

News

Construction of retaining walls

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Colac Otway Shire will shortly begin a program to construct 20 retaining walls across Wye River and Separation Creek.

The new walls will replace retaining walls located within the Council road reserve that were damaged in the bushfire. Council will be using non-combustible materials including steel I-beams and reinforced concrete sleepers for new structures to increase their resilience to future fire events.

Council's contractor, Leprechaun Landscaping, will commence works in Separation Creek from Monday 19 June 2017. It is likely to take four months to complete all of the retaining walls, subject to weather conditions. All affected property owners will be contacted individually before the commencement of any works.

Traffic management will be required during the construction period. Certain roads may need to be closed at times, and if so, we will inform the community ahead of these closures.

The first three retaining walls to be constructed will be in the road reserve in front of the following properties: 11 Bass Avenue, Separation Creek, 32 Harrington Street, Separation Creek and 1 Mitchell Grove, Separation Creek.

