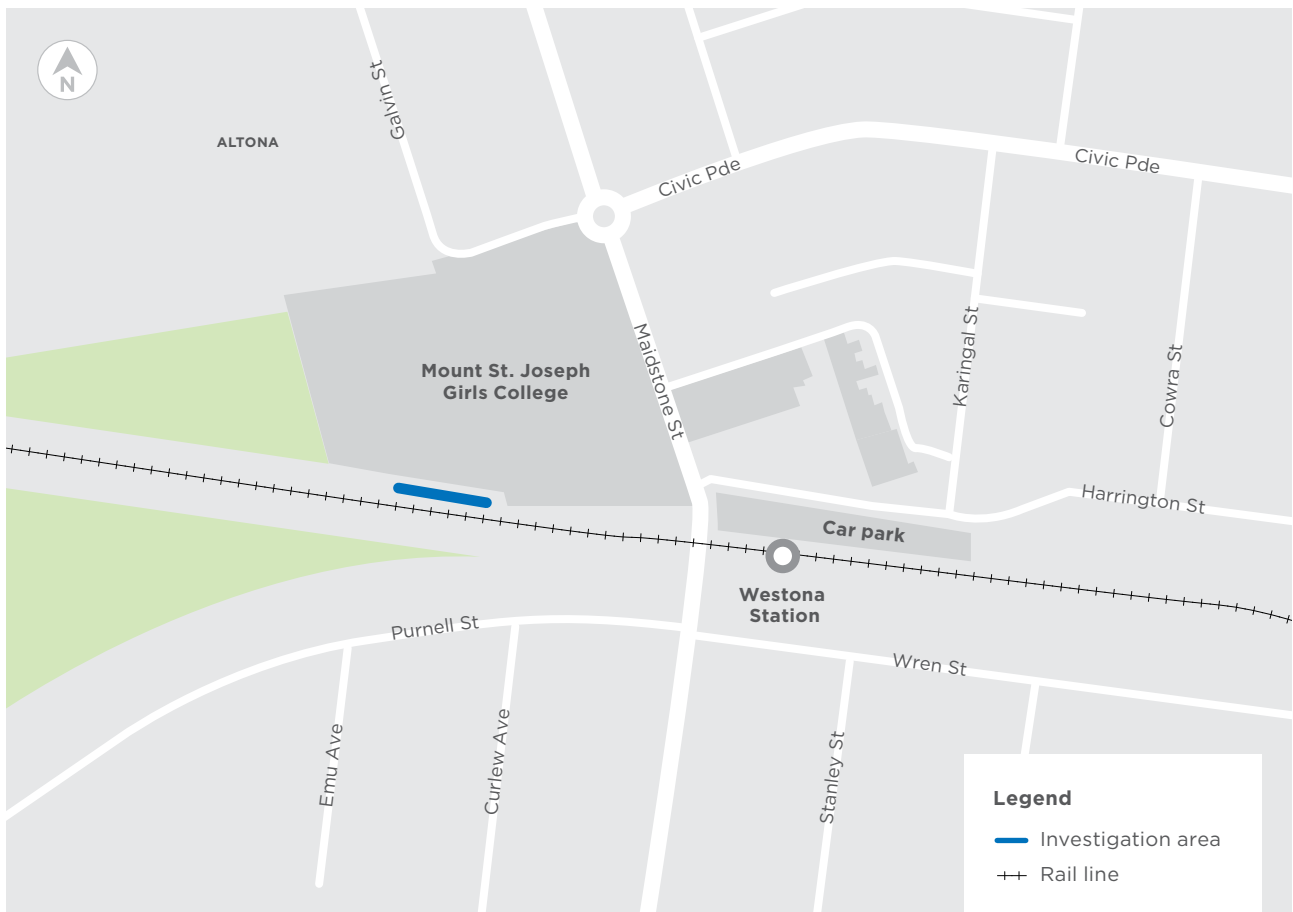
Construction is expected to commence in 2023, subject to relevant Victorian and Federal planning, environmental and other government approvals.



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When

Hours of work:

Works will be undertaken from 7am to 5pm, Monday to Thursday, and take up to 4 business days.


The timing of these works is subject to weather and ground conditions.


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