



# Freight Highway Upgrade Program

## Augusta Highway and Horrocks Pass Road junction upgrade and new overtaking lane Project update – July 2025

### We are improving the safety and reliability of national freight routes

The Australian and South Australian governments have committed \$500 million (80:20) over 10 years to improve the safety and reliability of national freight routes.



Improving freight efficiency and network reliability



Improving safety on the Augusta Highway for all road users

We are improving safety by upgrading the Augusta Highway and Horrocks Pass Road junction at Winninowie and installing new northbound overtaking lanes on the Augusta Highway on south side of the junction.

These upgrades will:

- Improve safety for all road users
- Increase freight route reliability and efficiency
- Reduce travel times



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## Key treatments

The upgrade of the Augusta Highway and Horrocks Pass junction and installation of the new overtaking lane will improve safety and traffic movements throughout the junction and will include:

- new northbound overtaking lanes on the Augusta Highway, south of the junction with Horrocks Pass Road
- upgrade of the entry and exit to the existing rest area
- new acceleration lane for vehicles turning right from Horrocks Pass Road on to Augusta Highway
- upgrades to the deceleration lanes for vehicles turning into Horrocks Pass Road from both directions
- installation of additional lighting
- new road pavement and surfacing
- new safety barriers
- new signage
- new asphalt and spray sealed surfaces

## What's next?

Work on the intersection upgrade is progressing well with construction of the northbound overtaking lane scheduled to commence later in 2025, advance notice will be provided.

**Access to the Augusta Highway rest area, adjacent Horrocks Pass Road junction, will be unavailable at times to accommodate pavement construction works in the rest area. We will provide notice in advance of this occurring.**

**Construction will continue through 2025, and the project is expected to be completed early 2026.**

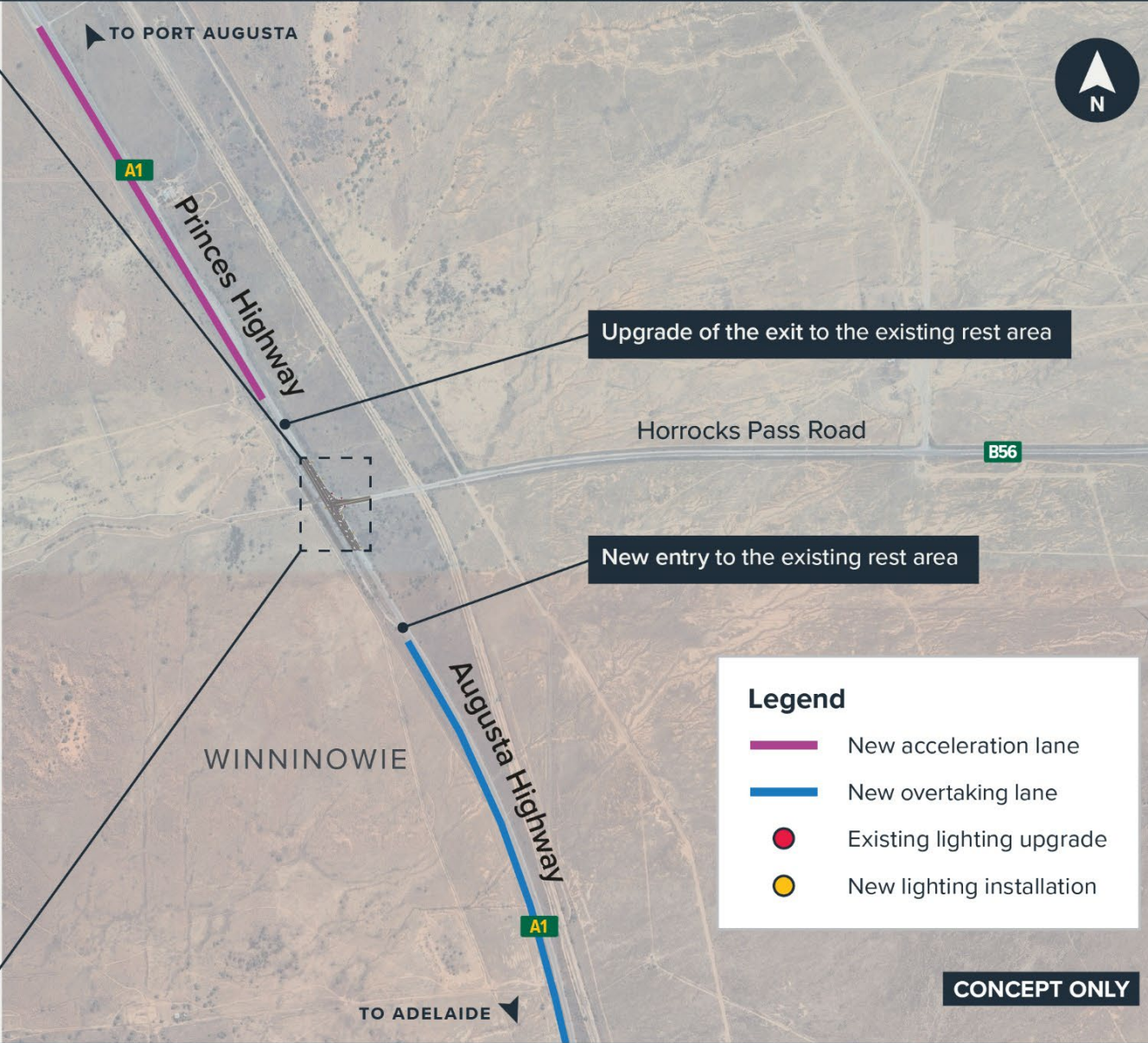
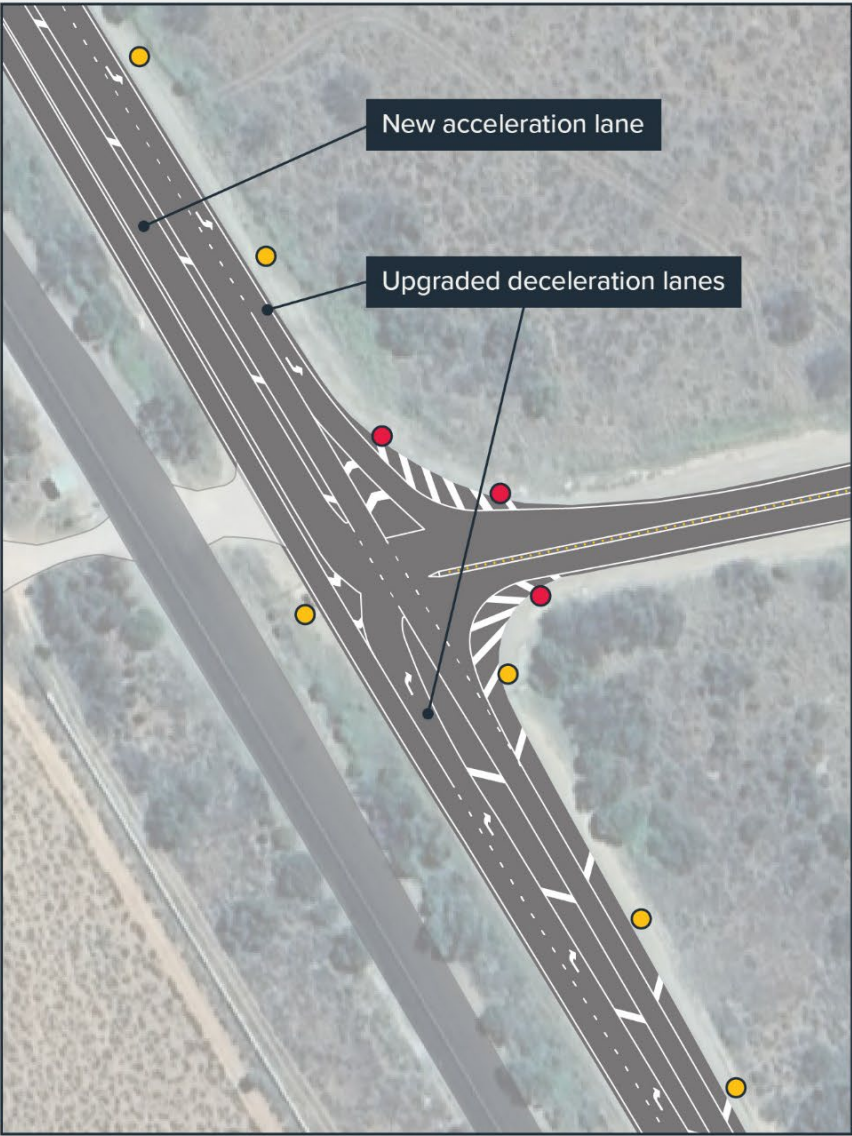
## Further information

For more information on the Augusta Highway and Horrocks Pass Road junction upgrade and new overtaking lanes, please:

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Junction upgrade



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