

Hanson Street, Corryong

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

What is Council proposing to do?

Council is upgrading the road surface, kerb and channel, some footpaths, landscaping parking arrangements plus bike and pedestrian safety along Hanson Street in Corryong.

Where will the work take place?

The works will happen along Hanson Street, between Kiell Street and Sugarloaf Road.

When will construction begin and when is it expected it to finish?

Works are expected to commence in the March 2020 and be completed by September 2020 depending on weather conditions and other possible disruptions.

Why are the works necessary?

The project will bring the whole of Hanson Street into line with earlier upgrades in the commercial centre. It will improve safety with the introduction of turning lanes at intersections, a safety offset lane and improved parking opportunities. The works will also address the ongoing drainage issues by removing old and unsuitable trees which are causing issues with existing infrastructure. Kerb will also be replaced along both sides of the street and footpaths improvements implemented in certain areas.

The works will also include the installation of an electronic school crossing/speed zone system adjacent to Sacred Heart Primary School.

Will the street be closed during the works?

It is not planned to completely close Hanson Street at any time during the works. Signage and Council staff will inform drivers of any changes in traffic routes during the works.

Will parking be affected?

Sections of parking may be affected at times during the works. Alternative parking will be available in side streets.

How might the works impact my journey?

Drivers are advised to find alternative routes where possible or allow additional time for their journey. If there are temporary road closures these will be advertised on local signage prior to the works.

Will pedestrian access be maintained during the works?

Yes, Council will provide safe and clearly signed temporary routes for pedestrians and where applicable, cyclists.

Will it be difficult to get access my property/business during the work?

Access to properties and businesses will be maintained through the duration of the work. Should there be any temporary restrictions to access then this will be communicated to those directly affected.

How can I find out more about the project?

Council invites you to attend an information session to find out more about the project. The information sessions are on:

- Monday 23 September, 2.00pm at the Corryong Council Chambers
- Monday 23 September, 5.30pm at the Corryong Council Chambers

You are encouraged to register your interest in attending an information session by emailing engagement@towong.vic.gov.au or phoning Council on (02) 6071 5100. Technical Services staff will attend the sessions to discuss the project and answer questions.

Technical staff will also be available at **Pop-Up Information Stalls** in front of the IGA supermarket:

- Tuesday 8 October 12.00pm to 1.00pm
- Saturday 12 October 10.30am to 11.30am

Project information and regular updates will be available on Council's website: towong.vic.gov.au

Community members may contact engagement@towong.vic.gov.au to be included in project updates distributed by email.

Who do I contact if I experience any issues during the works?

Contact Council's offices on (02) 6071 5100.

Please stay safe during the works, respect safety barriers, road and pedestrian safety signage and the instructions of the works crews.