

Hawthorn Sewer Upgrade

Works Notification – Power Street 24/7 Works

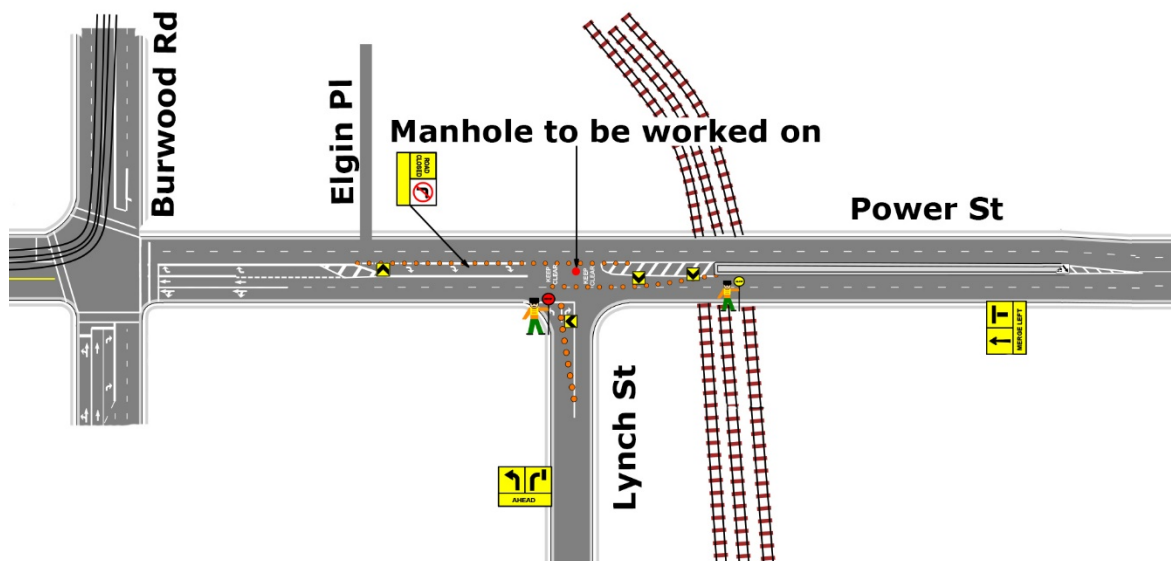
Rehabilitation of the Hawthorn Main Sewer is currently underway to keep this vital asset functioning well into the future, ensuring that the local community continues to receive reliable sewerage services.

Relining works on Power Street have been completed and manhole rehabilitation works will soon commence. We need to remove a penstock, a steel gate that controls sewer flows, from manhole 10 in the intersection of Power Street and Lynch Street.

Cleaning works are scheduled to commence **Wednesday 5 August** and will take one night to complete. We will return the week commencing **Monday 10 August** to begin penstock removal works, works will run 24 hours a day and may take up to 2 weeks to complete.

What are we doing?

Specialised trucks will be cleaning and removing the penstock from within the manhole located 15 metres underground using water pressurised sand blasters.



What to expect?

- Temporary traffic disruption around manhole 10. Traffic flows on Power Street will be maintained in both directions. Lynch Street will be left turn only at the Power Street intersection.
- Bright lights will be used at night
- Noise will be generated from the sand blasting truck. This noise can be compared to a lawn mower.
- The work site will remain set up at the manhole until works are complete, works may take up to 2 weeks to complete

There will be no disruptions to your water or sewer services during these works.

Working hours

Works to clean the manhole will be scheduled between 9pm and 7am on Wednesday 5 August

Works to remove the penstock will commence at 9pm and continue 24 hours a day until complete

Location of works



Work will take place at sewer manhole 10 on Power Street, Hawthorn.

Be prepared

We understand these required works can be disruptive and appreciate your patience. If you'd like to be prepared for the noise created by the cleaning truck, we can supply you with ear plugs. Drop us a line and we'll drop some off to you.

Please note that our sewer works may be delayed due to weather, fluctuating sewer flows and potential coronavirus restrictions.

Keep up to date with what's happening

You can follow the project Facebook page by searching **Hawthorn Sewer Upgrade**, where we'll continue to post updates and what we're up to. This is also a great way for you to send messages to communicate with the project team.

Lastly, you are always welcome to call the project phone line **1800 960 911**. This number is always active when we're working, so you'll be able to speak directly with one of our team, even during night works.

For more information about this project please call the project team on 1800 960 911, visit www.melbournewater.com.au/hawthorn or check out the community notice boards at each manhole.



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