Notice to River Users - river closures, works, and events

Notice Issued 17th April 2025

As Waterway Manager under the Marine Safety Act 2010, Parks Victoria wishes to advise the following waterway closures and activities on the Yarra River, Maribyrnong River and Victoria Harbour.

Events

Yarra River

Date	Time	Details	River Status	Location
Sunday 4 May 2025	10:00 - 14:00	Paddle Victoria – Marathon Yarra Doubles Race	#Open	Yarra River - Herring Island to Victoria Street Bridge
Saturday 10 May 2025	07:30 - 11:30	University of Melbourne – Intercollegiate Regatta Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	Closed	Yarra River – Upstream end of VRA landing to Cremorne Railway Bridge.
Saturday 14 June 2025	08:00 - 10:30	Rowing Victoria – John Whiting "Round the Island" Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	Closed	Yarra River – Upstream end of VRA landing to Herring Island
Saturday 21 June 2025	09:00 - 10:30	Rowing Victoria – Winter Sculling Series, Round 1 Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	#Open	Yarra River – VRA Judge's box to Cremorne Railway Bridge
Saturday 28 June 2025	09:00 - 10:30	Rowing Victoria – Winter Sculling Series, Round 2 Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	#Open	Yarra River – VRA Judge's box to Cremorne Railway Bridge
Saturday 5 July 2025	09:00 - 10:30	Rowing Victoria – Winter Sculling Series, Round 3 Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	#Open	Yarra River – VRA Judge's box to Cremorne Railway Bridge
Saturday 12 July 2025	09:00 - 10:30	Rowing Victoria – Winter Sculling Series, Round 4	#Open	Yarra River – VRA Judge's box to Cremorne Railway Bridge





		Note: Pending approval, dates to		
		be confirmed		
		Rowing Victoria – Winter Sculling		
Saturday 19 July 2025	09:00 - 10:30	Series, Round 5	#Open	Yarra River – VRA Judge's box to Cremorne Railway Bridge
Saturday 19 July 2025	09.00 - 10.30	Note: Pending approval, dates to	#Open	Tarra River – VIA Judge 3 box to cremome Raiway bruge
		be confirmed		
		Rowing Victoria – Winter Sculling		
Saturday 26 July 2025	09:00 - 10:30	Series, Round 6	#Open	Yarra River – VRA Judge's box to Cremorne Railway Bridge
	09.00 - 10.30	Note: Pending approval, dates to	#Open	Farra River – VRA Judge's box to cremome Railway Bridge
		be confirmed		
Saturday 16 August 2025		Rowing Victoria – Scullers Head of	Closed	
	07:30 - 10:30	the Yarra		Yarra River – VRA landing to the upper side of Hawthorn
		Note: Pending approval, dates to		Bridge
		be confirmed		
		Rowing Victoria – Melbourne Head		
Saturday 15 November 2025	07.20 17.20	Regatta	Closed	Yarra River – Upper end of VRA landing to Powerhouse
Saturday 15 November 2025	07:30 – 17:30	Note: Pending approval, dates to	Closed	Landing
		be confirmed		

Victoria Harbour

Date	Time	Details	River Status	Location

Maribyrnong River

Date	Time	Details	River Status	Location
Sunday 15 June 2025	10:00 - 14:00	Paddle Victoria Marathon City Singles Race	#Open	Maribyrnong River – Maribyrnong Road to Holmes Road
Saturday 2 August 2025	07:00 - 10:00	Rowing Victoria - Head of the Maribyrnong	#Open	Maribyrnong River – Smithfield Road to Burndap Lake
Sunday 3 August 2025	09:00 - 14:00	Footscray Canoe Club – Salty Single Blader race	#Open	Maribyrnong River – Smithfield Road to Maribyrnong Road
Saturday 6 September 2025	08:00 - 17:00	2025 Saltwater Challenge Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	#Open	Maribyrnong River – Holmes Road to the Afton Street Footbridge





Saturday 13 December 2025	08:00 - 16:00	2025 Henley on the Maribyrnong Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	#Open	Maribyrnong River – Holmes Road to the Afton Street Footbridge
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Works

Yarra River

Date	Time	Details	River Status	Restriction to navigation
25 March 2024 –20 June 2025	All hours	Princes Bridge renewal works – Stage 2 New dates – see gazette notice	Partially closed	Yarra River – Partial closure of Southern arch – reduced clearance and channel width. Signage is in place. Change in Navigation - please see appended Gazette notice
20 April – 22 April 2025 20 July – 22 July 2025 20 October – 22 October 2025	06:00 - 18:00	North Wharf southern side inspections and make safe works	Open	Yarra River – No exclusion zone in place. Dive operations will be occurring intermittently during works period, watch for displayed Alpha Dive Flag
11 April 2025 – 19 December 2025	All hours	Greenline boardwalk construction, Birrarung Marr	Partially closed	Yarra River – Exclusion zone in place. Buoyage set up to 30m from the Northern bank in three areas between Federation Wharf and the Swan Street Bridge. *Updated: All vessels proceed with caution – transit lane will be reduced to one lane during low tides. Vessels transiting downstream have the right of way.
26 April 2025 – 27 April 2025 <mark>*New</mark>	07:00 - 17:00	Hawthorn Rail Bridge – Rope inspections	Partially closed	Yarra River – Exclusion zone extending approximately 70m upstream and downstream of the bridge. Approximately 17m available for transit at all times. See gazettal below
TBC (April/May 2025)		Dredging – Collins Landing & Australia Wharf Note: Pending approval, dates to be confirmed	Open	Yarra River – Waters adjacent to Collins Landing & Australia Wharf, upstream of Bolte Bridge (Notice will be forthcoming)

Victoria Harbour

Date Time Details River Status Restriction to navigation
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5 September 2023 – 29 May 2026	All hours	Central Pier demolition	Onon	Victoria Harbour, Yarra River – Exclusion zones in place.
5 September 2023 – 29 May 2026	All hours	Central Pier demontion	Open	(See appended Gazette notice)

Maribyrnong River

Date	Time	Details	River Status	Restriction to navigation
24 February – 30 April 2025	07:00 - 12:00	Lynchs Bridge mechanical prep and painting	Partially closed	Maribyrnong River – Exclusion zones in place. One bridge span open for transit at all times. See Gazette notice below.
6 March – 31 May 2025	07:00 - 17:00	Raleigh Road Bridge strengthening and repair works	Partially closed	Maribyrnong River – Exclusion zones in place. One bridge span open for transit at all times. See Gazette notice below.
25 July 2022 – March 2025		Maribyrnong River closures, West Gate Tunnel Project - Port of Melbourne waters	Closed	Maribyrnong River – Intermittent full closures between the hours of 7:00 – 17:00. If river access is required, please contact the East Zone team at 1800 105 105, or via email at info@wgta.vic.gov.au

Please note:

- Anglers Tavern Jetty is closed to berthing and pedestrian access due to flood damage.
- Footscray Park Floating Landing is closed to berthing and pedestrian access due to flood damage.
- Shallow Waters Herring Island Meander has sediment build up creating shallow waters around the Island, please proceed with caution or avoid entering if unfamiliar with area.
- Shallow waters The central river channel immediately downstream of Charles Grimes Bridge, in the vicinity of Yarra's Edge Marina, has reduced water depth as a result of sediment build up. Minimum depth at low tide may be less than 1.5m. Large vessels should navigate the area with caution and stay to the southern side of the channel where possible.
- There is crowd load and berthing restrictions currently in place at Leonda Landing, with 10 person crowd load limit and no berthing on the upstream 10m span of the landing.
- Banana Alley Timber Wharf is closed to all berthing due to deterioration in the structure.
 South Wharf public sewerage pump out unit is closed until necessary repairs are completed. Commercial vessels may use facility at Federation Wharf Berth 6, public facilities are available in Victoria Harbour.

*All closed river events will be conditional upon publishing of an Activity Exclusion Zone Notice in the Government Gazette in accordance with section 208(2) of the *Marine Safety Act 2010*. For the purposes of planning and/or operations, river users may assume the river is closed unless otherwise notified, in writing, by Parks Victoria.

Event operates under a Flag System. A flag marshal will be positioned at the starting and finishing points of the course to indicate when vessels can proceed through.
** Event operates with a Parks Victoria managed transit lane in conjunction with an approved contractor.
See Notice to River Users



All vessels in the area of activities are advised to travel with caution and to follow any directions given by Parks Victoria Officers. River traffic along these sections of river during event times may encounter delays due to congestion and are urged to maintain a courteous manner toward other river users. For further information, contact Parks Victoria on **13 1963** or visit Parks Victoria website <u>www.parks.vic.gov.au</u>.





Marine Safety Act 2010 Section 211(1)(b) NOTICE CONTROLLING NAVIGATION IN THE VICINITY OF WORKS

Parks Victoria, as the declared waterway manager for the waters of the Yarra River upstream of the port waters of the Port of Melbourne, makes the following notice under section 211(1)(b)(i) of the *Marine Safety Act 2010* (Vic) (the Act).

For the purposes of the works activity proposed by Southern Divers Pty Ltd for roped inspection works on Hawthorn Rail Bridge, the navigation and movement of vessels is prohibited from waters of the Yarra River as detailed below in Table 1, excluding vessels involved in the works and Parks Victoria vessels.

Table 1 Hawthorn Rail Bridge works

Dates	Prohibited Waters	Works Activity	Open for Transit
26 April 2025	Waters approx. 70m upstream and downstream of the Hawthorn Rail Bridge Western Span closed	Roped bridge inspection	Eastern Span open Approx. 17.5m width
27 April 2025	Waters approx. 70m upstream and downstream of the Hawthorn Rail Bridge Eastern Span closed		Western Span open Approx.17.5m width

The prohibited waters will be marked by lit special mark buoys and unlit stringline floats and lit warning signage on approach from both upstream and downstream.

Times and dates are subject to change. Changes to times, durations or days will be advertised on Parks Victoria's website and Notice to River Users.

This notice has effect from 7:00am Saturday 26 April to 5:00pm Sunday 27 April 2025.

BY ORDER OF PARKS VICTORIA



OFFICIAL// Publicly Accessible Marine Safety Act 2010 Section 211(1)(b) NOTICE CONTROLLING NAVIGATION IN THE VICINITY OF WORKS

This Notice formally revokes and replaces the Notice published in the Special Government Gazette No. S 121 Thursday 20 March 2025.

Parks Victoria, as the declared waterway manager for the waters of the Yarra River upstream of the port waters of the Port of Melbourne makes the following notice under section 211(1)(b)(i) of the Marine Safety Act 2010 (Vic) (the Act).

For the purposes of the works activity proposed by Symal Infrastructure PTY LTD on behalf of the City of Melbourne to undertake construction of the Greenline boardwalk in the Yarra River, this notice supersedes and amends the previous notice published in the Victorian Government Gazette G16 on Thursday 18 April 2024.

The navigation and movement of vessels is prohibited from the waters detailed in Table 1 below, excluding vessels involved in the works.

Table 1: Greenline boardwalk construction

Date	Prohibited Waters	Works Activity	Open for transit
Loading Zone Friday 11 April to Thursday 31 July 2025	Waters beginning approximately 70m upstream of Birrarung Marr Landing continuing for approx. 50m along the northern bank and extending approx.30m into the river, as marked by buoys.	Loading area for works	Approx. 35 metres width is open for vessel movement, on the southern section of the river.
Boardwalk 1 Friday 11 April to Thursday 31 July 2025	Waters beginning at the upstream edge of Federation Wharf extending approx. 175m upstream along the northern bank to Birrarung Marr Landing, reaching approx. 30m into the river as marked by buoys	- Pile works -	Approx. 40 metres width is open for vessel movement, on the southern section of the river.
Boardwalk 3 Friday 11 April to Thursday 31 July 2025	Waters beginning approx. 160m upstream of Birrarung Marr Landing, extending approx. 135m along the northern bank, reaching approx. 30 metres into the river as marked by buoys.	- Pile works	Approx. 35 metres width is open for vessel movement, on the southern section of the river.
Boardwalk 1 Friday 1 August to Friday 19 December 2025	y 1 August to Friday 19 upstream along the northern bank to Birrarung mber 2025 Marr Landing, reaching approx. 25m into the river as marked by buoys Waters beginning approx. 160m upstream of		Approx. 45 metres width is open for vessel movement, on the southern section of the river.
Boardwalk 3			Approx. 40 metres width is open for vessel movement, on the southern section of the river.



Friday 1 August to Friday 19	along the northern bank, reaching approx. 25	
December 2025	metres into the river as marked by buoys.	

The exclusion zone will be marked by unlit stringline buoys, lit water communication buoys fitted with 1-2nm marine lanterns and lit warning signage on approach from both directions.

This notice has effect from 7:00 am Friday 11 April to 6:00pm Friday 19 December 2025

By order of Parks Victoria





Marine Safety Act 2010 Section 211(1)(b) NOTICE CONTROLLING NAVIGATION IN THE VICINITY OF WORKS

Parks Victoria, as the declared waterway manager for the waters of the Maribyrnong River upstream of Shepherd Bridge on Footscray Road, hereby gives notice under section 211(1)(b)(i) of the Marine Safety Act 2010 (Vic).

For the purposes of the works activity proposed by Cox Steel Coating Pty Ltd, undertaking painting works on Lynch's Bridge, Maribyrnong, the navigation and movement of vessels is prohibited from waters of the Maribyrnong River as detailed below in **Table 1** below, excluding vessels involved in the works and Parks Victoria vessels.

Dates	Prohibited Waters	Works Activity	River traffic
Stage 1 24 February – 6 April 2025	Waters of the Maribyrnong River: Southern section of Lynchs Bridge (Ballarat Road) on either side of the bridge extending approximately 30 to 50 metres on both sides of the bridge and approximately 40 metres into the river (Southern bridge spans 1, 2, 3 & 4 closed) as marked by buoys.		Span 5 (Northern arch), minimum 12 metres width navigable channel available for transit.
		Mechanical preparation and	
Stage 2 6 April – 30 April 2025	Waters of the Maribyrnong River: Northern section of Lynchs Bridge (Ballarat Road) on either side of the bridge extending approximately 40 to 30 metres on both sides of the bridge and approximately 40 metres into the river (Northern bridge spans 4,5 & 6 closed) as marked by buoys.	painting	Span 3 (Southern arch), minimum 12 metres width navigable channel available for transit.

Table 1: Lynch's Bridge works

Times and dates are subject to change. Changes to times, durations or days will be advertised on Parks Victoria's website and Notice to River Users.

This notice has effect from 7:00am on 24 February 2025 to 5:00pm on 29 April 2025.





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This Notice corrects an error contained in a Notice published in the Government Gazette G 8 dated 20 February 2025 at page 250.

The period of works and exclusion zone to undertake strengthening and repair works to Raleigh Road Bridge on the Maribyrnong River is updated as per Table 1 below.

Dates	Prohibited Waters	Works Activity	Open for Transit Only*
Stage 1 6 March – 14 April 2025	Waters of Maribyrnong River: Raleigh Road Bridge spans 2, 3, 5, 6, 7 closed to river traffic, as marked by buoys.		Span 4, 12 metres available for transit.
Stage 2 15 April – 06 May 2025	Spans 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 closed to river traffic, as marked by buoys.	Strengthening and repair works.	Span 5, 12 metres available for transit.
Stage 3 07 May – 31 May 2025	Spans 2, 3, 5, 6, 7 closed to river traffic, as marked by buoys.		Span 4, 12 metres available for transit.

Table 1: Raleigh Road Bridge Works, Maribyrnong River

* One-lane traffic is available past the exclusion zone. Vessels travelling downstream have right of way. Transit only, no drifting, no stopping, no overtaking. Vessels are subject to the usual 5-knot speed limit.

The exclusion zone will be marked by lit water communication buoys fitted with 1-2nm solar flashing lights, with a sign float on approach from both directions.

Times and dates are subject to change. Changes to times, durations or days will be advertised on Parks Victoria's website and Notice to River Users.

This notice has effect from 7:00am Thursday 6 March 2025 to 5:00pm Saturday 31 May 2025



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This Notice corrects an error contained in a Notice published in the Special Gazette S 134 on Thursday 21 March 2024.

The exclusion zone for the Princes Bridge renewal works on the Yarra River is updated as per Table 1 below.

<u>Date</u>	Prohibited Waters	Works	Open for transit
Friday 7 February	Southern Arch of Princes Bridge	Southern Arch –	Northern Arch – open. Downstream traffic only, open to vessels
2025 – Friday 14	closed	Western aspect	transiting downstream only
February 2025			
	Waters of Yarra River	Construction of	Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width
	approximately 60m upstream and	scaffolding	Upstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting upstream only
	downstream of Princes bridge,		Change in Navigation
	beginning at the southern bank		All vessels are to adhere to the temporary river navigation
	and extending 3m into the Centre		arrangements as signed, should commercial vessels on occasion be
	Arch, as marked by lit buoys and		required to use a different arch due to reduced maneuverability
	sign floats.		they must give way to all vessels and initiate appropriate warning
			sounds
<u>Date</u>	Prohibited waters with reduced	<u>Works</u>	Open for transit
	<u>clearance</u>		
Friday 14 February	Southern arch of Princes bridge to	Southern Arch –	Northern Arch - open
2025 – Monday 19	have reduced height and width:	Western aspect:	
May 2025	extending approx. 8m from the		Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width
	southern bank and approx. 8m in	Bluestone replacement	
	from the bridge pier leaving a	& repair, repointing and	Southern Arch – partially open with transit lane of approx. 12m
	minimum 12m transit lane through	painting	width with a reduced clearance height at a minimum of 4m at high
	the Southern arch, as marked by		tide
	buoys.		
	Centre Arch of Princes Bridge		
	reduced width: approx. 3m into		
	the arch from the southern bridge		
	pier, as marked by buoys.		

Table 1: Princes Bridge Renewal Works

By order of Parks Victoria

Dated: Click or tap to enter a date.





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Parks Victoria, as the declared waterway manager for the waters of the Yarra River upstream of the port waters of the Port of Melbourne makes the following notice under section 211(1)(b)(i) of the *Marine Safety Act 2010 (Vic)*.

For the purposes of the works activity proposed by Stokes Rosseau Pty Ltd on behalf of the City of Melbourne to undertake renewal works of the Princes Bridge on the Yarra River, the navigation and movement of vessels is prohibited from the waters detailed in Table 1 below, excluding vessels involved in the works.

Table 1: Princes Bridge Renewal Works

Date	Prohibited Waters	Works	Open for transit
Monday 25 March - Monday 15 April 2024	Southern Arch of Princes Bridge closed	Southern Arch – Eastern aspect	Northern Arch – open. Downstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting downstream only
Date change – Monday 25 March until Monday 13 May 2024	Waters of the Yarra River approximately 60m upstream and downstream of Princes bridge, beginning at the	Construction of scaffolding	Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width Upstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting upstream only
	southern bank and extending 3m into the Centre Arch, as marked by lit buoys and sign floats		<u>Change in Navigation</u> All vessels are to adhere to the temporary river navigation arrangements as signed, should commercial vessels on occasion be required to use a different arch due to reduced manoeuvrability they must give way to all vessels and initiate appropriate warning sounds
Date	Prohibited waters with reduced clearance	<u>Works</u>	<u>Open for transit</u>
Monday 15 April – Monday 26 August 2024	Southern arch of Princes bridge to have reduced height and width: extending approx. 8m	Southern Arch – Eastern aspect:	Northern Arch - open Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width
Date change – Monday 13 May until Monday 28 October 2024	from the southern bank and approx. 8m in from the bridge pier leaving a minimum 12m transit lane through the Southern arch, as marked by buoys.	Bluestone replacement & repair, repointing and painting.	Southern Arch – partially open with transit lane of approx. 12m width with a reduced clearance height at a minimum of 4m at high tide
	Centre Arch of Princes Bridge reduced width: approx. 3m into the arch from the southern bridge pier, as marked by buoys.		





Date	Prohibited Waters	Works	Open for transit
Monday 28 October – Friday 29 November 2024	Southern Arch of Princes Bridge closed	Southern Arch – Eastern aspect	Northern Arch – open. Downstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting downstream only
	Waters of Yarra River approximately 60m upstream and downstream of Princes bridge, beginning at the	Removal of scaffolding	Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width Upstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting upstream only
	southern bank and extending 3m into the Centre Arch, as marked by lit buoys and sign floats.		<u>Change in Navigation</u> All vessels are to adhere to the temporary river navigation arrangements as signed, should commercial vessels on occasion be required to use a different arch due to reduced manoeuvrability they must give way to all
D (***	vessels and initiate appropriate warning sounds
<u>Date</u>	Prohibited waters with reduced clearance	<u>Works</u>	Open for transit
Friday 29 November 2024 – Monday 13 January 2025	Southern arch of Princes bridge to have reduced height and width: extending approx. 8m from the southern bank and approx. 8m in from the bridge pier leaving a minimum 12m transit lane through the Southern arch, as marked by buoys. Centre Arch of Princes Bridge reduced width: approx. 3m into the arch from the southern bridge pier, as marked by	Southern Arch – Western aspect:	Northern Arch - open Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width Southern Arch – partially open with transit lane of approx. 12m width with a reduced clearance height at a minimum of 4m at high tide
	buoys.		
Date Monday 13 January 2025 – Friday 14 February 2025	Prohibited Waters Southern Arch of Princes Bridge closed	Works Southern Arch – Western aspect	Open for transit Northern Arch – open. Downstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting downstream only
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Waters of Yarra River approximately 60m upstream and downstream of Princes bridge, beginning at the	Construction of scaffolding	Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width Upstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting upstream only
	southern bank and extending 3m into the Centre Arch, as marked by lit buoys and sign floats.		<u>Change in Navigation</u> All vessels are to adhere to the temporary river navigation arrangements as signed, should commercial vessels on occasion be required to use a different arch due to





			reduced manoeuvrability they must give way to all
			vessels and initiate appropriate warning sounds
Date	Prohibited waters with reduced clearance	<u>Works</u>	Open for transit
Friday 14 February 2025 – Monday 19 May 2025	Southern arch of Princes bridge to have reduced height and width: extending approx. 8m from the southern bank and approx. 8m in from the bridge pier leaving a minimum 12m transit lane through the Southern arch, as marked by buoys. Centre Arch of Princes Bridge reduced width: approx. 3m into the arch from the southern	Southern Arch – Western aspect: Bluestone replacement & repair, repointing and painting	Northern Arch - open Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width Southern Arch – partially open with transit lane of approx. 12m width with a reduced clearance height at a minimum of 4m at high tide
	bridge pier, as marked by buoys.		
Date	Prohibited Waters	Works	Open for transit
Monday 19 May 2025 – Friday 20 June 2025	Southern Arch of Princes Bridge closed	Southern Arch – Western aspect	Northern Arch – open. Downstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting downstream only
	Waters of Yarra River approximately 60m upstream and downstream of Princes bridge, beginning at the southern bank and extending	Construction of scaffolding	Centre Arch - partially open approx. 26m width Upstream traffic only, open to vessels transiting upstream only Change in Navigation
	3m into the Centre Arch, as marked by lit buoys and sign floats.		All vessels are to adhere to the temporary river navigation arrangements as signed, should commercial vessels on occasion be required to use a different arch due to reduced manoeuvrability they must give way to all vessels and initiate appropriate warning sounds

The exclusion zone will be marked by unlit stringline buoys, lit water communication buoys fitted with 1-2nm marine lanterns and lit warning signage on approach from both directions.

This notice has effect from 7:00 am Monday 25 March 2024 to 6:00 pm Monday 26 May 2025

By order of Parks Victoria

Dated: 20/03/2024





Marine Safety Act 2010 Section 211(1)(b) NOTICE CONTROLLING NAVIGATION IN THE VICINITY OF WORKS

Parks Victoria, as the declared waterway manager for the waters of the Yarra River upstream of the port waters of the Port of Melbourne, makes the following notice under section 211(1)(b)(i) of the Marine Safety Act 2010 (Vic) (the Act), for the purposes of the works activity proposed by Fitzgerald Constructions Australia Pty Ltd to undertake demolition of Central Pier, Victoria Harbour, Yarra River.

The navigation and movement of vessels is prohibited on the waters of Victoria Harbour, Yarra River, as detailed below in Table 1, excluding vessels involved in the works and Parks Victoria vessels.

Work site	Prohibited Waters	River traffic
Central Pier Demolition of Pier	Extend approximately 400 metres from the eastern bank along both sides of the Central Pier footprint into Victoria Harbour, approximately 170 metres wide at the eastern end, and tapering to approximately 100 metres wide at the western end, as marked by yellow buoys.	Five-knot speed restriction. Ferry terminal and marina access available
505 Docklands Drive Storage of demolition materials	northern bank adjacent to 505 Docklands Drive	

Table 1: Victoria Harbour prohibited waters - 5 September 2023 to 29 May 2026

The exclusion zones will be marked by lit water communication buoys fitted with 1-2nm marine lanterns and lit warning signage on approach.

Times and dates are subject to change. Changes to times, durations or days will be advertised on Parks Victoria's website and Notice to River Users.

This notice has effect from 7:00am on 5 September 2023 to 6:00pm on 29 May 2026.

BY ORDER OF PARKS VICTORIA Date:4 September 2023





Marine Safety Act 2010 Section 211(1)(b) NOTICE CONTROLLING NAVIGATION IN THE VICINITY OF WORKS

I, Paul Fleming, Acting Deputy Harbour Master – Port of Melbourne, as authorised delegate of Ports Victoria, the port management body for the port waters of the Port of Melbourne, make the following notice under section 211(1)(b)(i) of the Marine Safety Act 2010 for the purposes of the works activity proposed by West Gate Tunnel Project to undertake bridge construction works.

The navigation and movement of vessels is restricted and/or prohibited from waters of the Maribyrnong River as detailed below in Table 1, excluding vessels involved in the works and emergency response vessels.

Dates	Prohibited Waters	River traffic
Partial closuresIntermittently from 31 August 2024 to 31 March2025Exact dates of partial closures to be notified oneweek in advance, visit:www.bigbuild.vic.gov.au/library/west-gate-tunnel-project/works-notifications/port-to-city	Partial closures Waters extending halfway from the Western or Eastern bank, downstream of Shepherd Bridge to the extension of Youell Street as marked by buoys.	A transit lane through the middle of the river is available only. WGTP standby boats to guide river traffic through transit lane as required. River traffic to contact WGTP standby boats for information as per Ports Victoria Notice to Mariners details.
Full closuresIntermittently from 31 August 2024 to 31 March2025Exact dates of full closures to be notified 2 weeksin advance, visit:https://bigbuild.vic.gov.au/library/ west-gate- tunnel-project/works-notifications/port-to-city	Full closure All waters downstream of Shepherd Bridge to the extension of Youell Street as marked by buoys.	Closed to all river traffic.
Open02 November to 10 November 202421 December 2024 to 07 January 2025	No closure.	Open to river traffic.

Table 1: West Gate Tunnel Project (WGTP) Maribyrnong River closures, Port of Melbourne waters

This notice has effect from 7:00am on 1 September 2024 to 5:00pm on 31 March 2025. Date: 29 August 2024 BY ORDER OF PORTS VICTORIA



