

Works notice



Metro Tunnel completions and site reinstatement works

Hobsons Road and Kensington Road, Kensington

Ongoing from October to late 2026

As previously advised, completion and site reinstatement activities are ongoing in Hobsons Road, Kensington as part of the Metro Tunnel Project. These works require minor lane and footpath closures in Hobsons Road and Kensington Road at various times until late 2026.



When we'll be working

- Monday – Friday, 7am – 6pm
- Saturday, 7am – 1pm

Please note works may be rescheduled depending on weather.

Water and sewer connection works – Hobsons and Kensington roads

Three weeks during October and November 2026

- Water connection works will take place on Kensington Road for up to seven shifts during normal construction hours, with a partial lane closure of the westbound lane required near the Hobsons Road intersection
- During water connection works, a small section of the southern footpath and bicycle lane on Kensington Road will be temporarily closed. Traffic management will be in place to assist
- Sewer connection works will take place on Hobsons Road for up to seven shifts during normal construction hours, with a temporary closure of the western footpath and bicycle lane required on Hobsons Road, near the Kensington Road intersection
- Pedestrian and cyclist diversions will be in place, with traffic management in place to assist
- These works will require an excavator and hand tools and are expected to generate low to medium levels of noise.

Driveway removal and footpath reinstatement – Hobsons Road

November 2026

- Removal of the temporary driveway into the Metro Tunnel site and reinstatement of the western footpath will take place on Hobsons Road for up to seven shifts during normal construction hours in November
- A non-destructive digging machine, excavator, hand tools and a concrete truck will be required to undertake these works
- A single westbound lane and a temporary footpath closure will be in place, with traffic management on hand to assist with vehicle, cyclist and pedestrian movements for seven days
- Works are expected to generate medium levels of noise with periods of high levels of noise.



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Landscaping, fencing and site reinstatement works

Childers Street, October 2026

- Works to reinstate landscaping adjacent to the new rail access point will take place over two shifts during normal construction hours
- A single lane closure will be required during works, with traffic management in place to assist with vehicle, cyclist and pedestrian movements.

Hobsons Road, November 2026

- Works to remove temporary fencing and reinstate landscaping at the corner of Hobsons Road and Kensington Road will take place over over two shifts during normal construction hours
- Fencing will be installed in various locations across the Metro Tunnel site on Hobsons Road throughout November
- Works to reinstate a brick pillar at the gate of the Metro Tunnel site will be undertaken on various days in November, with a temporary closure of the western footpath required.

Traffic and transport impacts

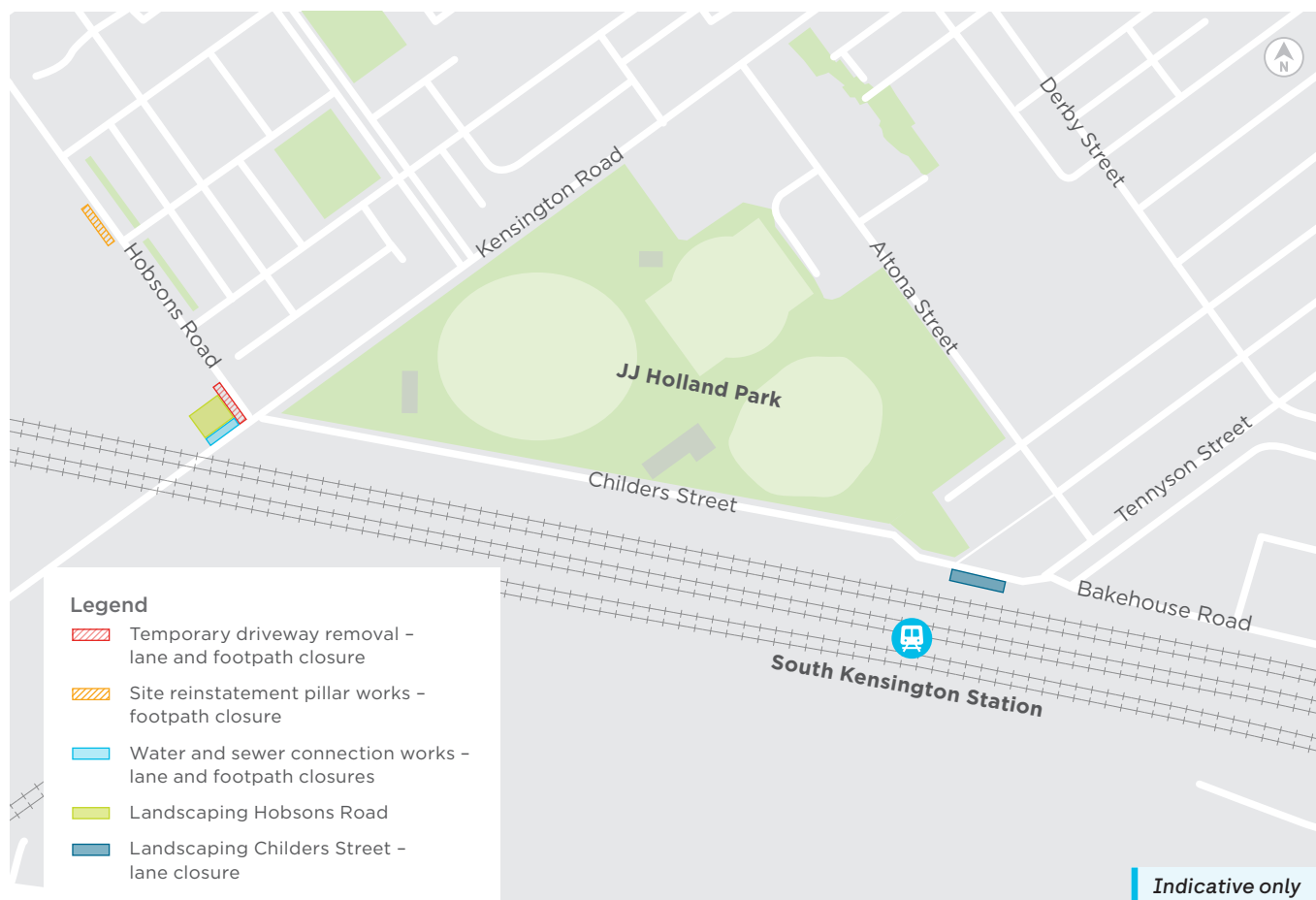
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There will be an increase in construction vehicles and trucks at the Metro Tunnel site on Hobsons Road to facilitate the removal of containers and materials from site.

Thank you for your patience while we undertake these works.

Further information on these works can be found at bigbuild.vic.gov.au/projects/metro-tunnel.

Works area map



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