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Dear resident

## **HOBSON STREET POCKET PARK CONSTRUCTION**

I am contacting you today to advise that we will shortly commence construction of the Hobson Street pocket park.

For your information, please see attached the final park design plan - developed in consultation with the neighbouring community.

Features of the new Hobson Street pocket park include an expanse of lawn, garden beds, paved courtyard with shelter, footpaths, park benches, a drinking fountain and waste bin with a dog bag dispenser. In addition, we will be building garden beds and adding lots of greenery to the adjacent section of Hobson Street and around some on-street parking bays.

With the environment in mind, the park will be built using water sensitive urban design principles and solar will be harnessed to power the irrigation system and bollard lighting.

We are currently finalising the appointment of a construction contractor, with a view to the landscaping works commencing in May.

We will provide you with updates throughout construction and we have a dedicated web page with more detailed project information: [www.stonnington.vic.gov.au/hobson](http://www.stonnington.vic.gov.au/hobson)

Subject to weather, we expect this exciting park project will be completed in time for Spring 2021 and will be a delightful green, inviting space the local community, family and friends can enjoy.

We thank you for your patience and understanding as we deliver this important local park project.

If you have any questions about the Hobson Street pocket park please contact our Landscape Architect, Alex Hogan at [urbandesign@stonnington.vic.gov.au](mailto:urbandesign@stonnington.vic.gov.au) or call 8290 1333.

Yours sincerely

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- LEGEND**
- EXISTING TREE TO BE RETAINED AND PROTECTED
  - PROPOSED LARGE FEATURE TREE
  - SCREENING PLANTING
  - GARDEN BED  
Mulched and Planted
  - GROUND COVER BED  
Gravel Mulched and Planted
  - RAINGARDEN  
Gravel Mulched and Planted
  - RAISED GARDEN EDGE
  - TURF LAWN
  - BLUESTONE PAVEMENT  
Sawn BlueStone Pavers
  - BLUESTONE PITCHER BAND
  - CONCRETE PAVEMENT  
Exposed Aggregate
  - SEATING
  - DRINKING FOUNTAIN  
(Council Standard)
  - RUBBISH BIN  
(Council Standard)
  - SOLAR LIGHT
  - PROPRIETARY SHELTER  
With Custom Roof Panels



Seating



Park Drinking Fountain (Council Standard)



Sign / Dog Buy Dispenser (Council Standard)



Solar Roller Lighting



Sawn Bluestone Pitcher Paving



Exposed Aggregate Concrete (Bluestone mix)



Proprietary Shelter With Custom Designed Roof Panels



Planting Character - Mix Of Native And Exotic

## Hobson Street Pocket Park - South Yarra

Landscape Concept

1:100 @A1 | 1:200 @A3

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