

Summary of changes

Draft Road Management Plan – July 2025

Road Management Plan (RMP) Category	Previous Standard (RMP 2021)	Proposed Standard (RMP 2025)	Reason for change
Updating the Public Road Register	Every 6 months	Every 12 months	A 12 month timeframe for updating the Public Road Register is more reasonable based on the current levels of development activity in the municipality.
Proactive inspection – kerb and channels	Unclear in current RMP	Every 6 months and 12 months	Improved to align with advice from Municipal Association of Victoria.
Night safety inspections – road category 2 and 3 only	Not included in current RMP	Every 48 months	Improved service levels to inspect night safety once every four years.
Kerb and channel maintenance – all road categories	Council would intervene when level difference, displacement and tilt reach 30mm	Council will intervene when level difference, displacement and tilt reach 75mm	Improved to align with advice from Municipal Association of Victoria.

RMP Category	Previous Standard (RMP 2021)	Proposed Standard (RMP 2025)	Reason for change
Kerb and channel maintenance – road category 1 and 2 only	Council would only intervene to fix issues if budget and timing allowed	Council will intervene within 180 working days	Improved to align with advice from Municipal Association of Victoria.
Street tree maintenance on all road categories	10 working days for category 3, 4 and 5 and 20 working days for category 2 and 1	60 working days for category 5 and 30 working days for category 1, 2, 3 and 4	Council is required to apply for a permit with the Department of Transport and Planning to maintain any tree on roads under VicRoads jurisdiction. Timeframes have been adjusted to account for the time it takes to apply for and receive these permits, before starting maintenance work.
Street tree maintenance on all pathway categories	10 working days	30 working days	Adjusted to align with new timeframes for street tree maintenance on all road categories as listed above.
Pathways maintenance – pathway category 1 & 2 only	Council would only intervene to fix issues if budget and timing allowed	Council will intervene within 180 working days	Improved to align with advice from Municipal Association of Victoria.



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