

# **RUSHALL RESERVE SHARED PATH**

BUDGET 17/18 \$545,000

#### Estimated Cost - \$502,850 Features - 2.5m wide

- 2.5m wide asphalt path (plus run-off on each side)
  - 1.4m high fence on cliff side
  - 1.8m high fence on train line side
  - train cable realignment
  - viewing platform / rest spot
  - 12 tree removals approx.

### Risks

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- the cost of the cable realignment may increase depending on current standards and infrastructure condition (understood to be \$120K, may increase)

- the construction footprint may require the removal of more trees
- planning permit required for vegetation removal and path construction
- community opposition during to the planning permit application\*

- lease required with VicTrack to put the path on rail land

\* a planning permit is required for sections of the path within the PUZ4 area (A & B1), but not within the PPRZ area (B2).

# B1 Estimated cost - A+B1 - \$628,550 Features - 2.5m wide asphal

- A+b1 - 3020,350
- 2.5m wide asphalt path
- 3m wide elevated decking in tree protection zones

Pros - Consistent with the Council resolution of August 2016

### Cons

- puts the path on railway land
- locates the path close to MW pipes, and over High Voltage power cables
- would require decking over tree root zones
- exceeds the current project budget
- reduces sightlines under bridge to North
- (B2)
  - **Estimated cost** A+B2 \$546,350 **Features** - 2.5m wide asphal
    - 2.5m wide asphalt path (no run off required)
       low fence along the path edge until it meets the existing path (dashed line above)

### Pros

- the location minimises construction impact on the Reserve
- the location avoids underground services in the park
- this option is close to the budget
- improves sightline under bridge to North

# Cons

- is not consistent with the Council resolution of August 2016