

Traffic Management Industry Newsletter



Department
of Transport
and Planning

Thank you for making the June 2025 Traffic Management Industry Session a success! It was great to see such a large turn out, and we appreciate the discussions raised. Based on feedback in the industry session, we are finding ways to make Industry Sessions a regular occurrence.

Traffic Management Training

Short Term Low Impact Training

From 1 April 2025, Short Term Low Impact (STLI) training has been delivered in Victoria by Approved Training Providers (ATP).

STLI training is for environments of such a short nature and sufficiently low impact that a site-specific risk assessment identifies that a static worksite is not required (refer Part 5 of the Austroads Guide to Temporary Traffic Management (AGTTM)).

Utility Training

Victoria has adopted the nationally aligned training for temporary traffic management workers who are involved in utility works.

The Utilities Training package will be mandated in Victoria from 1 July 2025. From this date, workers must transition to the new training before their current card expires. This course can only be delivered by an ATP who is authorised to deliver the program.

Please note that this course replaces previous units:

- RIIWHS205E Control traffic with stop-slow bat
- RIIWHS302E Implement traffic management

Roadwork Permits

Memorandum of Authorisation (MoA) Fees

The fees are adjusted yearly in accordance with legislation. More information including the fee amounts can be found [here](#).

MoA Extensions & Blanket MoAs

To provide greater clarity, information for how to submit and prepare MoA extensions and blanket MoAs has been released [here](#).

Portable Traffic Control Devices (PTCD)

Information relating to council authorisation of PTCDs with traffic signals on their roads can be found [here](#).

Non-standard Signs

The list of traffic control devices has now been updated in RAPP to include previously missing devices and removal of non-standard devices.

Please note that 'Chevrons' are now called 'Temporary Hazard Markers'.

Traffic Management Assurance

Traffic Management Authorised Officers (TMAO)

In 2018, the then Andrews' Government announced a program to introduce TMAOs into the network to work with traffic management companies, with the powers to prosecute for recidivism type offending. These officers are now called Traffic Management Assurance Officers and are not surveillance officers. They will identify themselves as an AO when they attend sites.

Legislative Framework

There are several Acts that you need to comply with, including (but not limited to) the Occupational Health and Safety Act, Road Safety Act and Road Management Act. These acts are supported by Regulations and Codes of Practice.

Acts and Regulations are mandatory, e.g. "you must do" statement, while Codes of Practice are "how it should be done". AGTTM was incorporated into the Road Management Act Code of Practice for Worksite Safety - Traffic Management.

Inspection Statistics

Over 1100 inspections were conducted during financial year 24/25, resulting in over 2000 major non compliances identified.

Biggest areas of improvement are:

- Provisions for vulnerable road users;
- Insufficient warnings to road users;
- Breaching MoA conditions; and
- Unable to produce a TMP.

Traffic Management Accreditation

We're enhancing the accreditation process to make it smoother for everyone:

- Renewals: Ensure you submit your renewal applications at least 10 business days before the expiry date. Applications may not be reviewed if they do not meet this requirement.
- Accredited Companies List: The published list of accredited traffic management companies will be updated to replace the expiry dates with company email addresses. If you need to update your email address, please contact RAPP.Support@transport.vic.gov.au.
- Improved Application Process: Workshops are being held to refine the application form and supporting documents.

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On behalf of DTP, we look forward to continuing working with you through 2025.

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