

PROJECT OVERVIEW

ISON ROAD OVERPASS

SEPTEMBER 2024

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

The project will include construction of a new road overpass bridge across the Melbourne-Geelong railway line, extending the road south towards Browns Road.

Wyndham City Council will construct a future section of Ison Road connecting to the overpass bridge.

We're making it easier and safer for you to walk and cycle in the area by building a walking and cycling path along the Ison Road Overpass and a dedicated cycling track underneath the overpass.

The project aims to:

- provide a vital link to the developing residential areas of Wyndham West to the Princes Freeway to Melbourne and Geelong
- provide Wyndham West residents access to surrounding areas and broader transport networks
- support urban growth and housing development in this high-growth area

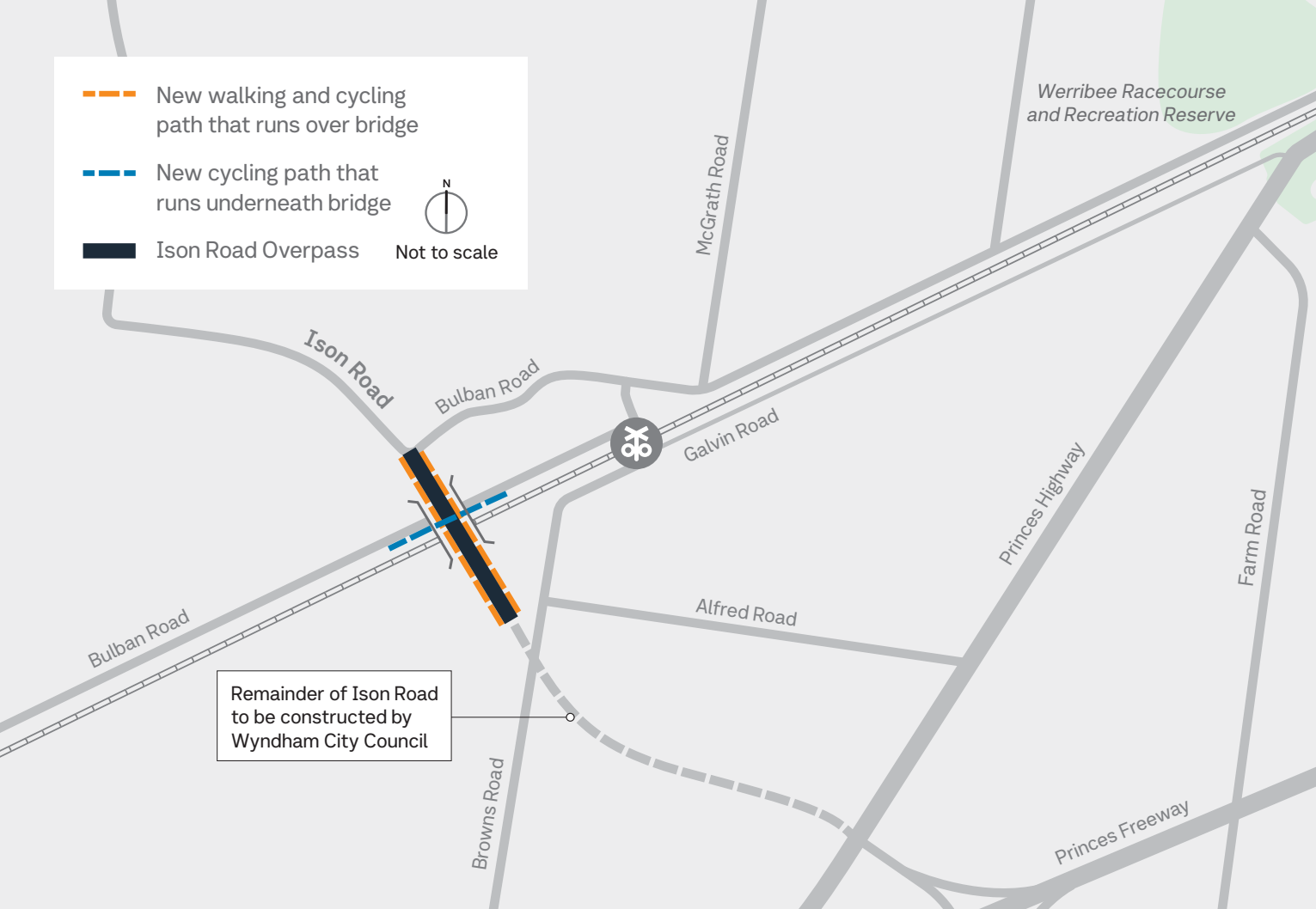
- reduce traffic in central Werribee, thereby reducing congestion and improving journey reliability to the Princes Freeway and Werribee Town Centre
- improve amenity and safety of local streets and Werribee Town Centre.

Image: The Ison Road Overpass will build a bridge over the Melbourne-Geelong railway line.



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Project benefits

The Ison Road Overpass will help provide a vital link to the developing residential areas of Wyndham West to the Princes Freeway and Geelong.

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, in proximity to Port Phillip Bay and Bellarine Peninsula Ramsar Site, and within a floodplain.

The Ison Road Overpass will also help provide:

- reduce congestion by directing traffic out of central Werribee and improving safety and journey reliability to the Princes Freeway and Werribee Town Centre
- support urban growth and housing development in this high-growth area
- provide Wyndham West residents access to surrounding areas and broader transport networks
- improve amenity and safety of local streets and ease congestion in Werribee Town Centre
- create a new walking and cycling path along the Ison Road Overpass and a dedicated cycling track underneath the overpass making it easier and safer for you to walk and cycle in the area.

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.

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