Works Notification

Platform extension and out of hours works
Middle Footscray station

17 February - 6 March 2020

To enable greater capacity on the Sunbury Line, we are delivering platform extensions, accessibility upgrades and new stabling as part of the $2.1 billion Sunbury Line Upgrade.

Upcoming works at Middle Footscray station include finishes to the platform extension constructed in late 2019 and installation of power and communications equipment. To enable these works, some temporary traffic changes will be required along a section of Victoria Street, Footscray.

What we are doing

Platform extension works
— Installing drain grates, tactiles, line marking and asphalting on the extended platform
— Installing conduits within the platform that will carry power to new communications and CCTV equipment. This involves cutting asphalt, laying conduits in trenches and then reinstating the platform
— The majority of works will be undertaken during the day, however for the safety of train commuters, some lower impact activities will be completed at night when trains are not running.

Temporary traffic changes
— To allow asphalt to be delivered into the rail corridor, the northbound lane on Victoria Street between Errol and Buckley streets, including the bicycle lane and pedestrian footpath, will be closed for up to two hours at a time during the works
— A pedestrian detour will be in place while traffic flow will be maintained in both directions using a shuttle-flow arrangement, with traffic controllers present to direct vehicles and cyclists.

When
Platform extension works and temporary traffic changes (dayworks)
— Monday 17 February to Monday 24 February
— 7am to 6pm, Monday to Friday
— 7am to 1pm, Saturdays.

Platform extension works and temporary traffic changes (out of hours)
— Tuesday 25 February to Friday 6 March
— 8pm to 5am, Monday to Sunday.

What to be aware of
— These works are expected to generate medium levels of noise and low levels of vibration. All higher impact activities including trench excavation will be completed during the day
— Work will take place on the platform while trains are running. The construction area will be separated from train users with barriers. Please move carefully around the station platform while boarding and disembarking from trains
— During lane closures there will be changed traffic conditions in the area including reduced speed limits and signage to direct vehicles
— Traffic controllers will be present to assist with vehicle, pedestrian and cyclist movements around the area. Please move carefully and follow the direction of traffic controllers at all times.
More information
To find out more about Sunbury Line Upgrade:
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