



The \$50 million Local Parks Program will create new pocket and dog parks, and upgrade and improve existing parks. It is part of the Victorian Government's \$154 million investment to create more than 6,500 hectares of parklands and trails across Melbourne.

New Pocket Parks

Ranging in size from half a tennis court to a couple of Olympic swimming pools, pocket parks will include a range of features for local communities to enjoy.

Project

**Birmingham Street,
Yarraville**



29

new parks



\$35_M

investment

Project

Birmingham Street, Yarraville



- ✓ Project scoping and funding
- ✓ Site preparation, detailed design and tender process (late 2021 to mid-2022)
- ◀ Construction start (mid-2022)
- Construction complete and park opening (early 2023)

Key features

The Birmingham Street Pocket Park project will transform an existing closed street space into a new park in Yarraville to provide a green urban space for unstructured uses such as sitting, resting, gathering, informal play and connecting with nature.

Project partners

DELWP (\$1,037,657)

Maribyrnong City Council (\$53,259 including project design and delivery)

Design concept



Location

Corner Birmingham Street and Somerville Road, Yarraville



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