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Dear Owner / Occupier

RE: CONSTRUCTION OF DANDENONG ROAD EAST SHARED USER PATH

Council is improving pedestrian and bike rider safety and enhancing access to Frankston Railway Station by building a new shared user path (SUP) along Dandenong Road East, Frankston.

The 615 metre long concrete SUP will connect the existing paths on west side of Dandenong Road East between Cricklewood Avenue and Fletcher Road, providing a safe continuous link to Frankston Station.

This section of SUP is also an important link in a much longer cycling network connecting Melbourne to the Mornington Peninsula via Frankston.

This project is funded by the Victorian Government as part of the Level Crossing Removal Project.

How will the Shared User Path will be constructed?

The SUP will be constructed by widening the existing naturestrip on the west side of Dandenong Road East between Cricklewood Avenue and Fletcher Road in Frankston with sufficient offset from existing native and indigenous trees as shown in the aerial image attached to this letter.

Why was this alignment chosen for the Path?

The path alignment was informed by community consultation undertaken in late 2022 and early 2023 and endorsed by Council resolution in an open Council meeting in July 2023.

What will be the impact on trees along Dandenong Road East?

The widening of existing naturestrip provided sufficient offset from the existing trees reducing the need for tree removal. However five trees will need to be removed. Some additional tree pruning will be required, ensuring the new path is safe for users.

New landscaping works, including planting, weeding and mulching of the surrounding area has been incorporated in the works to offset the loss of trees.

When will construction occur?

Works are expected to begin late October 2023 and are due for completion by February 2024, weather permitting. The work hours will be 7:00am to 5:00pm, Monday to Friday.

How will this affect me?

Works will be staged to minimise impacts as much as possible.



On-street parking close to the works on both sides of Dandenong Road East will be restricted for the duration of works. Access to properties will be maintained at all times, but some delays should be expected. Please allow extra time to travel.

Traffic management signage and staff will be in place during the duration of works. For your safety and the safety of staff, please follow road works signs and instructions from traffic controllers.

Thank you for your understanding as we deliver this important project to improve safety and access in Frankston City.

If you have any queries regarding these works, please contact Troy McDermott from APS Drainage & Civil Pty Ltd on 0410 525 041 or alternatively contact Council's Project Manager Karamveer Singh on 1300 322 322 or via email Karamveer.Singh@frankston.vic.gov.au.

Yours sincerely



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