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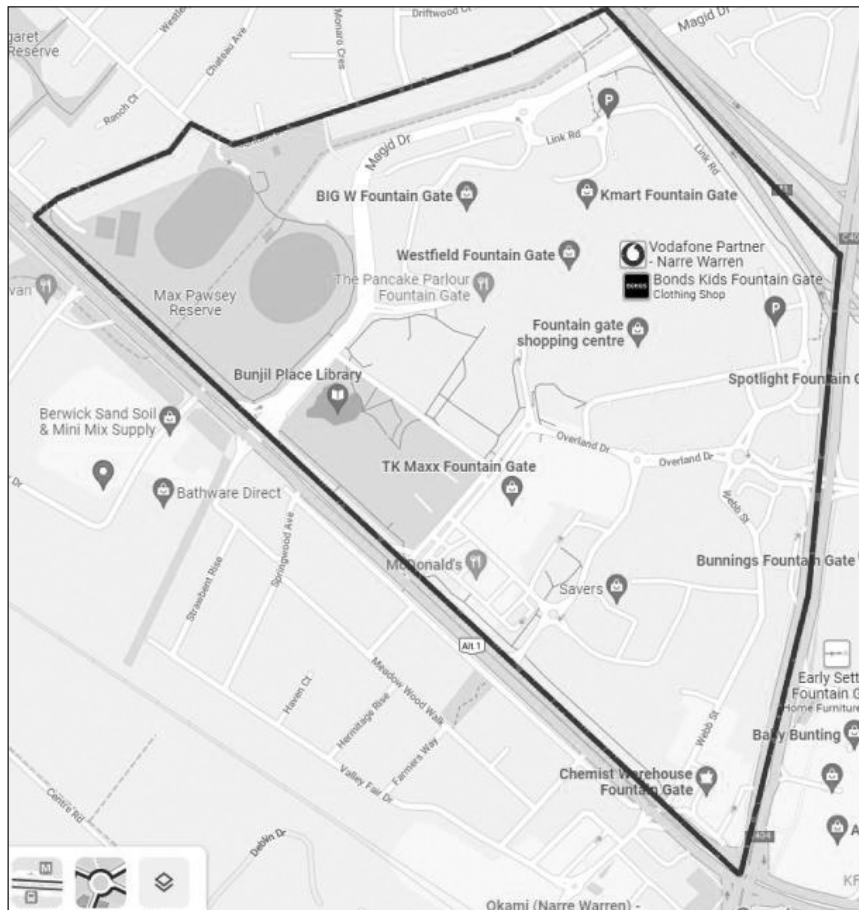
VICTORIA POLICE

## Control of Weapons Act 1990

### DECLARATION OF DESIGNATED AREA UNDER SECTION 10D(1)

#### Planned Operation in Narre Warren

The Assistant Commissioner, Southern Metro Region, acting as a delegate of the Chief Commissioner of Police under section 10D(1) of the **Control of Weapons Act 1990**, declares as a designated area in all public places the City of Casey that is within the area bounded by and including Westfield Fountain Gate, north-east of Princes Highway, west of Narre Warren Road, south-east of Raven Crescent and Fountain Drive and south-west of Monash Freeway as shown on the map below, but not including those roads. (Road has the same meaning as in section 3 of the **Road Safety Act 1986**.)



**SPECIAL**

This declaration will operate as follows: Friday 23 February 2024 from 2.00 pm to 10.00 pm, during which time members of the police force are authorised to exercise the following powers:

- (a) in a public place in the designated area, without warrant, stop and search for weapons:
    - (i) any person;
    - (ii) anything in the possession or control of the person;
    - (iii) any vehicle with a person in or on the vehicle; and
    - (iv) anything in or on such vehicle;
  - (b) detain a person or vehicle for so long as is reasonably necessary to conduct a search;
  - (c) seize and detain any item the member reasonably suspects is a weapon;
  - (d) request a person who is the subject of a full search to disclose his or her identity,
  - (e) direct a person to leave the designated area if the police officer reasonably believes the person is wearing the face covering primarily to:
    - (i) conceal their identity; or
    - (ii) protect them from the effects of a crowd control substance;and the person refuses to remove the face covering when requested to do so; and
  - (f) direct the person to leave the designated area if the police officer reasonably believes the person intends to engage in conduct that would constitute an affray (section 195H **Crimes Act 1958**) or violent disorder (section 195I **Crimes Act 1958**).
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