

Residents update

McCrae landslide recovery



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Shire update

The difficult and complex task of removing personal items and furniture from a home within the exclusion zone has now been successfully completed. It was a significant operation and required working closely with the residents to ensure safety was maintained at all times.

Board of Inquiry

We are continuing our work to support the Board of Inquiry with its investigation. This includes providing a wide range of documents, statements and information requested by the Inquiry Chair, Renee Enbom KC.

The Inquiry is now seeking submissions from the public to help inform its work. Community members, organisations, agencies and government bodies with relevant responsibilities are encouraged to share any relevant information they have with the Inquiry. Written submissions are welcome on any issues covered by the Inquiry's [Terms of Reference](#).

Those making a submission can opt for their submission to be treated as public, anonymous or confidential. Submissions should be made via www.mccraeinquiry.vic.gov.au/share-your-experiences by 30 April 2025.

Works update

You might have noticed the preliminary work we carried out in the Coburn Avenue/Prospect Hill Road area this week, as part of preparations for the installation of piezometers in early May. This included the spraying of coloured paint on the road and nature strip to indicate the type and depth of existing underground services, which is required before excavation can take place to install the piezometers.

Geotechnical update

We are continuing to monitor the site and investigate the cause of the landslide. Our Geotech experts have finished their on-ground investigations for now and are into the report-writing stage of the process.