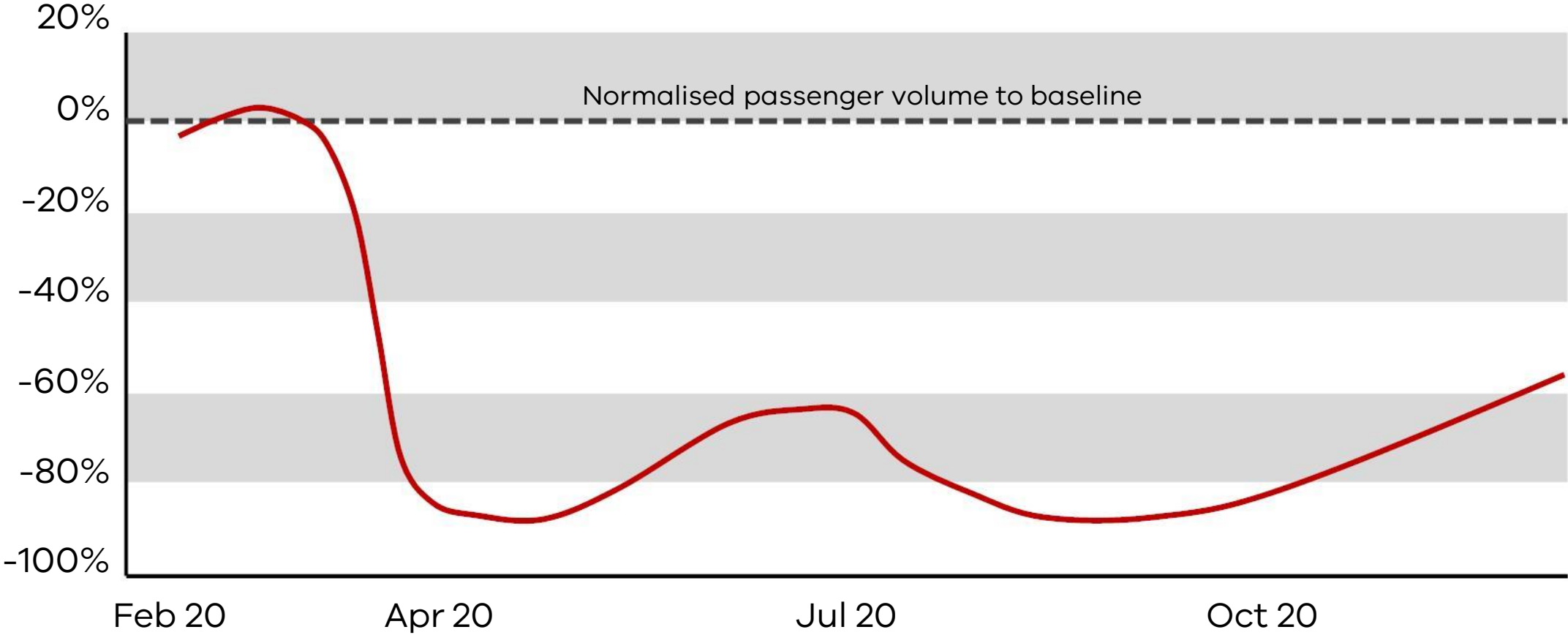


# Jacinta Allan MP

Minister for Coordination of Transport: COVID-19

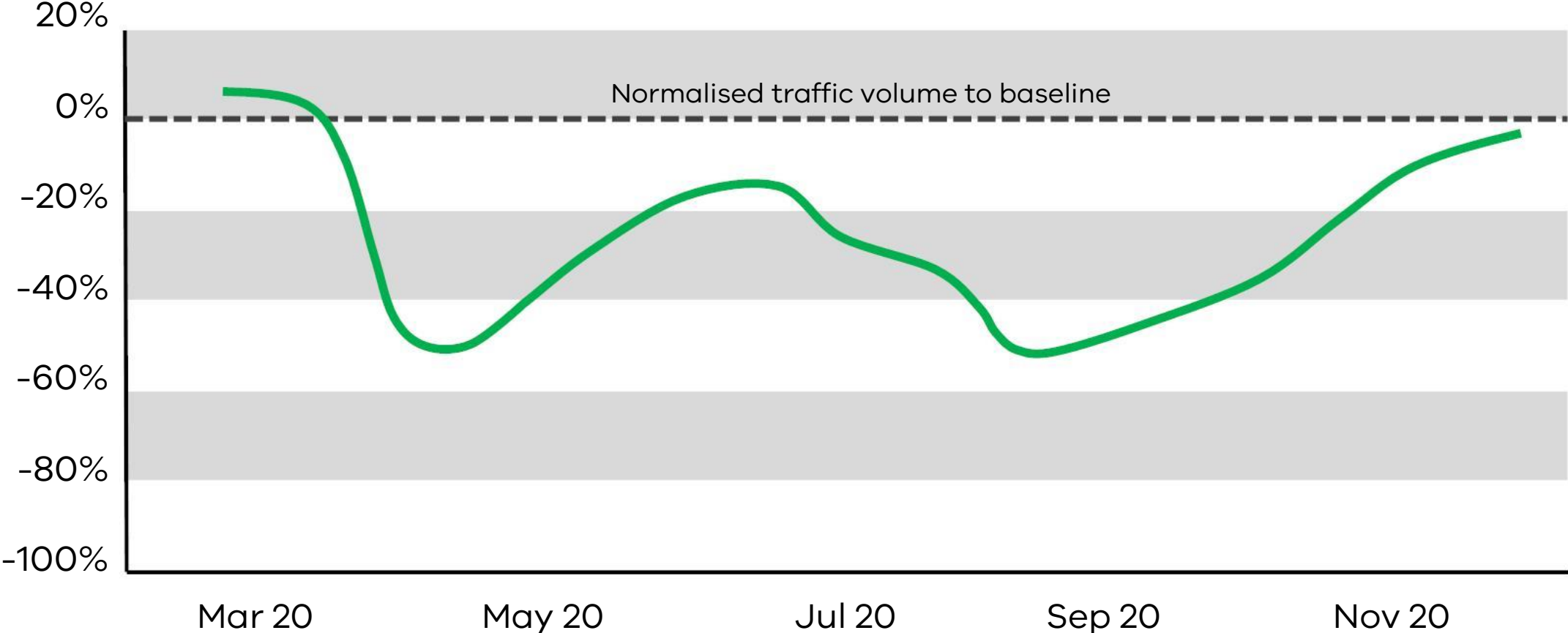
# Operational context

Public transport patronage



# Operational context

Road use



# Key transport COVID-19 initiatives

Investing in infrastructure

- \$328 million *Building Works* program of public transport, road and bridge maintenance work
- \$380 million *Creating More Space on Our Roads* package as a pre-emptive congestion-busting move
- Fast-tracking of *Big Build* projects



# Infrastructure – jobs and economic growth during COVID

- 18,000 direct employees currently working on over 165 road and rail projects, with over 30,000 more jobs supported through the supply chain.
- Half worked from home during Stage 4
- Nearly 6000\* safety inspections undertaken up to December.
- More than 2500 asymptomatic workers tested for COVID



Includes 2000 inspections undertaken by WGTP Independent Reviewer.

# Key transport COVID-19 initiatives

## Public transport

- Full public transport services maintained under the restrictions
- Capacity added to the network to ensure physical distancing
- Cash transactions removed from buses
- Upgraded myki system so people could top up on the go



# Commercial passenger vehicles

- \$3.5 million to support increased cleaning and sanitation of commercial passenger vehicles across the state.
- Support for struggling booking service providers in regional communities
- Assistance to vehicle owners to ensure wheelchair-accessible vehicles are available
- Doubling the wheelchair-lifting fee paid by the Government



