

# TRANSFORMING SOUTHBANK BOULEVARD

## Construction update

### February 2021

Significant progress has been made on the Transforming Southbank Boulevard project over the last six months, with the Civic Space to the front of the ABC Southbank Centre almost finished. As this stage of the project reaches completion, we will commence works on two of the following stages between Moore Street and City Road.

### Neighbourhood Parks

Two open space stages will commence construction in early February, including:

- The open space between Moore Street and Kavanagh Street
- The open space between Fawkner Street and City Road

The construction of these two neighbourhood parks will create an additional 2730m<sup>2</sup> of open space on Southbank Boulevard.

The open space areas will feature new public lighting, hardstand areas for congregation with feature rock work and seating, lawn, lots of garden beds and ground cover planting, a significant numbers of trees, and a boardwalk in the open space between Fawkner Street and City Road.



The Civic Space to the front of the ABC nearing completion

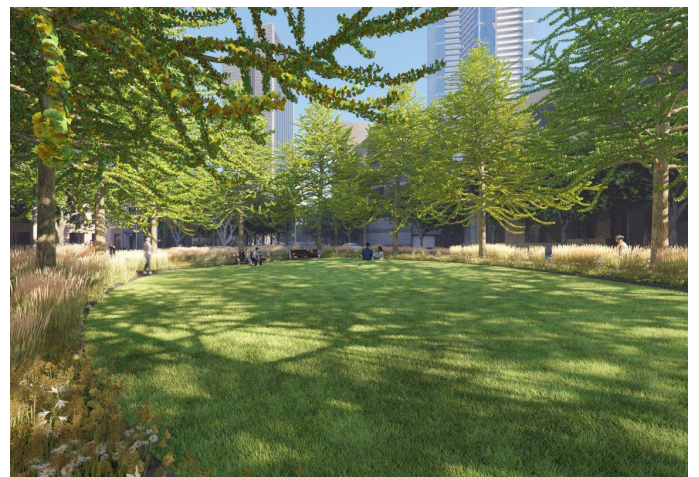
## Construction activity

These works will require some demolition of the existing, redundant roadway. Works may at times be noisy, however they will be carried out within standard construction working hours.

We do not anticipate any night works being required to construct these open spaces.

### Civic Space

- The majority of the park will be ready for use in early March, with the exception of the lawn area which will be fenced off to allow for establishment
- Turf has been laid for the new 300m<sup>2</sup> lawn area
- Furniture has been set out in the park, ready for installation
- Ground cover and shrub planting will commence in the coming weeks
- Advanced tree planting will be undertaken in early April, during the tree planting season.



Artists impression of the proposed open space between Moore Street and Kavanagh Street

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