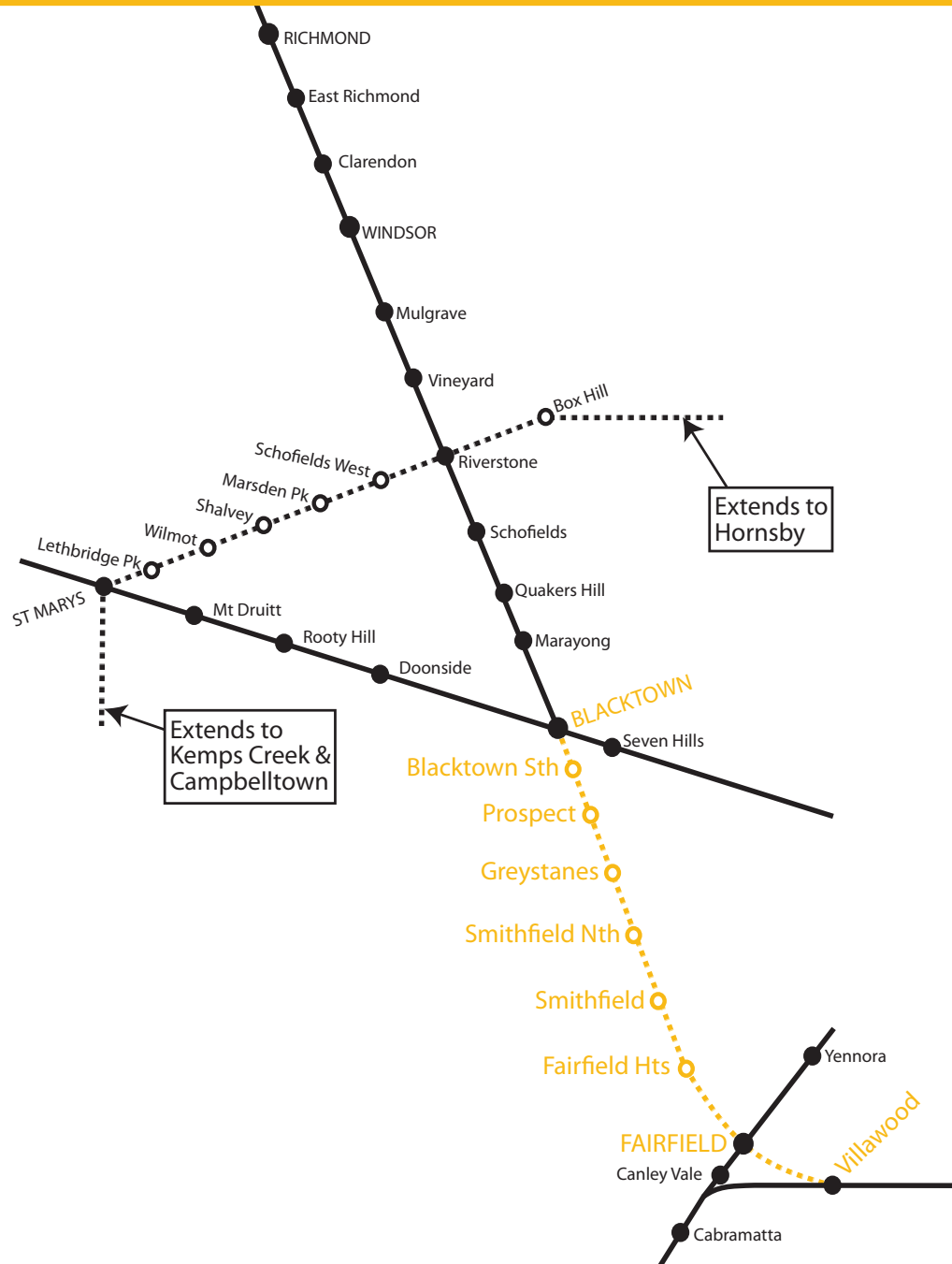


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Richmond Line Extension



Map Key

- Existing Station
- New station / platform
- Existing Rail line
- ... New Rail line

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Community Benefits and Concerns

- The Richmond Line Extension links the Richmond, Southern and Bankstown lines.
- New underground platforms would be built at Blacktown and Fairfield with above-ground platforms built at Villawood station.
- The Richmond Line Extension eases congestion on the Western line.
- Reduce peak hour traffic congestion
- Above- and below-ground operation of line
- Improvement of existing rail services
- The car, taxi, bus and coach industries will not be adversely affected by the construction of the Richmond Line Extension.
- Existing roads become safer to use for motorists and cyclists.
- Road fatalities will be reduced and as a result car insurance premiums will fall.
- Truck drivers and couriers will be able to deliver goods more easily
- New bus and light rail routes will not remove the need to expand and improve the rail network.
- Introduction of a multi-modal charge card for train, bus and ferry travel similar to the E-Toll account or Cab charge card.
- Enable commuters to purchase bus, rail and ferry tickets on the internet.
- Separation of railway line planning from urban planning.
- Financing of this railway will come from public, private and **RAILWAY BONDS**.
- Who loves sitting in stressful peak-hour traffic congestion?

Richmond Line Extension

Blacktown
Blacktown South
Prospect
Greystanes
Smithfield North
Smithfield
Fairfield Heights
Fairfield
Villawood

**Change at
Blacktown
for**

**Western Line
Change at
Greystanes**

**for
Macarthur Line
Change at
Fairfield**

**for
Southern Line
Change at
Villawood**

**for
Bankstown Line**