TRANSFORMING SOUTHBANK BOULEVARD AND DODDS STREET

CONSTRUCTION BULLETIN 6

COMPLETION OF MAJOR TRAM WORKS

Major tram works, including the construction of a new central island tram stop on Sturt Street, the installation of new tram poles and tracks, and the creation of a new planted section of track was completed on Sunday 30 September. Tram services along Route 1 recommenced operation on Monday 1 October 2018.

Thank you for your patience during these works.

Sturt Street

Sturt Street has now re-opened to traffic for northsouth vehicle movement, allowing the Grant Street detour to again function for access to the Arts Centre Melbourne carpark.



Trams

The Route 1 tram resumed operation on Monday 1 October 2018. The new central island tram stop is numbered as 'Stop 17'.



Pedestrians

Three sides of the Sturt Street and Southbank Boulevard intersection have been re-opened. The crossing on the eastern side of the intersection will re-open in November.



Vehicles

New traffic lights will be installed in the coming weeks. Until then, traffic controllers will continue to assist with the safe operation of this intersection.

Over the course of the coming months, vehicle access to the section of Southbank Boulevard between St Kilda Road and Sturt Street will reopen as construction works in this work area are completed.



Tram Stop 17 is now complete and operating on Sturt Street



Our first green planted tram track in the City of Melbourne



Flowers are coming into bloom in the planted track



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WHAT'S NEXT?

During the week commencing 15 October 2018, the works compound which is currently located in Dodds Street, will be relocated. The compound will move to a new location near the corner of Southbank Boulevard and Moore Street, in front of the ABC Southbank Centre.

Moving the compound will allow work to be completed in the section of Southbank Boulevard and Dodds Street which is currently closed to traffic between St Kilda Road and Sturt Street.

Upcoming works



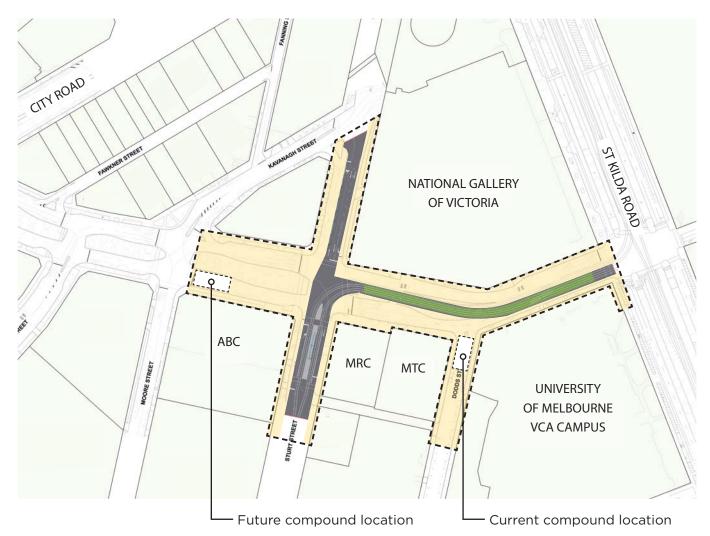
SITE COMPOUND MOVE

The site compound which is currently located in Dodds Street will move west along Southbank Boulevard.



CONSTRUCTION WORKS

Commencing in late October through to November, works will commence within Dodds Street and in front of the ABC Southbank Centre



Thank you for your patience

We apologise for the inconvenience and thank you for your patience. To find out more, please contact **9658 9658**, or email southbankboulevard@melbourne.vic.gov.au

