

V/Line – Completion Report



Project: 2588 - V/Line DBKWDG Access Track Summerhill Rd to Donnybrook Rd

Customer: V/Line

PO / LOE: 194193

Location: Donnybrook, VIC (KP –)

Status: Completed

Date Completed: 2025-07-03

- **Work Description:** Multi-tiered works in this area over 7 working days. Including manual hand cutting with brushcutters. Tree trimming ELC works at Donnybrook Rd Crossing. Private owned trees trimming aver 1500mm from open low voltage conductors. Mulching of vegetation under pole lines with 3 items of equipment Kubota 5t Excavator with Sepi. H3 Mulcher. KUBOTA SVL95 with FAE Mulcher and New Seppi 1700 Forestry Mulcher after damage received to FAE Mulchers from contacting railway line debris hidden in ground. Also used is the JCB Hydradig with Seppi HD Forestry Mulcher. Has resulted in all areas outside significant vegetation zones fenced off all Gorse, Blackberry and English Broom mulched to ground. All trees and previously removed trees also actions for ELC maintenance. Started project 19th May 2025. Had delays with machinery damage. Re commenced and completed all works June 23, 2025
- **Scope of Works:** Cleared everything possible from poles, powerlines and in the easement.
- **Date of Works:** 2025-06-07 to 2025-06-23

Summary

Vegetation management and ELC trimming were successfully completed between Summerhill Rd and Donnybrook Rd. This included mulching and manual cutting, with all areas outside significant vegetation zones cleared and private trees near low voltage conductors trimmed. Although there were delays due to machinery damage, the project was completed successfully.

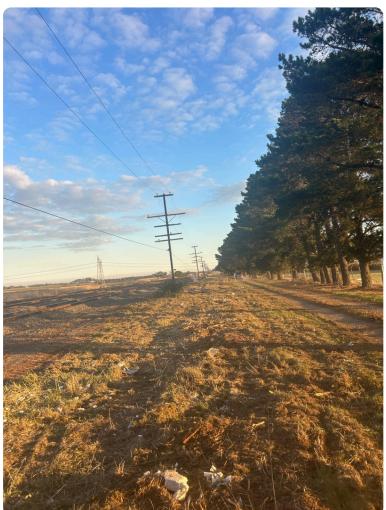
Key Findings

- Vegetation was mulched and cleared along the access track, including Gorse, Blackberry and English Broom.
- Manual and mechanical methods were used, including brushcutters and multiple forestry mulchers.
- Private trees near low voltage conductors were trimmed to maintain safe clearances.
- Machinery damage caused delays, but all works were completed by 23 June 2025.
- All areas outside significant vegetation zones were fenced off and cleared.

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Before

During



After



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