

## MELBOURNE SOUTH YARRA RESIDENTS GROUP INC.

Established by the residents of SouthYarra in 1969

# **MMRA Bulletin Update:**

REPORT OF MSYRG MEETING WITH METRO RAIL: 6 MAY 2020

### **Tunnelling**

- . One machine has commenced tunnelling from the Anzac Station hole and the second is likely to start in June or July.
- . Material extracted is being sent through pipes to the Edmund Herring Oval site where the water will be removed leaving the residue to be trucked away.
- . When both tunnelling machines are operating it should be possible to ascertain whether all material can be removed from the site at night along Dallas Brooks Drive and Birdwood Ave. and not Domain Rd etc.

#### **Trucks**

- . When the two tunnelling machines are operating there will be 20 trucks doing 6 loads each over the night shift.
- . Because of the coronavirus lockdown recently some trucks have been working during the day.
- . However, recently a few trucks have used Domain Rd, Park St and Toorak Rd which should not happen and has been stopped.
- . If this occurs again it should be reported to the authority on 1800 105 105.
- . When trucks leave Edmund Herring Oval they should use a tyre washing facility on the site if necessary.

## **Anzac Station design**

- . In the next month or so updated designs of all stations and their surrounds will be published for comment.
- . We have expressed concern about the above ground design of Anzac Station on the ground it is too intrusive and incompatible with the heritage boulevard.
- . We will publish and comment further when the new designs appear.
- . Heritage Victoria will also be involved.

## Domain Village "Pop Up"

- . A report about the experience to date with plans for the future will be published by the end of May
- . The three actions being considered are as follows:
  - (a) Extend the present use until the end of 2020
  - (b) Remove and store them and replace them in summer
  - (c) Remove them altogether and use them elsewhere
- . We will consider the report and respond

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