

Koroit water main replacement project

October 2020

Over the next few months, we'll be replacing the water main that runs along Koroit's main street. This will involve some disruptions and detours, but we'll be doing our best to minimise the inconvenience for businesses and their customers.

Overview

A 650-metre section of water main that extends along the southern side of Commercial Road will be replaced during this project.

The work is part of our ongoing commitment to provide safe drinking water to customers. The existing pipes are old and need to be replaced to ensure we continue to provide efficient and reliable services.

Local contractor Cri-Tech has been awarded the contract for the project which is expected to begin this month and take several months to complete.

We've proactively timed this work so it takes place in advance of future projects proposed by Regional Roads Victoria and Moyné Shire. This will avoid the need to disturb any new pavement surfaces or recently completed landscaping features.

The work will take place on the south side of Commercial Road from High Street to west of Spring Street. It will be done in two stages.

Stage one, from High Street to Spring Street, will be completed prior to Christmas. Stage two, from Spring Street to approximately 240 metres further west, will take place after the holiday period.

Water supply interruptions for the majority of properties will be minimised with the use of a temporary above-ground pipe.

Traffic detours

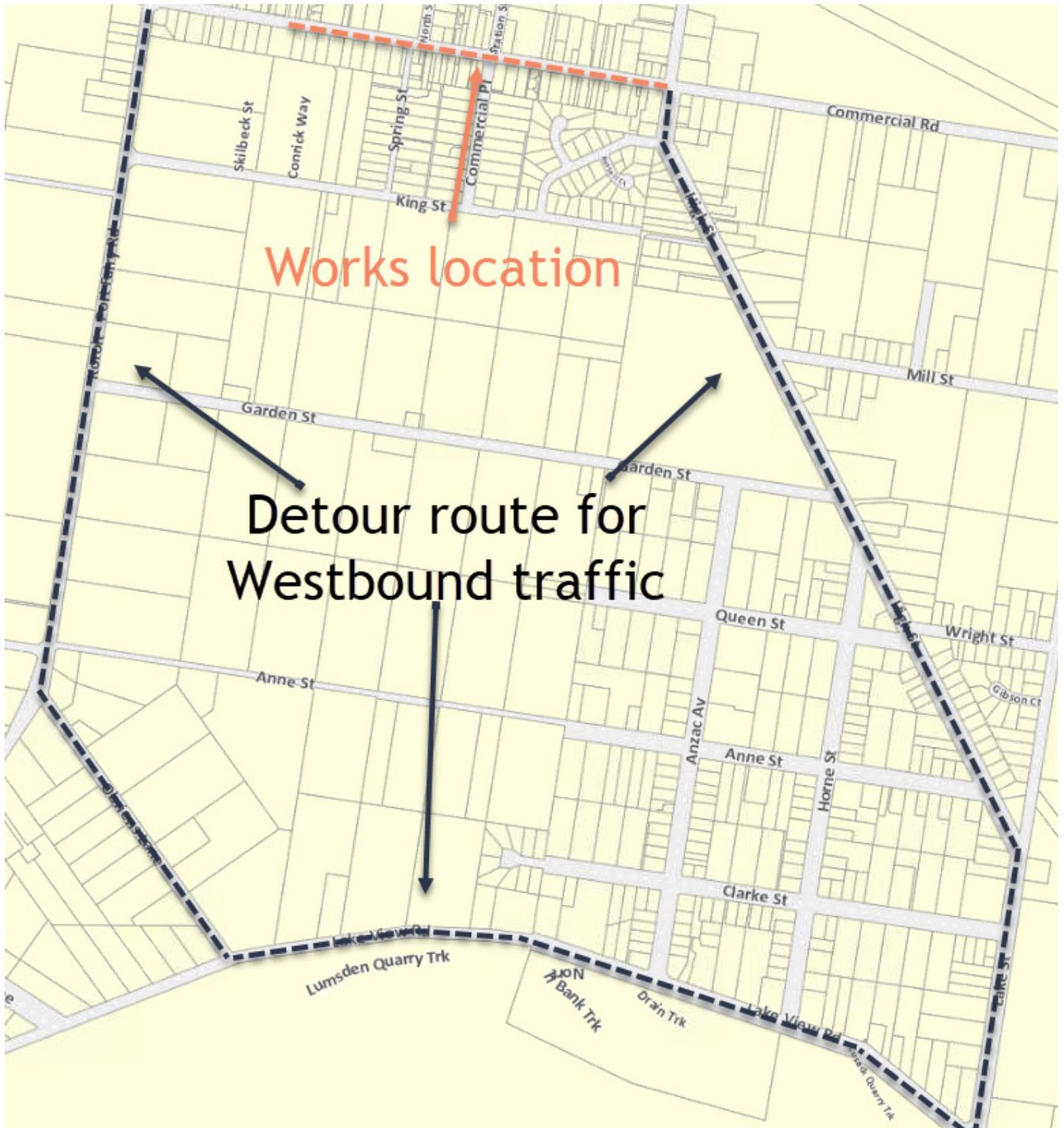
A traffic management plan will be in place and we urge people to take care when they are travelling in the area.

The south lane (west-bound traffic) will be closed to motorists during the work and a detour will be in place for through traffic (refer map overleaf). This is the same route used when the main street is closed for the Koroit Irish Festival.

The detour sends west-bound traffic left onto High Street, right onto Lake View Road, right onto O'Briens Lane and then right onto Koroit-Port Fairy Road to rejoin the main road. The detour will remain in place from Monday to Friday during the project, including overnight) and then be packed down for weekends.

Our contractors will be working with property owners and businesses in the immediate work area to provide access to their properties and reduce any impacts.





Further information

We urge you to contact us on 1300 926 666 if you have any questions or concerns, or if you need further information about the project.