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To the Resident,

An update on the playground at Dowling Road Reserve, Oakleigh South

We're excited to move ahead with our plans to upgrade the Dowling Road Reserve playspace in Oakleigh South! We're writing to advise nearby residents that construction is due to commence in early March.

The new playground area has been designed to offer an inclusive experience and play environment for all (please see design overleaf).

Highlights of the design include:

- Nature play
- Trampolines
- Climbing net with slide
- Tri-swing set with basket swing
- Combination unit suitable for junior and senior children (incl. Monkey bars, a horizontal/turnover bar, linear climbing unit and slide)
- New footpath and circuit path
- New park furniture and drinking fountain (incl. dog bowl)

The existing BBQ and picnic shelter will be retained and refurbished. Additional trees and landscaping improvements are included in the design to provide natural shade and screening.

Works will also include resurfacing the existing basketball half-court area with new asphalt surfacing, line-marking, a new post, backboard, and hoop.

Project timing and impacts

Construction works are due to commence in early March. We anticipate the works will be complete by the end of June 2025, weather permitting.

Access to parts of the Dowling Road Reserve will be restricted throughout the works, with temporary fencing installed for the safety of the community.

We apologise for any inconvenience and will minimise disruption wherever possible while maintaining a safe work site.

Further information

For further enquiries, please contact Council's Active Kingston team, via:

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