

Key messages



Phase 2 – Raising awareness

General flood awareness

Storms and floods are a natural part of Melbourne's weather that can greatly impact our way of life. That's why we're updating flood maps across Greater Melbourne to help us to understand the flood risk that exists now and into the future.

Improving flood maps, through sophisticated flood modelling, will help us to understand the flood risk that exists now and into the future.

Better understanding our flood risk helps us prepare for flooding today, tomorrow and for generations to come.

This is important so that communities and agencies can be prepared and know what actions to take before or in the event of a flood.

We can't stop floods from happening, but up-to-date information, proactive planning and community action reduce their impacts.

Updated flood information coming soon

Updated flood information will soon be available for community feedback.

Melbourne Water, with support from <MUNICIPALITY>, is updating flood maps, for the <MUNICIPALITY> area.

These updates are important to help communities and agencies prepare for floods and know what to do if one happens. The maps will also guide planning for roads, housing and emergency response.

When they're released, you'll be able to share your local knowledge to help confirm the updates or highlight anything new that might need a closer look.

To confirm our maps are accurate, we'll be seeking your knowledge of past flooding and changes to the built environment – like fences, landscaping and other works that affect water flows.

To stay informed of updates and opportunities to have your say, 'follow' your council webpage at **<https://letstalk.melbournewater.com.au/flood-information>**

Find out more about flood modelling in Melbourne – **<https://melbournewater.com.au/flood-information-program>**