

## NON-INVASIVE ACTIVITIES ON WARATAH BAY BEACH

**We will be undertaking Ground Penetrating Radar (GPR) activities on Waratah Bay Beach, between Waratah Bay and Sandy Point, to help us understand the area's sub-surface conditions.**

On **Thursday 4 August** Marinus Link and our specialist consultants will be undertaking GPR activities in front of the dunes at the **middle of Waratah Bay Beach** between Waratah Bay and Sandy Point.

GPR uses **non-invasive**, electromagnetic energy to explore conditions below the surface and take images. This information will be used to determine the best location for future testing in the area, which will require a permit.

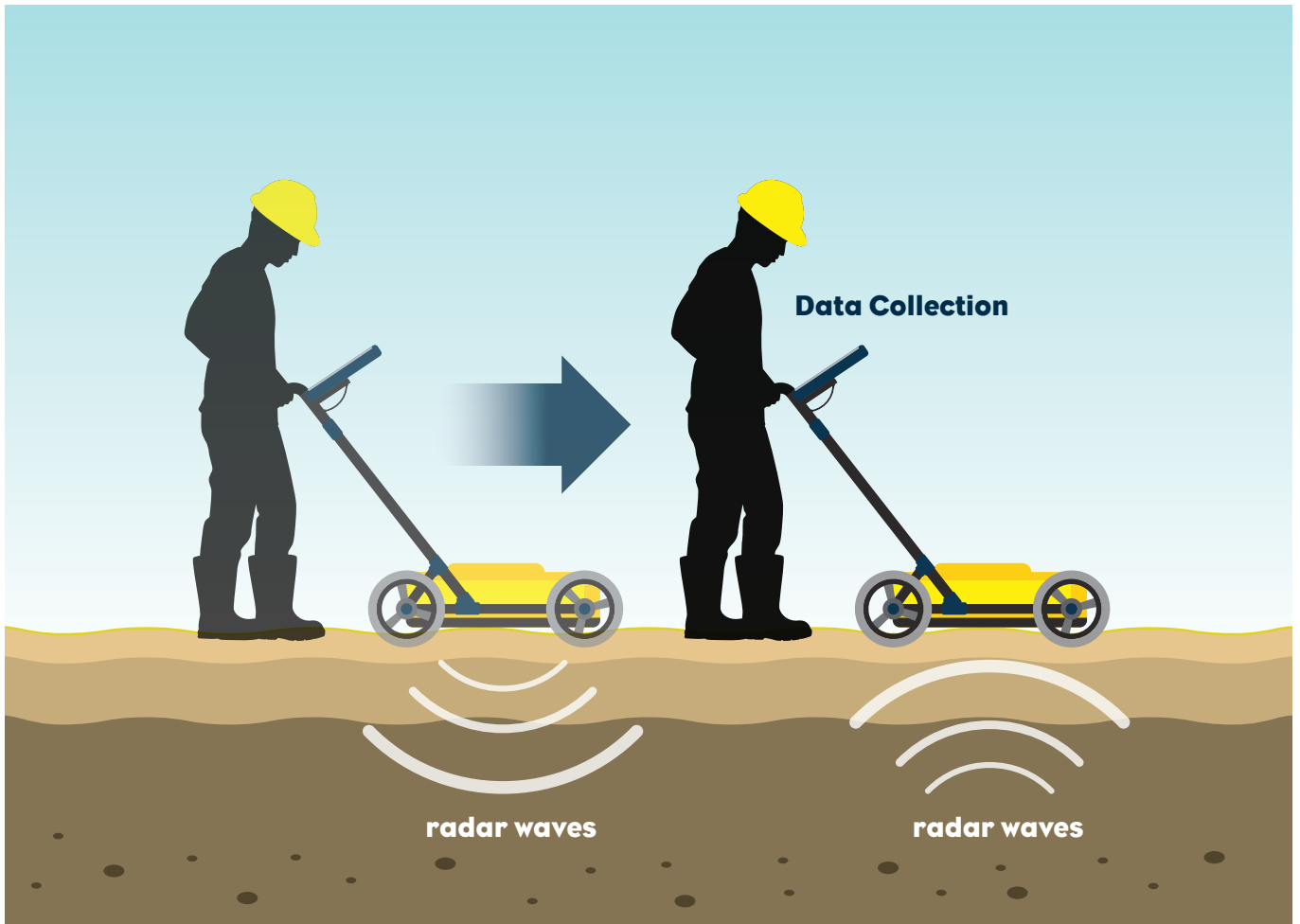


### Things to note:

### WHAT YOU MAY SEE:

- ◇ **1-2 vehicles accessing and traversing along the beach from Sandy Point Surf Life Saving Club.**
- ◇ **The use of a GPR machine on the beach, similar to the image on the following page.**

- ◇ **This work is subject to weather and the impacts of COVID-19.**
- ◇ **All necessary approvals and access agreements are obtained prior to survey work.**
- ◇ **This work is not the beginning of construction.**

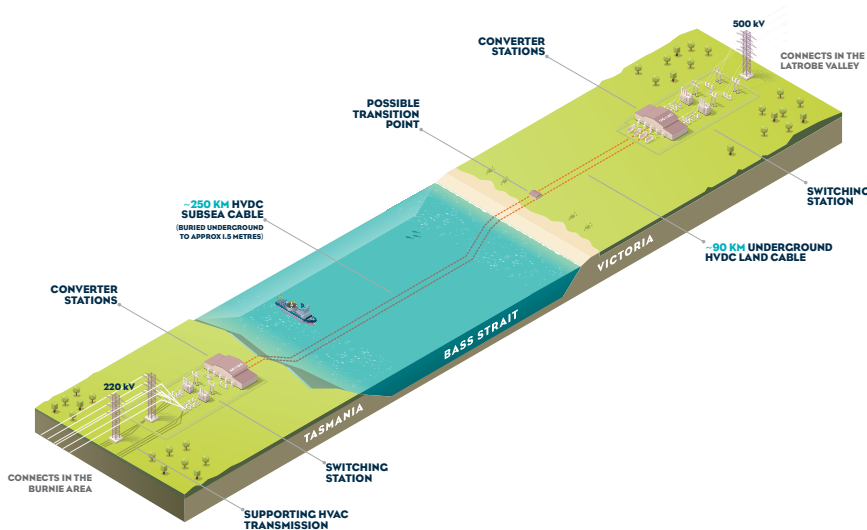


An example of typical CPR equipment used to explore shallow sub-surface conditions

## BACKGROUND

Marinus Link is a proposed 1500 megawatt capacity undersea and underground electricity and telecommunications connection to further link Victoria and Tasmania as part of Australia's future electricity grid.

Marinus Link involves approximately 90 kilometres of underground High Voltage Direct Current (HVDC) cabling in Victoria and 255 kilometres of undersea HVDC cabling in Bass Strait. It will include converter stations in Victoria and Tasmania.



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