

# Melbourne Metro 2

Melbourne's west is rapidly growing with an increase of 27,600 people per year.<sup>1</sup> Getting the most out of the rail system is the most efficient way of getting people to and from their jobs, out of their cars and reducing congestion on our roads.



Council is calling on State and Federal Governments to:

bring forward the planning for MM2 to keep our community moving

provide an additional connection from Newport to Sunshine by using the freight lines already in place

with this additional connection, include a train station in Altona North to cater for the growing population and employment expected from Precinct 15 - Altona North Strategic Development Site, the Bradmill Precinct in Yarraville, and the Brooklyn Business Park

duplicate the Altona Loop to enable additional services

The proposed Melbourne Metro 2 train line is a tunnel between Newport and Clifton Hill via Fisherman's Bend, Southern Cross, Flagstaff, Parkville, Fitzroy and connecting to existing services. This service will provide a direct link for the western region to employment centres in Melbourne's CBD, Parkville, and Fisherman's Bend. This rail project has the capacity to free up the Footscray Station, as well as improve the services through the Altona Loop by enabling

track duplication to get more trains through and keep people moving faster.

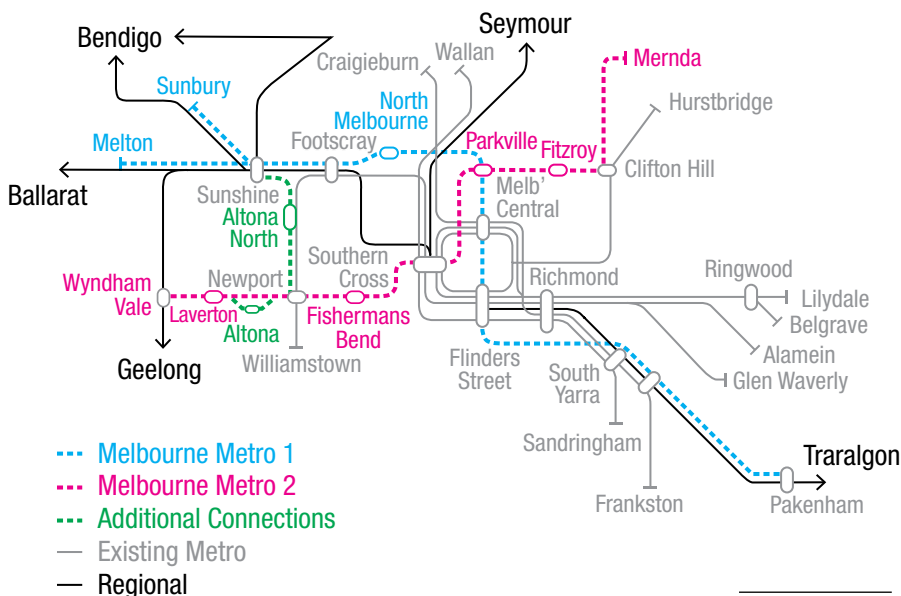
Council is calling on the State and Federal Governments to commit to this vital link to provide access to a jobs rich corridor for Melbourne's west.

To take this rail project one step further by providing an additional connection from Newport to Sunshine using the freight lines already in place. Council is also calling for this additional connection

to include a train station in Altona North to cater for the growing population and employment expected from the Precinct 15 - Altona North Strategic Development Site, the Bradmill Precinct in Yarraville, and the Brooklyn Business Park.

This additional connection would not only service an area with limited public transport, it would also provide an additional connection to the Airport Rail Link.

## How Melbourne's future rail network could look



### HOBSONS BAY CITY COUNCIL

115 Civic Parade, Altona  
 PO Box 21, Altona 3018  
 Phone (03) 9932 1000 Fax (03) 9932 1090  
 NRS phone 133 677 and quote 03 9932 1000  
 Language Line 9932 1212  
 Email customerservice@hobsonsabay.vic.gov.au

- [www.twitter.com/HobsonsBayCC](http://www.twitter.com/HobsonsBayCC)
- [www.facebook.com/HobsonsBayCityCouncil](http://www.facebook.com/HobsonsBayCityCouncil)
- [www.hobsonsabay.vic.gov.au](http://www.hobsonsabay.vic.gov.au)

**HOBSONS  
 BAY CITY  
 COUNCIL**

