



Council is working with businesses to re-open safely and extend outdoor trading areas. Extended trading areas means you can serve more customers while meeting social distancing requirements and gaining greater exposure.

We are providing support to businesses in five different ways.

### Option 1

Transform the on street car park out the front of your business into external dining or more retail space. Council will provide infrastructure such as barriers, planter boxes or modular decking. This option is available for businesses who currently have footpath trading or only have indoor trading and need extra space for tables.

### Option 2

With Council's support, work with your neighbouring business to expand your trading area. For example, if your neighbour has no need for outdoor trading or the shop is vacant, they can allow you to use their footpath space for your business. Council will provide infrastructure if required.

### Option 3

Council will transform selected shopping strips and on street car parks into plaza style dining areas by closing roads to traffic and providing shared outdoor tables, chairs, shade umbrellas, planter boxes, barriers and signage.

### Option 4

Council will transform selected shopping strips and on street car parks into plaza areas and provide individual businesses with infrastructure to extend their trading area within the plaza space. Council will provide barriers, planter boxes, and signage.

### Option 5

Council will work with your business to implement a bespoke approach, where possible, to extend your trading area, including on private property if no public space is available. Council will provide infrastructure such as barriers, planter boxes and signage to suit individual business needs.

### How can my business take part?

1. Review the possibilities outlined on page 2
2. Decide whether your business will benefit from outdoor trading.
3. If yes, complete the online form to provide feedback or to register your interest. Online form: <http://hobsonsbaybusiness.com.au/OutdoorTrading>
4. If no, please consider whether you can donate your space to a neighbouring restaurant or café.
5. Once submitted, a business support officer will be in contact to confirm your submission has been received.

### Who do I contact?

Please email [business@hobsonsbay.vic.gov.au](mailto:business@hobsonsbay.vic.gov.au) or visit [hobsonsbaybusiness.com.au/HBBusinesshasHeart](http://hobsonsbaybusiness.com.au/HBBusinesshasHeart)





# The possibilities for Laverton



## Proposed activation for Aviation Road, Laverton



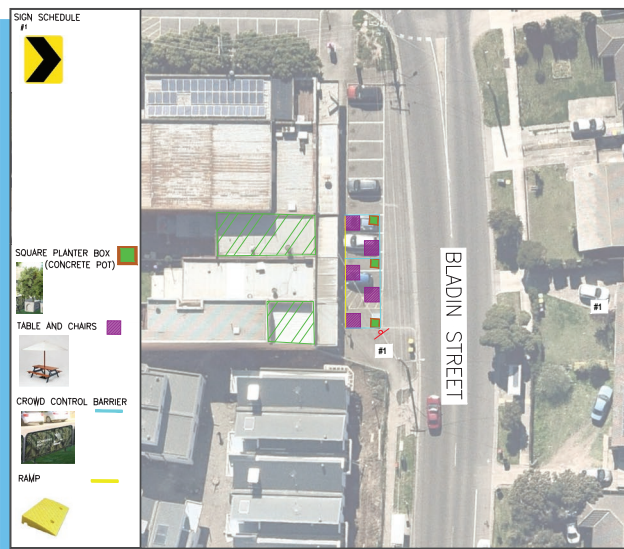
- Council is looking into expanding the outdoor dining areas of the hospitality businesses near Aircraft train station by transforming the carparks outside the shops along Aviation Road with tables and chairs, planter boxes, safety barriers, signage and a section with modular decking.
- The carparks in front of the shops along Neville Avenue and the space behind the shops on Triholm Avenue will also be transformed into outdoor dining areas with tables and chairs, signage and safety barriers.

## Proposed activation for Railway Avenue, Laverton



- Council is looking into expanding the trading footprint of hospitality businesses along Railway Avenue next to Donald Street and near Laverton train station by transforming the carparks outside the shops into outdoor dining areas with table and chairs, safety barriers, ramps and signage.

## Proposed activation for Bladin Street, Laverton



- Council is looking into expanding the outdoor dining areas of the hospitality businesses in Bladin Street by transforming the carparks outside participating shops with tables and chairs, planter boxes, safety barriers, ramps and signage.

## Proposed activation for Woods Street, Laverton



- Council is looking into expanding the trading footprint of hospitality businesses along Woods Street and Lohse Street by transforming the carparks outside the participating shops into outdoor dining areas with table and chairs, planter boxes, safety barriers, ramps, a section of modular decking and signage.

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