

Upcoming works on M80 Ring Road Completion

Works Notification
April - May 2025



We're completing the M80 Ring Road in Greensborough including a seamless connection to the North East Link tunnels.

Major construction is continuing with new road and pedestrian bridges taking shape at the M80 Ring Road interchange, at Yando Street and Nell Street in Greensborough, and at Watsonia.

Permanent noise walls are being installed early where possible to reduce construction and road noise.

New construction compounds will be built at the M80 Interchange, Boyd Street and Watsonia Road landscaped bridge to provide facilities for workers.

What you need to know

M80 Ring Road and interchange precinct

In April, Greensborough-bound traffic will be shifted south onto temporary lanes to create space to continue constructing the interchange, roads and bridges.

Night-time lane and road closures will be in place to set up new traffic arrangements.

In mid May, the M80 entry ramp towards Greensborough will be closed at Plenty Road for a weekend with detours in place.

Ongoing Yando Street underpass bridge deck works will enable traffic to shift west onto the new M80 Ring Road Altona-bound lanes by late 2025.

We're constructing road and shared use path bridges on Greensborough Bypass at Yando Street and Kempston Street.

Grimshaw Street and Greensborough Road area

We're currently relocating utility services in Greensborough ahead of major works at the Grimshaw Street intersection in late 2025 and early 2026.

Greensborough Highway and Grimshaw Street interchange precinct

Work on the rail tunnel under Greensborough Highway progressed during the recent Hurstbridge Line closure. More planned rail disruptions will occur later this year.

Pedestrian detours are in place on Nell Street West and Greensborough Road while we continue to build the new walking and cycling bridge over Greensborough Highway.



Watsonia Precinct

The Watsonia Road landscaped bridge and retaining walls for the new express lanes connecting to the North East Link tunnels are progressing as planned.

The relocation of the Elder Street intersection at Greensborough Highway towards the former Watsonia Station car park is complete. Next, we'll start building the structures on the western side of Greensborough Highway that will connect the M80 Ring Road to North East Link tunnels and install a permanent noise wall near Elder Street.

When we'll be working

Our standard work hours are:

	Day works 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday, and 7am to 1pm, Saturday
	Night works 6pm to 7am, Sunday to Friday
	Weekend works 6pm Friday to 7am Monday





We'll carry out most of our works during the day, although some extended hours and night works will be required.

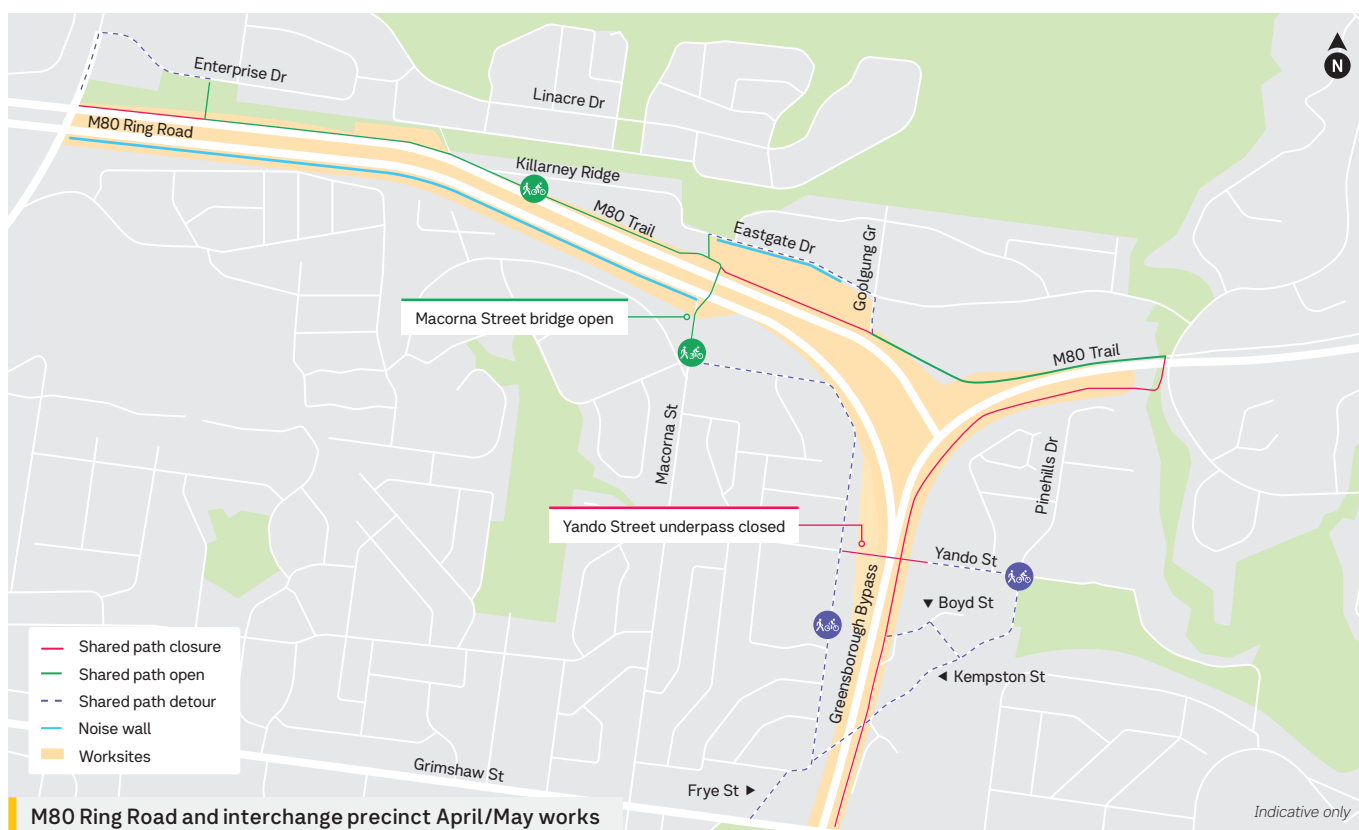
When we're required to work at night near homes and businesses, we'll provide advance notice.





Please see our disruptions summary on pages 2, 3 and 4 for areas near you.

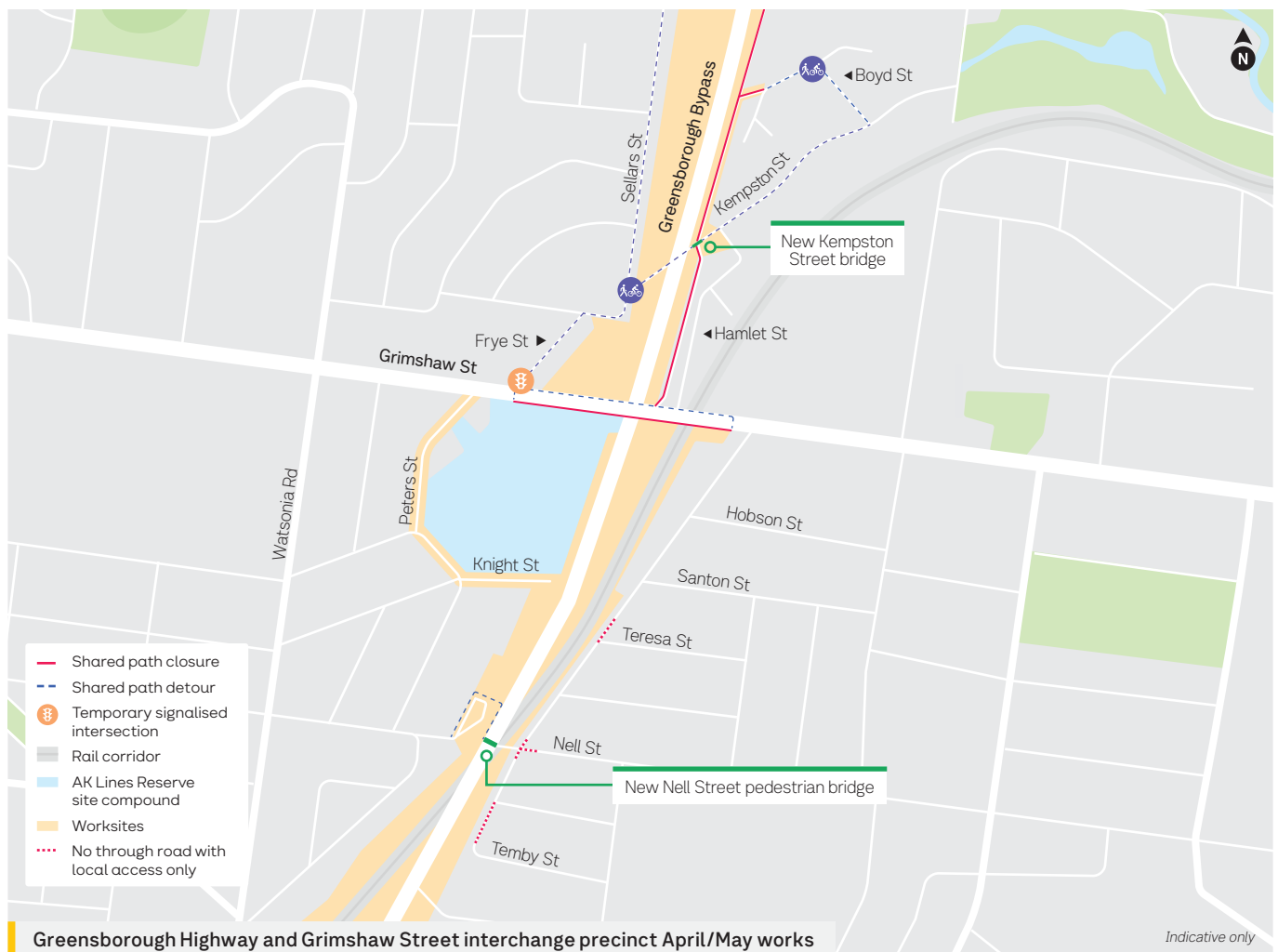
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Where	Activity	
M80 Ring Road and interchange precinct		
M80 Ring Road – Plenty Road to M80 Interchange precinct	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– constructing new M80 Ring Road lanes, Plenty Road entry and exit ramps and road bridges– installing posts and panels for noise walls between Plenty Road and Tevlin Court, and Macorna Street bridge and Goolgung Grove– piling and pouring concrete to construct new road bridges, retaining walls and noise walls– completing excavation and drainage works– installing new smart transport systems– removing selected trees and vegetation– removing and laying asphalt, painting new line markings and installing signage
	 Night works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– complete works on the M80 entry ramp to Greensborough from Plenty Road– installing temporary traffic barriers, asphalt, fencing, signage, line marking and lighting to shift Greensborough-bound traffic lanes near the M80 Ring Road interchange and complete works on the M80 entry ramp to Greensborough from Plenty Road– removing selected trees and vegetation– undertaking road and drainage maintenance
Greensborough Bypass – M80 Interchange to Grimshaw Street	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– constructing the Yando Street underpass bridge decks– widening the bridge at Kempston Street removing selected trees and vegetation– completing excavation and drainage works– installing new smart transport systems– piling for bridges, noise walls and retaining walls
	 Night works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– removing and laying asphalt, painting new line markings and installing temporary traffic barriers and signage– removing selected trees and vegetation– deliveries of heavy machinery and equipment







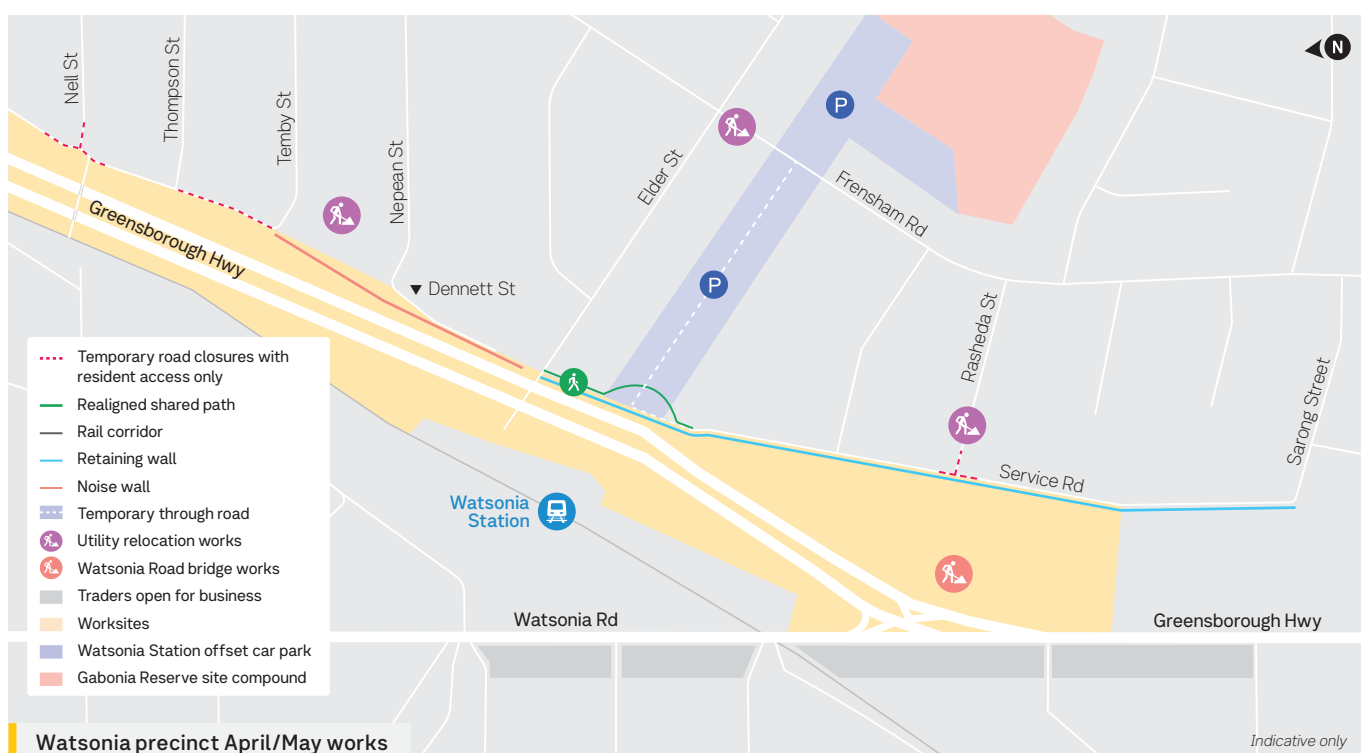
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Greensborough Highway and Grimshaw Street interchange precinct		
Grimshaw Street interchange	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– building the Greensborough Bypass entry and exit ramps– completing excavation and drainage work– installing smart transport systems– constructing retaining walls– upgrading and relocating utility services including water and power
Greensborough Highway - Grimshaw Street to Nell Street bridge	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– completing excavation and drainage work– installing smart transport systems– upgrading and relocating utility services to prepare for Grimshaw Street bridge works in late 2025– extending the Hurstbridge Line rail tunnel– constructing the new Nell Street walking and cycling bridge– constructing Greensborough Highway entry and exit ramps
Greensborough Road near Grimshaw Street	 Day & night works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– upgrading and relocating utility services to prepare for Grimshaw Street interchange works in late 2025
Peters and Knight streets	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– relocating utility services including water and gas



Greensborough Highway and Grimshaw Street interchange precinct April/May works

Indicative only

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Watsonia Precinct		
Greensborough Highway - Nell Street to Powley Parade (including Watsonia Road Watsonia Station car park)	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– completing excavation and drainage work– installing smart transport systems– upgrading and relocating utility services to build the express lanes into the North East Link tunnels– delivering and installing large precast concrete panels to build retaining walls– Watsonia Road landscaped bridge structural works– excavating and piling in the Watsonia Station car park and centre median of Greensborough Highway to build new bridge and road structures– removing selected trees and vegetation
	 Night works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– piling works, removing and laying asphalt, painting new line markings and installing signage– undertaking road and drainage maintenance upgrading and relocating utility services– removing selected trees and vegetation
Watsonia - Nepean Street, Dennett Street, Elder Street	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– completing excavation and drainage work– installing smart transport systems– piling and pouring concrete to construct retaining walls and noise walls– removing and laying asphalt, painting new line markings and installing signage– upgrading and relocating utility services to build the express lanes into the North East Link tunnels– installing temporary traffic barriers and fencing
Watsonia - Service Road, Rasheda Street, Frensham Reserve offset carpark	 Day works	<ul style="list-style-type: none">– piling and pouring concrete to construct retaining walls and noise walls– removing and laying asphalt, painting new line markings and installing signage– constructing a temporary through road between Frensham Road and Service Road– upgrading and relocating utility services to build the express lanes into the North East Link tunnels





Artist's impression of Elder Street landscaped bridge, Watsonia



Installation of noise walls on the M80 Ring Road

Transport disruptions

Expect intermittent lane, ramp and road closures and speed reductions at night on the M80 Ring Road, Greensborough Bypass and Greensborough Highway.

Lane and road closures will be required at times to shift M80 Ring Road Greensborough-bound lanes south at the interchange with Greensborough Bypass.

Sections of the M80 Trail and Greensborough Bypass Path are closed with temporary long-term detours in place.

Please plan your trip and allow additional travel time.

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What to expect

What to expect while we are working:

- machinery, equipment and vehicle noise, light, dust, and occasional vibration at times
- deliveries to worksites, including outside of standard work hours
- light and heavy vehicle movements on local streets
- closure of sections of the M80 Trail and Greensborough Bypass Trail
- lane, ramp and road closures.

Keeping in touch

We'll be out talking to nearby residents and businesses about these works in more detail, including how we'll be managing any local impacts. If you have any questions now, please contact the Big Build contact centre on 1800 105 105.

Major milestone for our tunnels

A couple weeks ago, the two massive Tunnel Boring Machines (TBMs) that are helping build the 6.5km North East Link twin tunnels between Watsonia and Bulleen broke through at Lower Plenty Road interchange site.



You can track our TBMs at bigbuild.vic.gov.au/projects/north-east-link/construction/tunnel-works or scan the QR code.

Managing construction impacts

We manage our works responsibly in line with strict project requirements including:

- keeping residents and businesses informed when work is happening nearby
- using clear signage and traffic controls to safely guide drivers, cyclists, and pedestrians
- securing worksites with fencing, barriers, and safety measures
- monitoring and managing noise, dust, and vibration levels in real time
- minimising light spill with carefully directed lighting
- implementing environmental controls to prevent dust and water run-off
- containing workforce parking within designated worksites.

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