



28 September 2020

Dear Business Owner / Resident,

Works alert: Major construction works continue at Werribee Street

We're removing the dangerous and congested level crossing at Werribee Street in Werribee by building a new rail bridge.

We're making significant progress as construction continues at Werribee Street. The new temporary freight track has been installed and we're continuing to install the foundations of the new rail bridge. Throughout October you may notice a significant increase in work vehicles, and workers in the rail corridor.

This letter provides an overview of the changes to the way you'll travel and construction activities that you may notice during October.

Upcoming works

Throughout October we'll continue earthworks for the bridge approaches and install the foundations of the new rail bridge over Werribee Street. Overnight deliveries of the bridge foundations will also continue throughout October.

We'll continue signalling upgrades along the rail corridor and locating utility services along Cottrell Street.

We will be working 24 hours a day, seven days a week along the rail corridor and at the Werribee Street level crossing until late 2020.

Heavy machinery and equipment including excavators, cranes and piling rigs will be operating in the area. We'll take every measure to reduce construction impacts, however you may notice some construction related noise, dust and vibration.

Changes to the way you travel

To complete works safely while we work in the road corridor and at the Werribee Street level crossing, there'll be some changes to the way you travel in October:

- **Werribee Street closed overnight between Princes Highway and Cottrell Street:** Werribee Street will be closed overnight at the level crossing from 7pm to 7am between Thursday 1 October to Tuesday 6 October and again from Tuesday 13 October to Tuesday 20 October. During these times, we'll lift beams over the road. Please see the detour map for motorists on the next page.
- **Bus route detours (routes 153, 443 and 441):** Buses will be detoured during the overnight closures of Werribee Street, for more information about the bus route detours, please visit ptv.vic.gov.au or call **1800 800 007**.
- **Pedestrian detours:** The pedestrian footpaths over the Werribee Street level crossing will be closed between 7pm and 7am, from Tuesday 13 October to Thursday 15 October. Signage will be in place to help guide you through the area.
- **Cottrell Street lane closures and bus stop closure:** One lane will be closed on the north side of Cottrell Street between Werribee Street and Bulban Road from Sunday 27 September to Thursday 15 October. During this time the route 190 and 192 bus stop on the north side of Cottrell Street outside the Racecourse Hotel will be temporarily closed. The nearest bus stop is east on Cottrell Street, approximately a 250-metre walk.

There will also be intermittent lane closures and pedestrian detours throughout the area in October. Traffic management will be in place to help guide motorists, pedestrians and cyclists safely around the area.

Health and Safety

The health and safety of our works and community is our key priority as we continue works on the Werribee Street level crossing removal project.

To find out more about the measures in place on our projects, visit our website.

For more information about coronavirus, visit coronavirus.vic.gov.au

Contact us

Please sign up to our email updates by visiting our website, so we can continue to keep you informed about our works in your area. Our team are regularly updating our website and social media channels.

Alternatively, if you'd like to receive text message project alerts about traffic and constructions disruptions text **"Werribee"** to **0438 479 376**.

If you have any further questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact us on **1800 105 105** or contact@levelcrossings.vic.gov.au.

Kind Regards,

Werribee Street Level Crossing Removal Project

