

Community Bulletin

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Patterson River banks stabilisation work

Melbourne Water will commence work to stabilise the Patterson River banks near Town Centre and Runaway Bay tidal gates.

Significant erosion is occurring on the south banks of the Patterson River. The work will protect the levee banks and tidal gate retaining walls along the Patterson River.

What does the work involve?

Our contractor will bring in rocks and an excavator will place the material onto the river banks to stop erosion and protect the tidal gate structures. Please refer to the map overleaf for specific location details.

This project will not be using any of the maintenance access sites at Patterson Lakes as the materials will be trucked in and used each day and not stored on site.

When will the work take place?

The work is due to start in February 2012 and will take approximately five weeks to complete, weather permitting.

Work will take place between 7:00am to 5:00pm Monday to Friday, with the potential to work some Saturday's if required.

How will I be impacted?

There will be no direct impact to motorists, boat operators, cyclists or pedestrians however nearby residents may notice some noise during work hours. The walking and cycling path will remain open but please obey all site signage.

This project has been coordinated with the Tidal Gates replacement project team to minimise noise and inconvenience to you. We appreciate your patience and thank you in advance for your cooperation as these critical works are undertaken.



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Patterson Lakes work areas



Runaway Bay Tidal Gate. Melways reference 97G6



Town Centre Tidal Gate. Melways reference 97H5