

Robinson & Mason Street Re-alignment Project

Project Bulletin #1

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Council is delivering a detailed design and works to align the southern portion of Robinson and Mason Streets to improve safety and traffic flow. Once detailed design is completed, construction will take place in 2022/23 financial year.

Background

The realignment of Robinson and Masons Streets is part of a longer-term aspiration for Revitalising Central Dandenong to improve the length of Robinson from Princes Highway to Walker Street.

Robinson Street is a major north south link on the periphery of central Dandenong, providing access to the office and retail functions west of Lonsdale Street. Robinson Street is truncated at Walker Street, with vehicular and pedestrian traffic diverted onto Mason Street, near Hutton Street.

The realigned street will offer the same level of vehicle access to businesses, provide additional open space with future landscaping and trees, create a safer street environment to address recorded traffic accidents and support the commencement of the Dandenong Transport Hub initiative by Capital Alliance commencing in 2023.

Proposed Improvements

These works will improve connectivity, reduce congestion and improve circulation. The realigned street will:

- maintain current vehicle access to local businesses,
- create a safer street environment to address recorded traffic accidents,
- deliver raised platforms to enhance pedestrian safety,
- provide a new bus stop repositioned to align with the changed roadway,
- provide additional open space with seeded with grass as a holding treatment for future greening, landscape and tree planting.

When will the works Occur?

Detailed design and construction will take place in the 2022 – 23 financial year. When the detailed design is completed, impacted businesses will be notified as to the timeline of works and how this may impact any business operations. Properties within the project area will receive further updates.

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Figure 1: Project area highlighted within the green circle

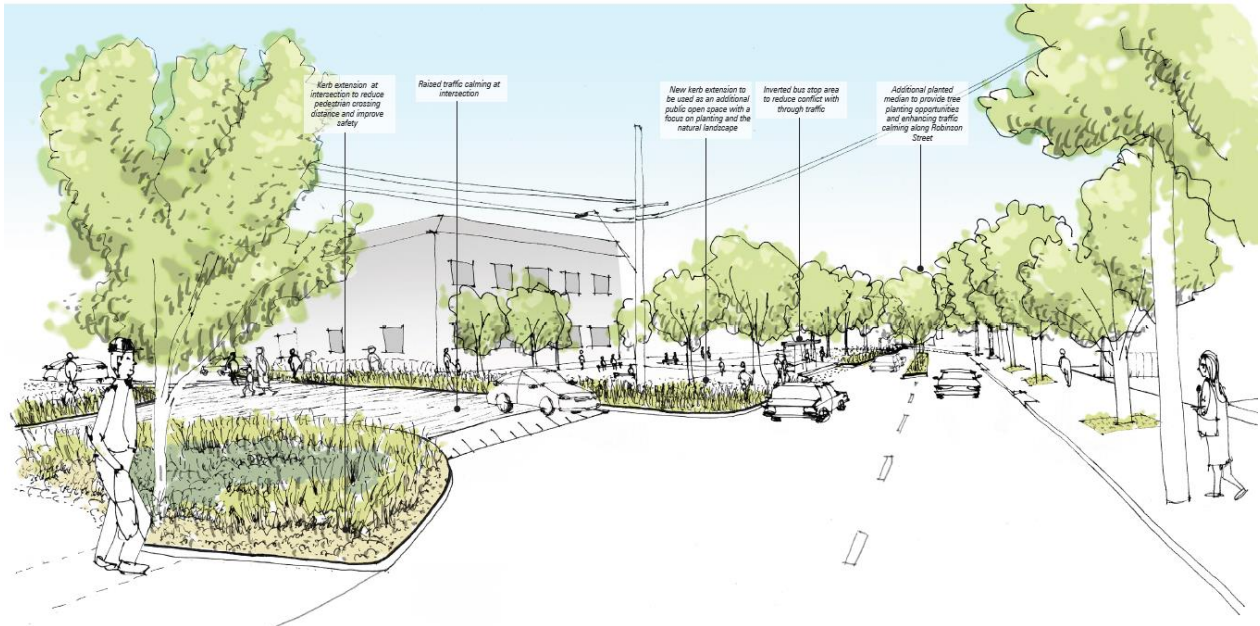


Figure 2: Artists Impression (Hansen Partnership) of the re-aligned Robison Mason Street looking north project