

TRANSFORMING SOUTHBANK BOULEVARD

Construction update

February 2020

Construction activity for the Transforming Southbank Boulevard project has recommenced. With the roadway works complete, construction is focussed on the open space areas to be created along Southbank Boulevard between Dodds Street and City Road.



Stone installation nearing completion in front of the Melbourne Recital Centre and Southbank Theatre (note: temporary planters shown)



New seating, widened footpath and landscaping along Southbank Boulevard

Arts gateway

This new open space will be a gateway for Melbourne's Arts Precinct, while providing new areas for people to sit and enjoy this distinct area of Southbank.

Works:

- Stone installation and landscaping in front of the Melbourne Recital Centre and Southbank Theatre continues and will be completed by the end of March.

Public lighting and traffic signals

The commissioning of public lighting and traffic signals are some of the final touches to be added to the roadway component of the project.

Works:

- Over the next six weeks, public lighting will be commissioned on Southbank Boulevard between St Kilda Road and Sturt Street.
- Traffic signals at the Sturt Street intersections (Southbank Boulevard and Kavanagh Street) will also be transferred over to a permanent power supply.

ABC open space

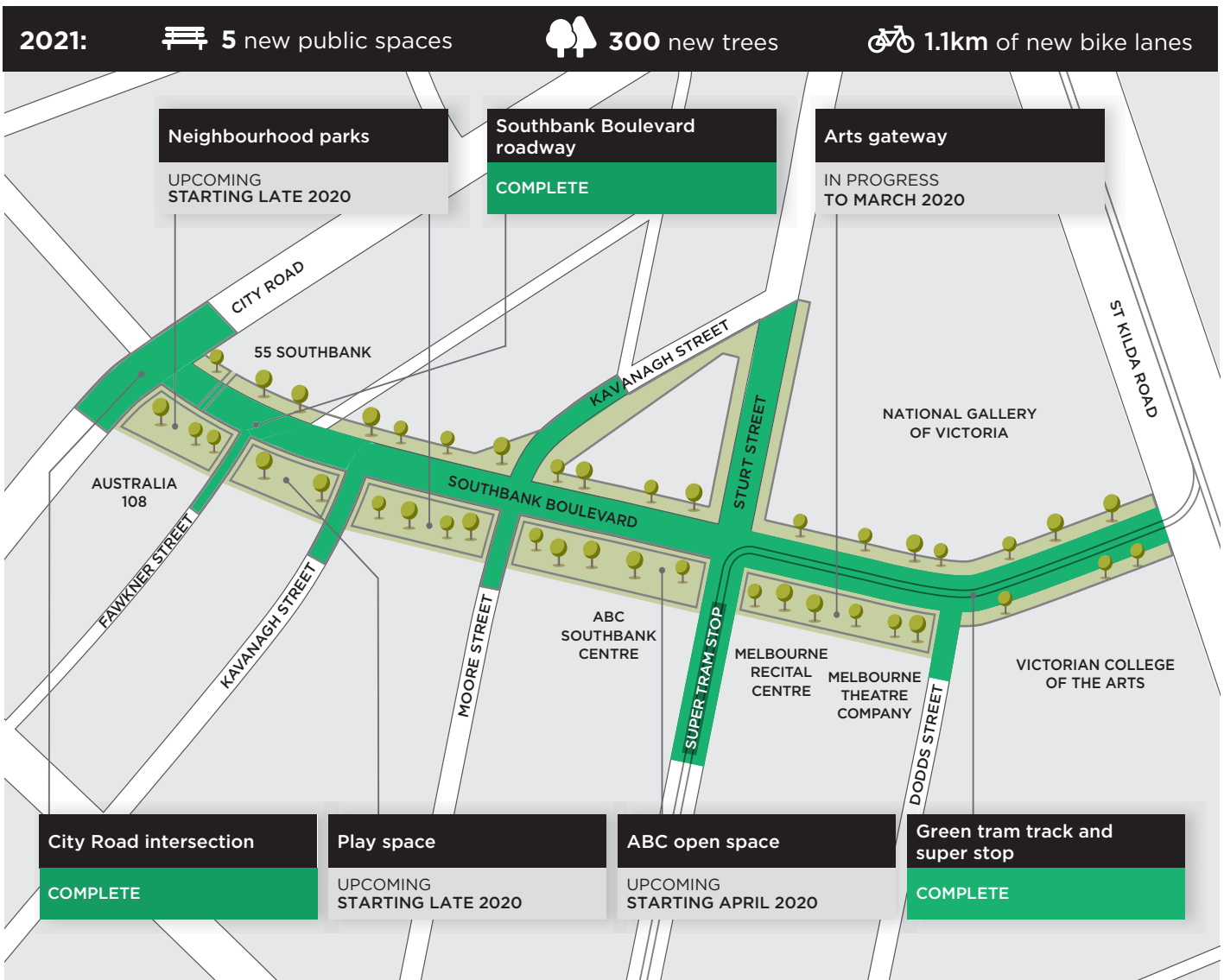
The area in front of the ABC building is the next major space to be upgraded as part of the Southbank Boulevard project.

Works:

- Tender evaluation for this component is now underway and construction is expected to commence in April.
- Works will include the demolition of the disused roadway to make way for the open space, which includes lawn areas, seating, planting and trees.
- More information will be made available prior to commencement.

Please note all dates are weather dependent.

Construction timeline map



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