

Dear Resident/Business,

## Fitzgerald Road Level Crossing Removal Project – night works and road closures

We're getting on with the job of removing the dangerous and congested level crossing at Fitzgerald Road, Ardeer by building a road bridge over the rail line.

### Upcoming night works

During an upcoming closure of Forrest Street we will complete critical works outside of our general working hours. We will work around the clock from **7am Tuesday 10 May to 5am Wednesday 18 May** to safely complete pavement works on Forrest Street.

To complete these works, there will be some planned changes to the way you travel.

Transport	Planned travel changes
	<p>Forrest Street will be closed in both directions between the Fitzgerald Road intersection and Holmes Street from <b>9am Tuesday 10 May to 5am Wednesday 18 May 2022</b>.</p> <p>Access to West Street from Forrest Street will be closed and local traffic will be redirected through Holmes Street.</p>
<b>Local road detours</b>	<p>There will be no right turn from Fitzgerald Road eastbound onto Forrest Street.</p> <p>Access onto Tilburn Road from Fitzgerald Road remains unchanged.</p> <p>Access to properties between 240 and 268 Forrest Street will be maintained, with minor disruptions to access. Residents will be contacted separately regarding access changes.</p> <p>Traffic management will be in place to assist road users during the closure.</p>
<b>PTV bus services</b>	<p>From <b>9am Tuesday 10 May to 5am Wednesday 18 May</b> Forrest Street bus stops will be serviced by a shuttle bus to Sunshine Station where passengers can change onto other bus services.</p> <p><b>Route 400</b> will leave Sunshine Station and use Ballarat Road instead of Forrest Street/Tilburn Road. Buses will travel south down Station Road/Mt Derrimut Road on the usual route.</p> <p><b>Route 427</b> will leave Sunshine Station and use a Glengala Road loop (impacted bus stops on Route 427 would be serviced by Route 400 PTV Shuttle Bus).</p> <p><b>Route 422</b> will leave Sunshine Station and use Ballarat Road instead of Forrest Street/Tilburn Road. Buses will travel north from Station Road intersection on usual route (impacted bus stops on Route 427 would be serviced by Route 400 PTV Shuttle Bus).</p> <p><b>Route 420</b> is not impacted</p> <p>For more information visit <a href="http://www.ptv.com.au">www.ptv.com.au</a>.</p>

### Health and safety

Works on the Fitzgerald Road Level Crossing Removal Project are being carried out with COVID Safe plans in place to help protect workers and the community.

For more information about coronavirus (COVID-19), please visit [coronavirus.vic.gov.au](http://coronavirus.vic.gov.au)

## How this will affect you

- Planned 24/7 works and road disruptions
- Significant increase in construction activity with large trucks and equipment operating on Forrest Street
- Increase in travel times with road detours in place around Forrest Street
- Increase in construction noise, vibration and lighting on a 24/7 basis.

Where possible, the project team will keep light spill, noise and vibration to a minimum. Weather conditions may affect our progress and we will let you know if these dates change.

## Keeping in touch

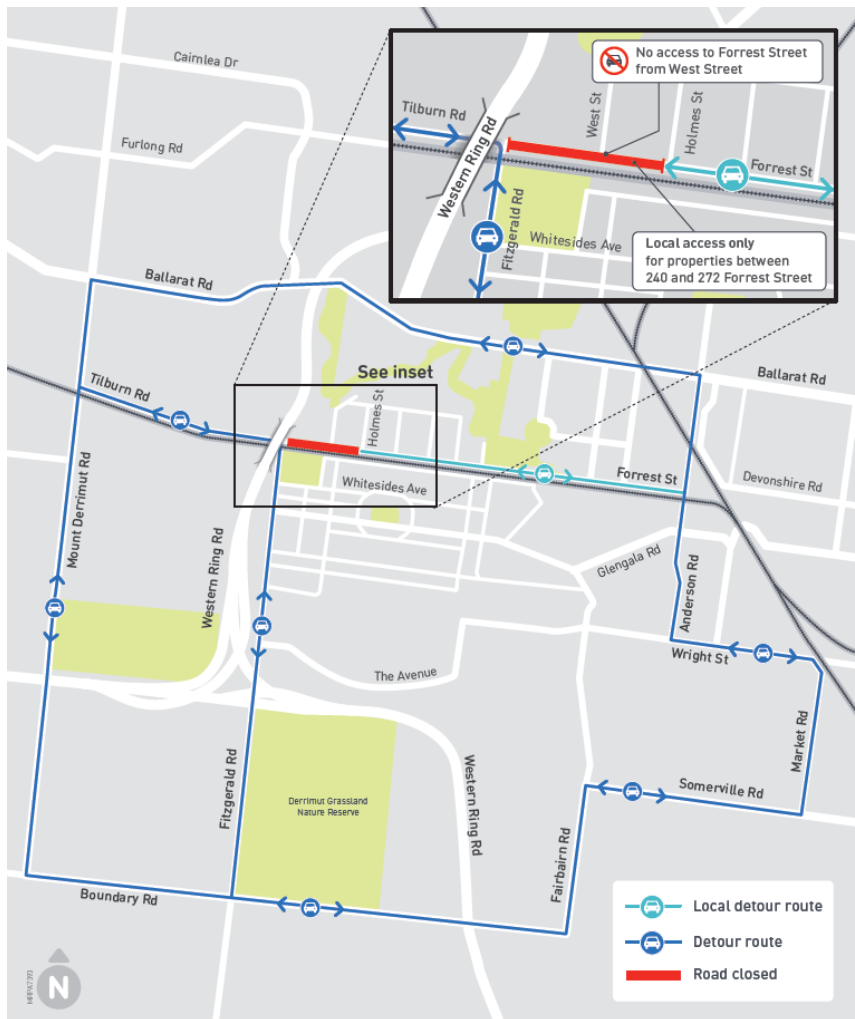
You can now register to receive disruption information via text message. To subscribe to SMS alerts on traffic and construction impacts text **FITZGERALD** to 0456 824 111.

If you have any further questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact the LXR 24/7 Contact Centre on 1800 105 105 or [contact@levelcrossings.vic.gov.au](mailto:contact@levelcrossings.vic.gov.au).

Kind regards,

**The Fitzgerald Road Level Crossing Removal Project Team**

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