

Planned Burns Victoria Information Sheet

Please see below for details on how to register to set up automated SMS and email notifications about any upcoming FFMVic and CFA planned burns on public and private land, as well as some basic features of the site. There is no charge to register or to receive messages.

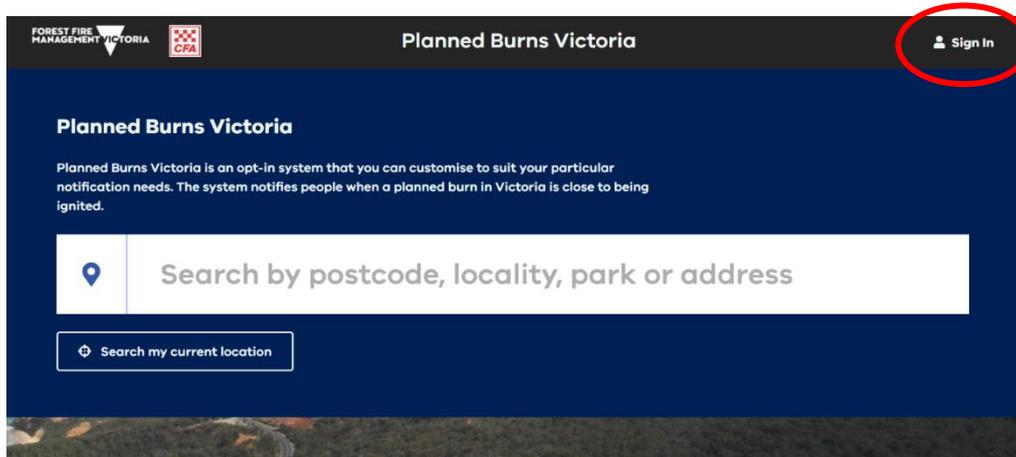
TO REGISTER:

- 1) In your chosen browser, search:



www.vic.gov.au/plannedburns

- 2) Sign in:



Planned Burns Victoria

Planned Burns Victoria is an opt-in system that you can customise to suit your particular notification needs. The system notifies people when a planned burn in Victoria is close to being ignited.

Search by postcode, locality, park or address

Search my current location

Sign In

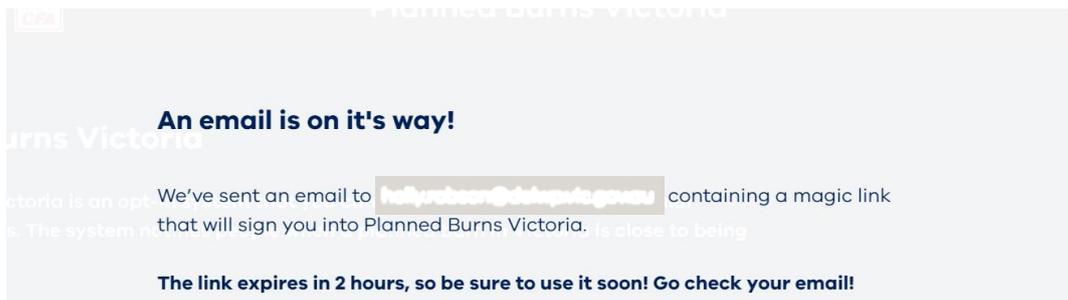
- 3) Enter your email or phone number depending on the type of notification you wish to receive (this can be changed or added to later on if you wish):



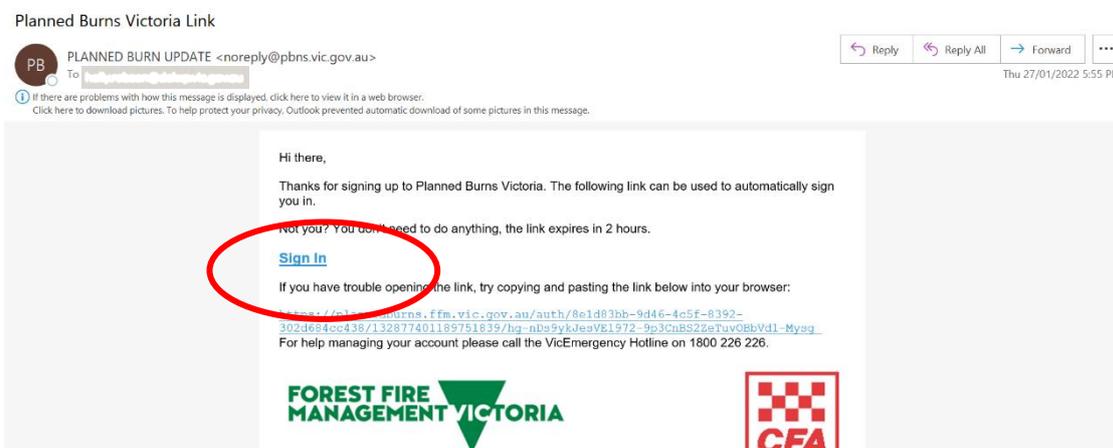
Send a sign in link

Email or Mobile number

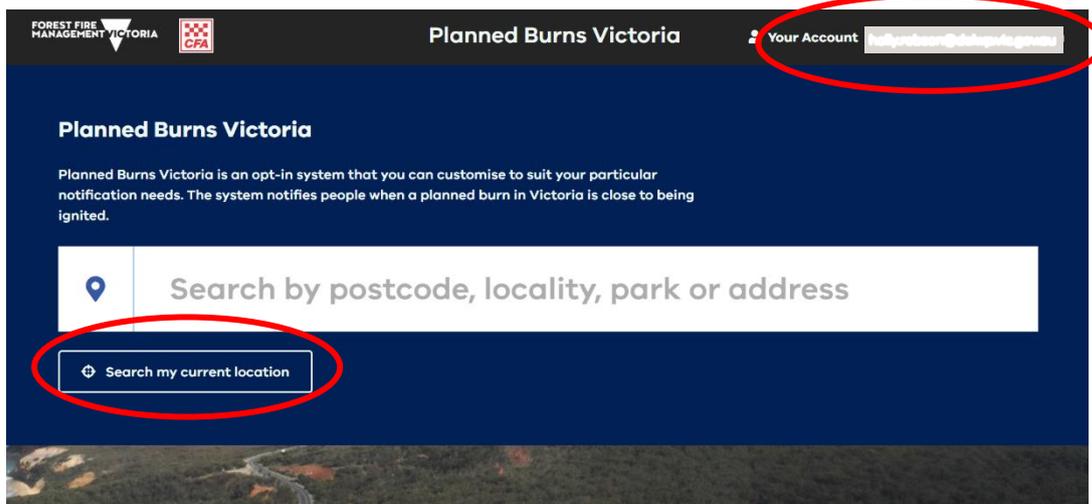
Send Cancel



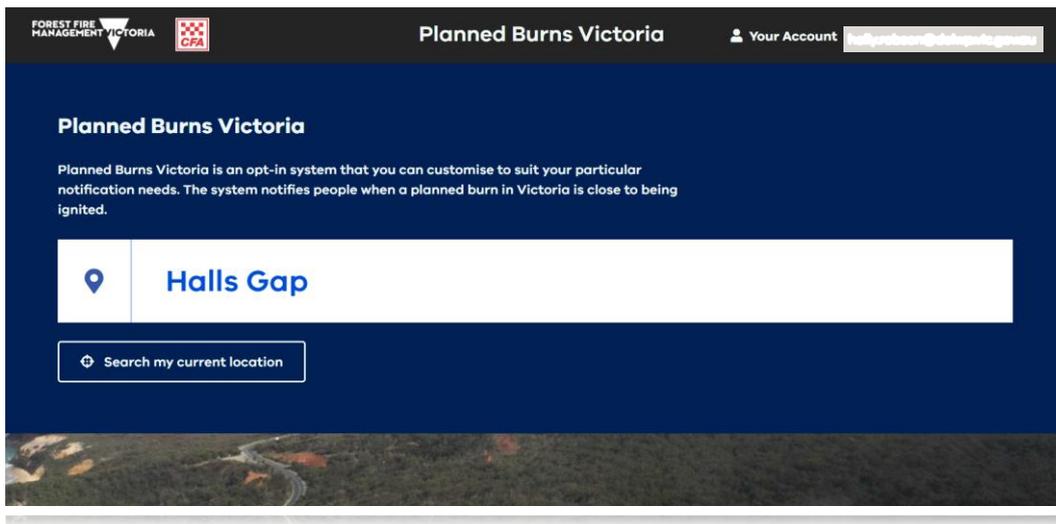
4) You will receive an email from Planned Burns Victoria with a link to sign in:



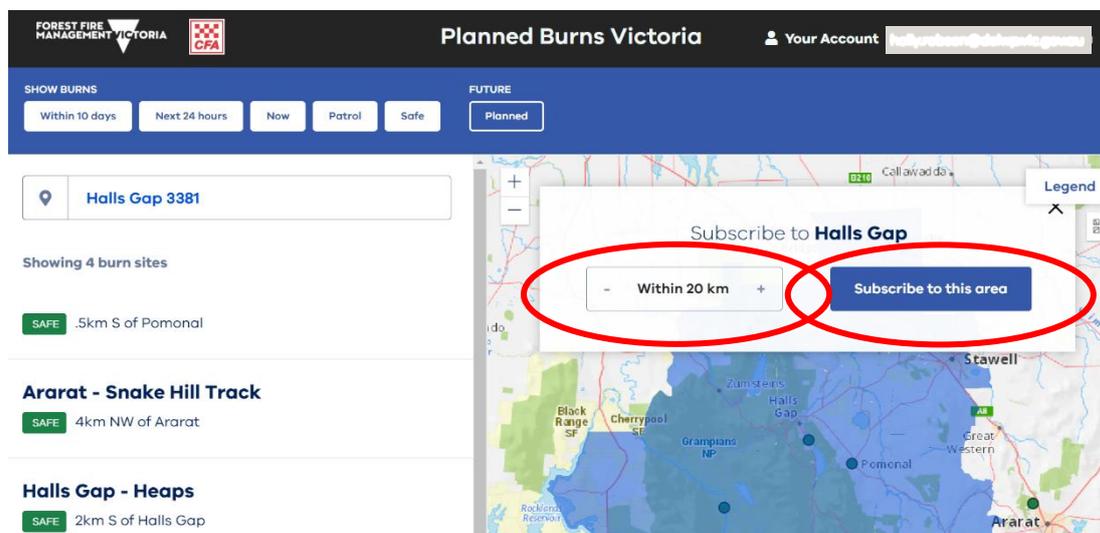
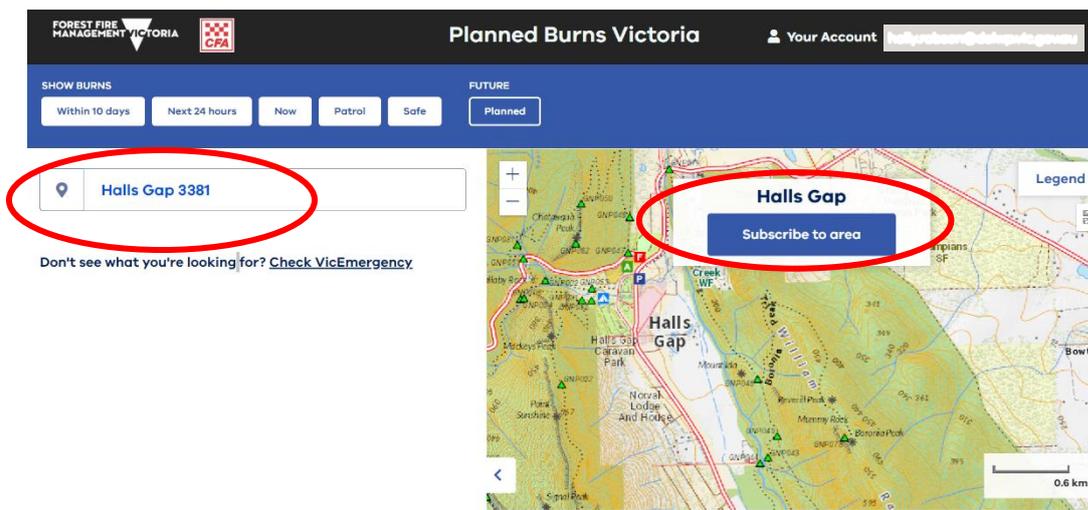
5) You will be taken back to this page, signed in to your account. You can then search planned burns by your 'current location':



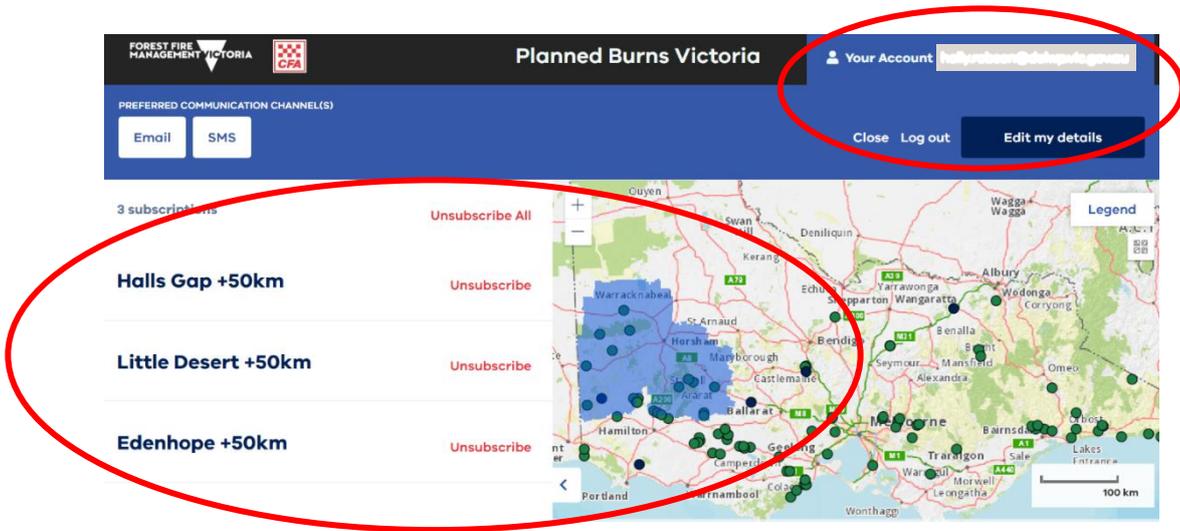
Or Type in the area for which you would like to receive notifications e.g. Halls Gap:



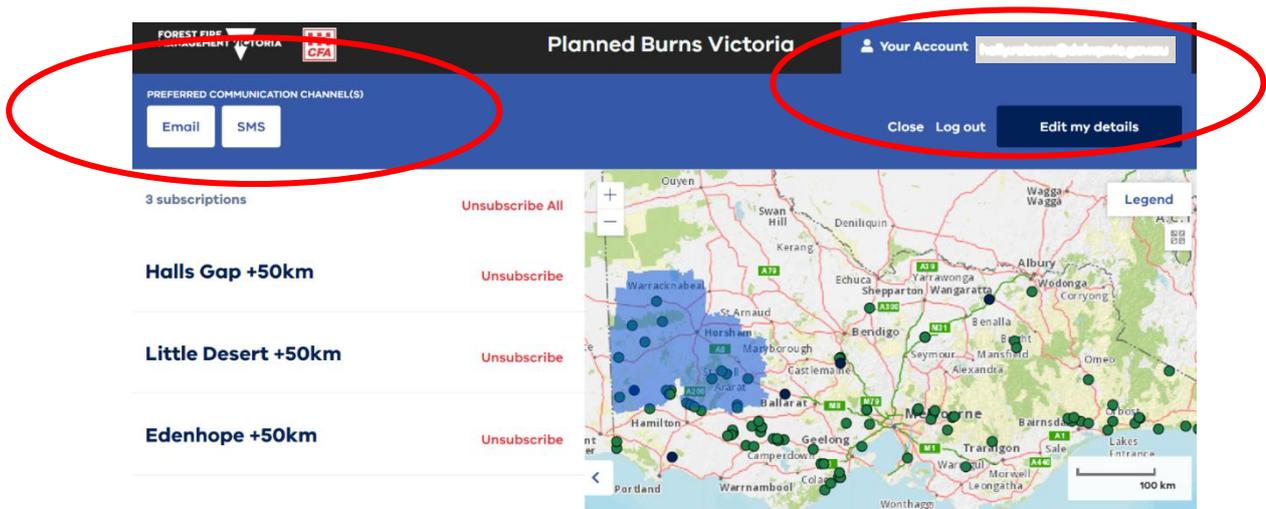
6) Subscribe to area and choose selected radius for which you would like to receive notifications (20-50kms):



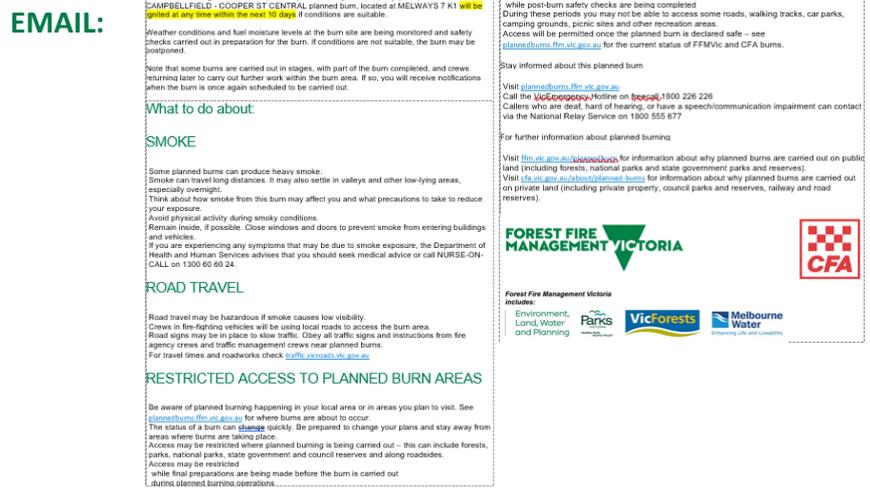
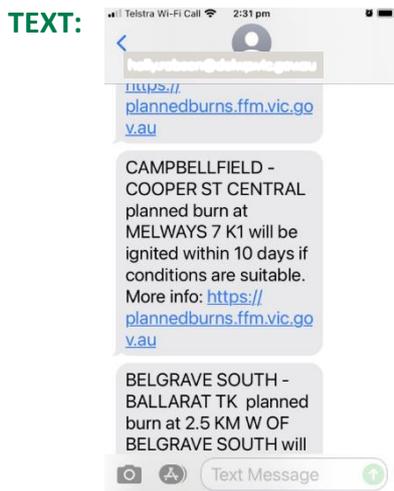
7) You can subscribe to multiple areas e.g all Wimmera Fire District:



11) Click on 'Your Account' in the top right-hand corner and choose your preferred mode of notification: Email or SMS. If buttons in top left corner appear in white they are selected (as below). If they appear in blue they are deselected.

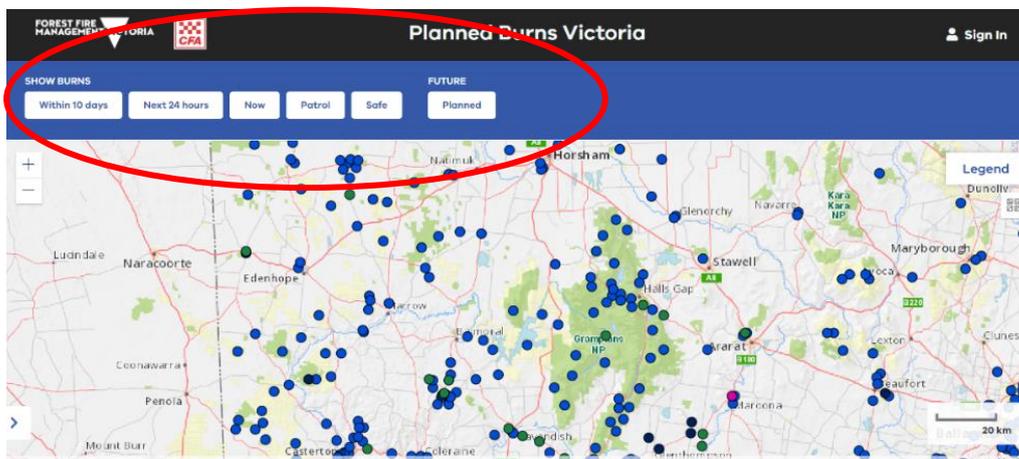


Depending on your chosen method of communication, you will receive a text message/email like this when a burn in your subscribed area is scheduled to be ignited:

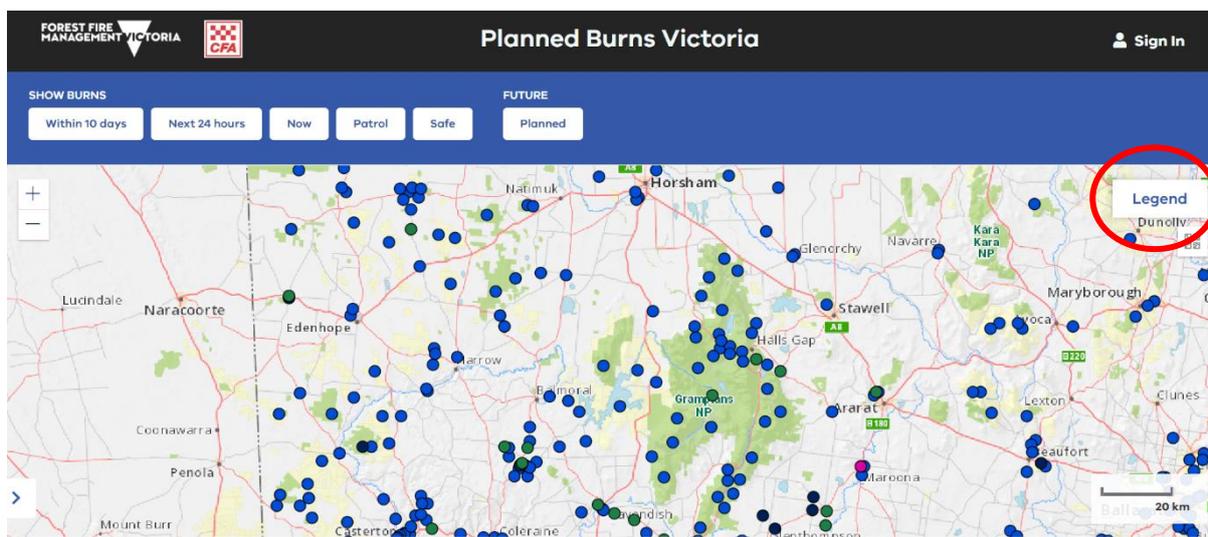


OTHER USEFUL FEATURES:

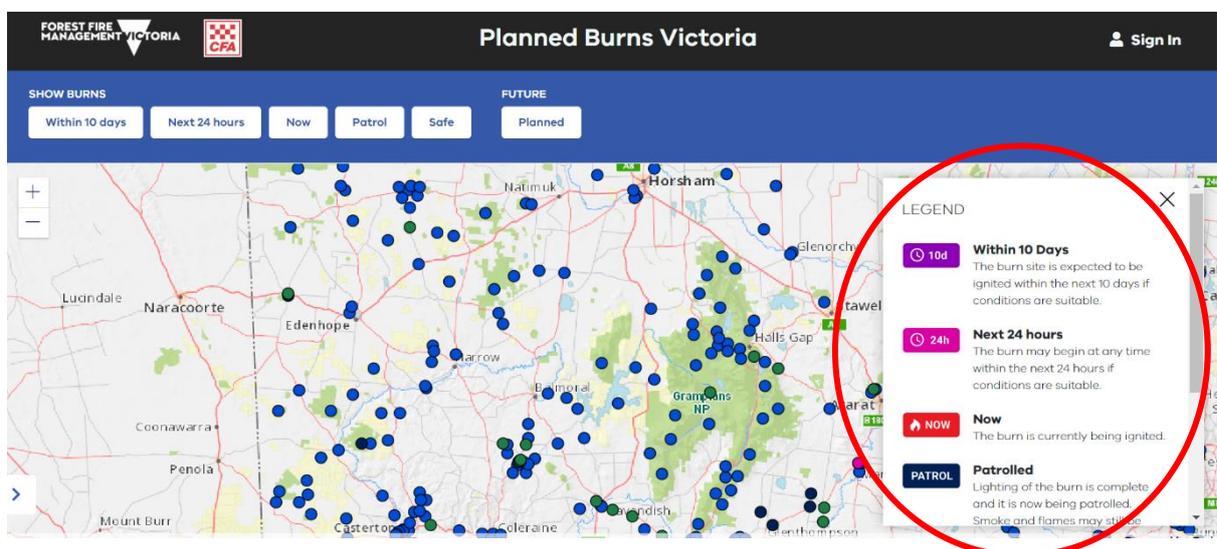
- 1) Use these buttons to navigate the interactive map, visualise the planned burns in your area and see what stage a burn is at:



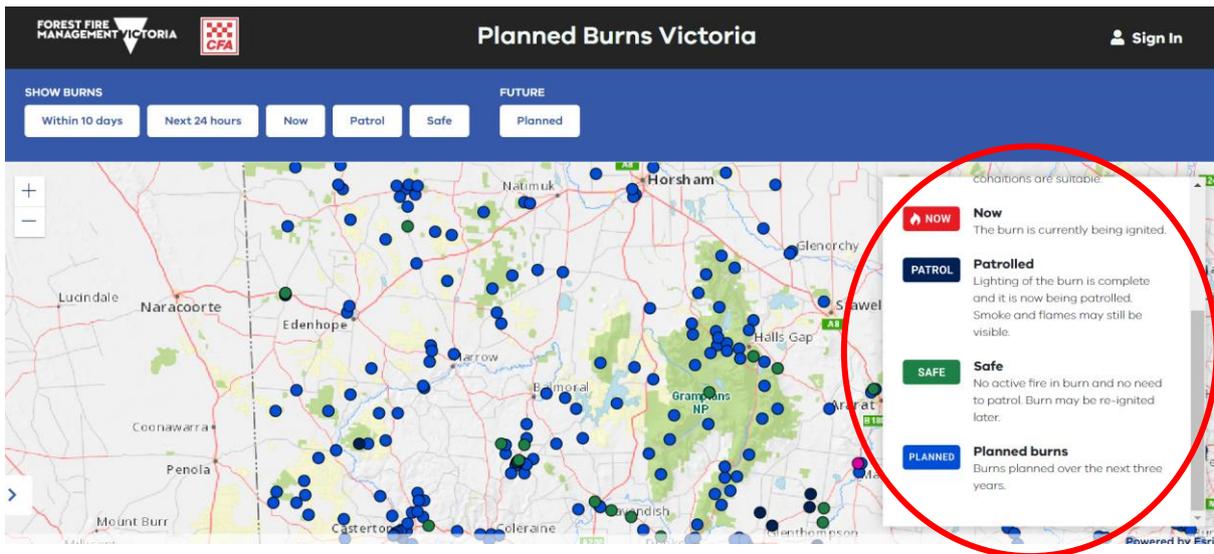
- 2) Use the Legend for explanations of the stages of each burn and to assist navigation:



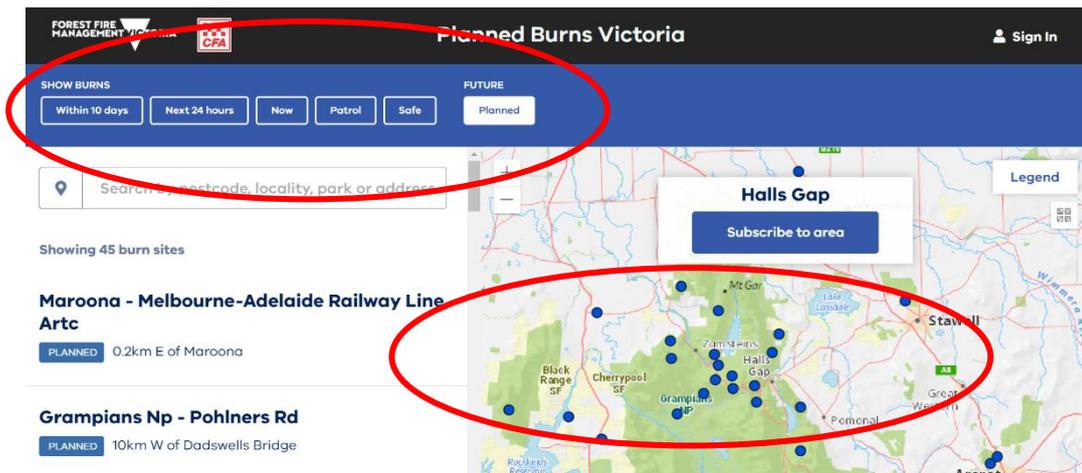
Coloured dots on the map reflect colours in the legend e.g planned burns are the blue dots, burns to be ignited within the next 24 hrs are in pink, burns declared safe are green etc:



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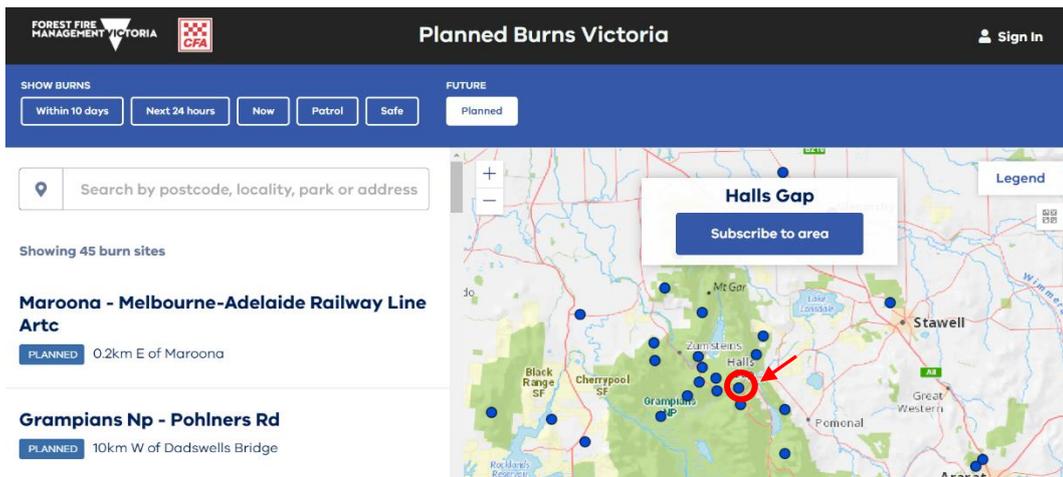


- 3) To view only the 'Planned Burns' (and see only burns planned over the next three years) – click on all other categories to deselect, except 'Planned Burns'. Buttons in the top left corner will turn blue when deselected (and white when selected) and only the blue dots (that reflect the planned burns) will be visible on the map:

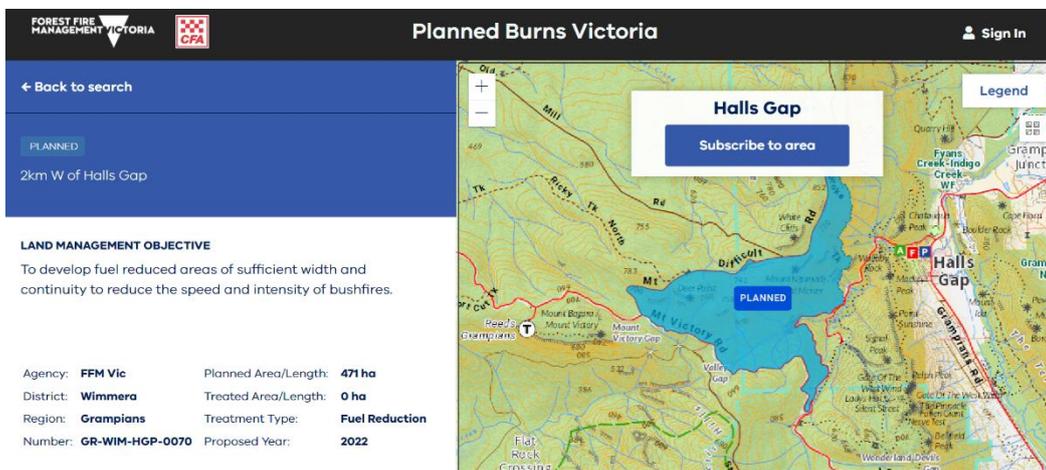


(Similarly, if you would like to only see burns that are scheduled to be ignited in the next 24 hrs, deselect all other categories except 'Next 24 hours'. Buttons will turn blue when deselected and only the pink dots will be visible on the map. Repeat for each stage or select all to view all information on the map at the same time).

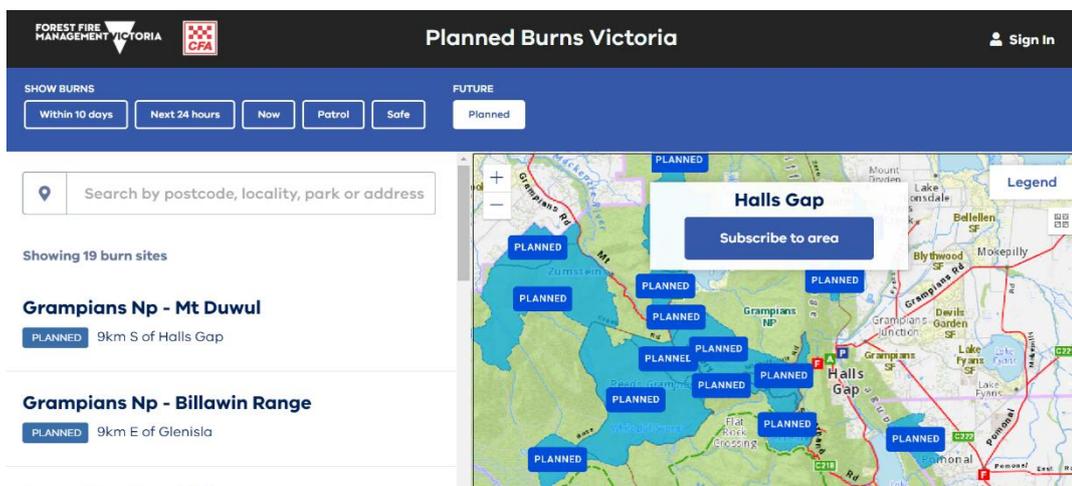
- 4) For further information about a particular burn click on the relevant dot:



The screen will zoom in and give further information about that particular planned burn:



- 5) If you have deselected all other categories except 'Planned Burns' and zoom in to an area, you can clearly see all the planned burns in the map and listed down the left-hand side:



(Similarly, if you have deselected all other categories except 'Next 24 hours' and zoom in to an area, you can clearly see all the planned burns scheduled to be ignited within the next 24 hrs in the map and listed down the left-hand side. Repeat for each stage or select all to view all information on the map at the same time).

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