

TRAM NETWORK UPGRADES



Tram track and overhead power lines renewal

Victoria Street between Church Street and Burnley Street, Richmond

Preliminary works: Wednesday 12 August to Friday 21 August 2020

Major works: Friday 21 August to Sunday 30 August 2020

Public Transport Victoria (PTV) in partnership with Yarra Trams will commence work to renew tram tracks and the overhead network on Victoria Street between Church Street and Burnley Street, Richmond.



Works



Dates



Noise



Roads

Works	Dates	Noise	Roads
Preliminary works	Wednesday 12 August to Friday 21 August	Medium to high day and night works	Parking removal, traffic management in place
Major works	Starting at 10pm Friday 21 August to 5am Sunday 30 August	High level noise 24 hour works	Road closure in work zone. Traffic management in place

Preliminary works



Preliminary works such as pre-welding of new tram tracks will take place between Wednesday 12 August to Friday 21 August 2020. **Please refer to the attached map for the exact location of this work.**

This work will be carried out during the day and at night if required (weather dependent).

Noise will be mostly contained to the day time hours but there may be a requirement for some periods of noisy work at night.

Major works



Major works will involve the replacement of tram tracks, poles and overhead wiring on Victoria Street between Church Street and Burnley Street, Richmond.

These works will require a full road closure of Victoria Street between Church Street and Burnley Street from 10pm Friday 21 August to 5am Sunday 30 August 2020.

Traffic management and detours will be in place, including dedicated signage for cyclists. Please follow all detour signage.

Public transport changes



During the major works, tram routes 12 and 109 will be affected.

For more details closer to the time, please visit yarratrams.com.au/servicechanges

Motorists



Due to the nature of the works, Victoria Street between Church Street and Burnley Street will be closed to traffic from 10pm Friday 21 August to 5am Sunday 30 August.

No vehicle access will be permitted during this time.

Local community



Access to shops and local infrastructure will remain unchanged during the works. Yarra Trams encourages you to allow some extra time when moving around the area while work is being done.

As this work is necessary to maintain a safe tram network as required by the *Rail Management Act 1996* (Vic), Yarra Trams will not compensate any third parties for any losses incurred during the project.

Local businesses



The businesses located around the works area will remain open during the works. Please continue to support your local businesses during these essential infrastructure works.

Pedestrian access to these businesses will remain open at all times.

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Pedestrians

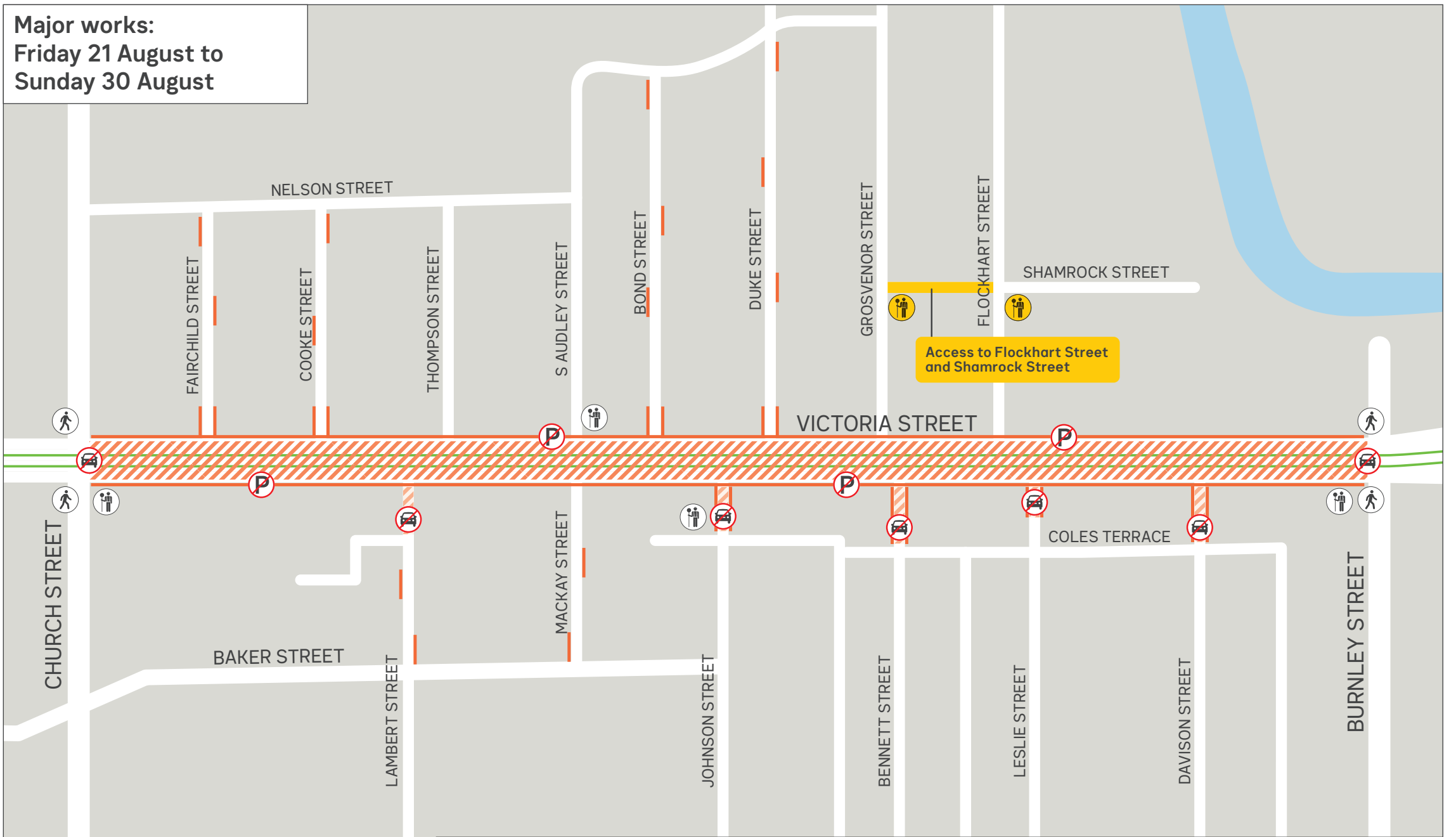


The work zone will be fenced off for safety, however footpaths will remain open around the work area to allow pedestrian access to businesses and residences located around the work zone.

Please note that there will be kerb to kerb fencing which will limit pedestrian crossings. These fences are required to ensure public safety.

Crossing points will be facilitated where possible and may change depending on the construction activities taking place.

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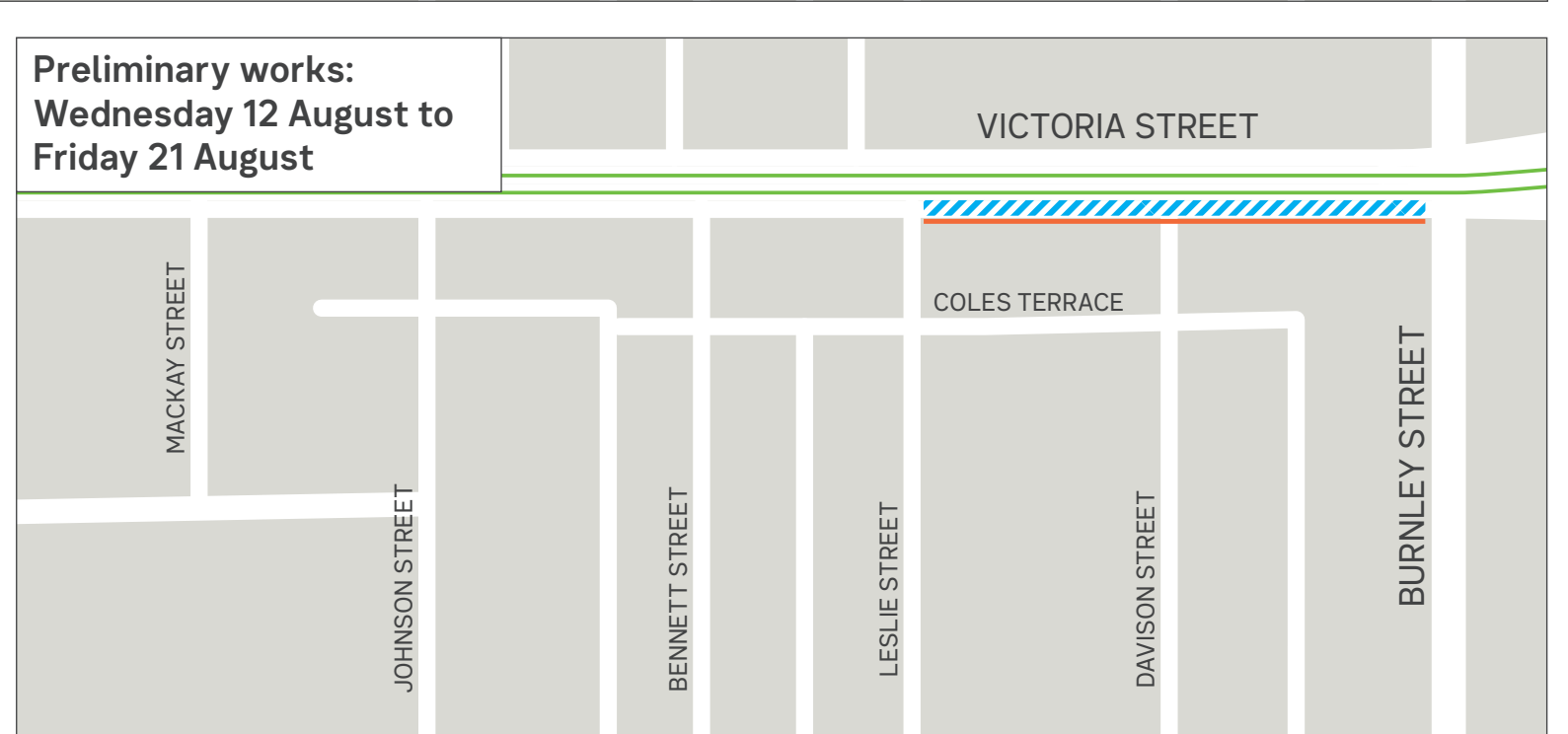


Key

-  Major works zone
-  Road closures
-  Preliminary works
-  No parking zone
-  Road closed
-  Traffic controller



Preliminary works: Wednesday 12 August to Friday 21 August



Noise and dust



Associated noise and dust from machinery, vehicles and work crews is unavoidable. In order to finish these works as quickly as possible, works will take place 24 hours a day and will generate high levels of noise. If work was kept to a 'day time only' schedule, the disruption to tram services, motorists and the community would be substantially longer.

We apologise for the inconvenience this work causes and appreciate your understanding.

Local access and parking



There will be no local or driveway access on Victoria Street between Church Street and Burnley Street from 10pm Friday 21 August to 5am Sunday 30 August. Street parking will also be temporarily removed throughout the major works.

Additional temporary street parking restrictions will apply to the following streets to allow for residences access via temporary two-way access:

- Fairchild Street
- Cooke Street Bond Street
- Duke Street
- Lambert Street
- Mackay Street.

Please refer to the attached map for exact restrictions.

Prior to the commencement of major works, on-street signage will be installed in affected areas to notify residents of which parking bays will be unavailable.

Residents are encouraged to park in further surrounding streets prior to the works commencement date, noting local parking restrictions.

Parking and local access will be reinstated on completion of works.

Concurrent works



During Major works, Yarra Trams will also take the opportunity to renew overhead wiring on Victoria Bridge which connects Victoria St to Barkers Rd over the Yarra River. These works will be undertaken outside of peak periods to minimise additional disruption. More information will be provided in the next notification closer to the start of works.



For information in other languages:

普通話	9321 5454	廣東話	9321 5441
Italiano	9321 5444	ਪੰਜਾਬੀ	9321 5445
Ελληνικά	9321 5443	हिन्दी	9321 5442
Việt-ngữ	9321 5449	සිංහල	9321 5446
عربي	9321 5440	Español	9321 5447

If your language isn't listed visit ptv.vic.gov.au/languages or call **9321 5450**.

Stage 3 restrictions in relation to COVID-19 are currently in place across Victoria and do not prevent construction sites and activities from operating.

All road and public transport maintenance sites are following the DHHS guidelines for construction sites, where physical distancing is implemented wherever possible and PPE or other safety measures are implemented to keep everyone safe.