

July 2026

To the Residents,

Raingarden renewal works at the Woolworths Carpark, Chelsea

We're writing to advise that renewal works will commence in the coming weeks on the stormwater treatment raingardens located in the Woolworths carpark, Chelsea (opposite 16–28 Bath Street).

The works will include:

- Manual removal of the existing rock layers
- Vegetation and weed management
- Reprofilling of the raingarden basin
- Installation of new native plantings

What are raingardens?

Raingardens capture, filter and treat stormwater before it enters our waterways. They use specially selected plants and layers of loamy sand to remove pollutants from stormwater runoff by trapping litter, leaves and sediment. Once filtered, the treated water is collected through underground pipes and returned to the stormwater drainage system before flowing into the bay. *See overleaf for details.*

Project timeline and impacts

Works are scheduled to commence in July and are expected to take 2-3 days to complete, weather permitting.

Traffic management will be in place to safely direct vehicles and pedestrians throughout the works. There may be minor traffic delays and some temporary parking bay closures. We apologise for any inconvenience and will make every effort to minimise disruption.

Once the renewal works are complete, we will continue routine maintenance to ensure the raingardens remain healthy and continue to function effectively.

Further information

For further information, please contact Council's Open Space team via kingston.vic.gov.au/contact

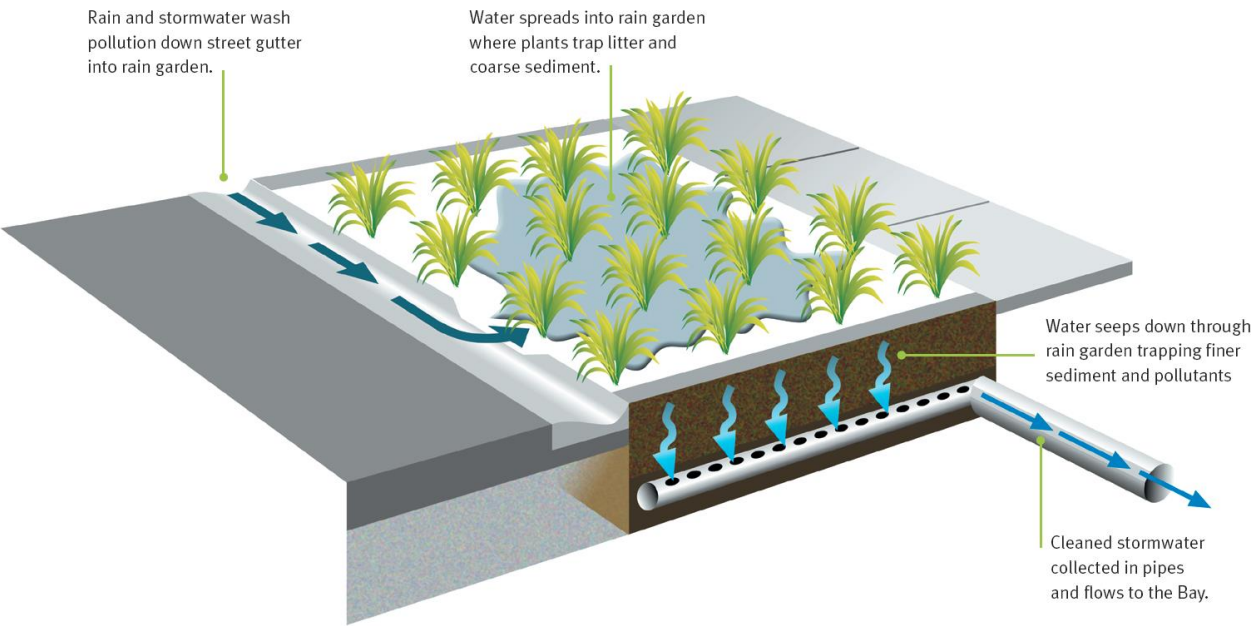


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Raingarden



Woolworths Carpark, Chelsea renewal works zone

