

AUGUST 2021



NEW POP UP PARK

Creating new open space

We're transforming car parking on Queen Street near Queen Victoria Market into a welcoming green space and activation area for a range of uses from passive recreation and seating in a grassed area, to art installations, active recreation and community events.

Funded through the joint City of Melbourne and State Government Melbourne City Recovery Fund, the temporary park is designed to encourage more visitors and shoppers to the Queen Victoria Market and provide more green space for local residents. The pop up is the first stage of the transformation of the current asphalt car park into 1.75 hectares of public open space and follows the recent opening of the 500 space Munro car park.

What's happening

- Site establishment including installation of site fencing.
- Removal of 115 car spaces in Queen Street and the market car park.
- Removal of asphalt and kerb.
- Installation of new kerb.
- Installation of lighting.
- Landscaping including preparation and laying turf.
- Installation of decking and furniture.

All works will be carried out in accordance with the approved construction and traffic management plans to COVID-Safe plans. Works will result in some short-term disruption as well as changes to the way the area is accessed.

Please take care and be mindful of changed conditions around the area. Thanks for your patience.

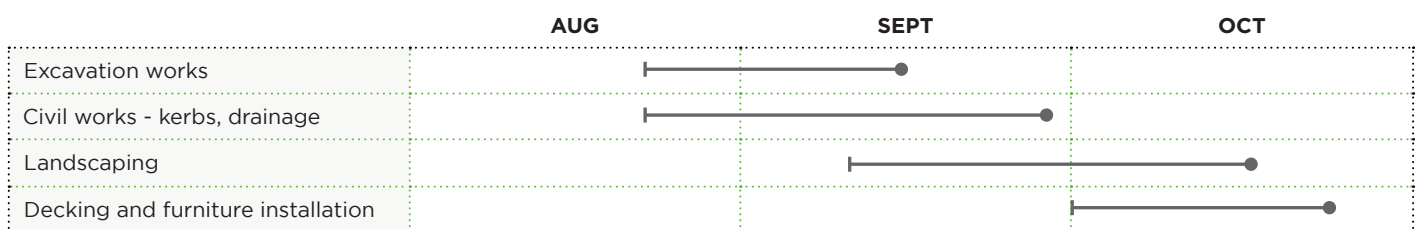
When

Works will commence in late August and are anticipated to conclude by late October. Works hours are 7am to 4pm, Monday to Saturday.

What to expect

- Residents, visitors and businesses in close proximity to the work area may experience some inconvenience.
- Works are expected to generate low to medium levels of noise during work hours.
- At times traffic controllers will be in place to manage vehicle and pedestrian movements.
- The Queen Street entry to the open air market car park will remain open. Customers will also be able to park in the new Munro underground car park.

Works look ahead



Indicative only, subject to change.

Works Notice

What's happening August to October:



Work area

The work area includes the Queen Street slip way (see map below), with works occurring Monday to Saturday. The Queen Street entry to the car park will remain open and market customers will have the ability to choose from either the open air car park or the new Munro underground car park. Safe pedestrian access will be maintained through the area. Thank you for your patience.



Noise

Residents, businesses and visitors in close proximity to the works areas may experience some inconvenience. Works are expected to generate low to medium levels of noise. Work is being undertaken with COVID-19 health and safety measures in place and in accordance with WorkSafe and EPA guidelines.



Pedestrian access

The work areas will be fenced off for the duration with signage on temporary fencing to assist pedestrian wayfinding and safe access around the work site. Please take care and be mindful of changed conditions around the area.



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