

Gawler Rail Electrification Project

King Street Bridge – Construction update

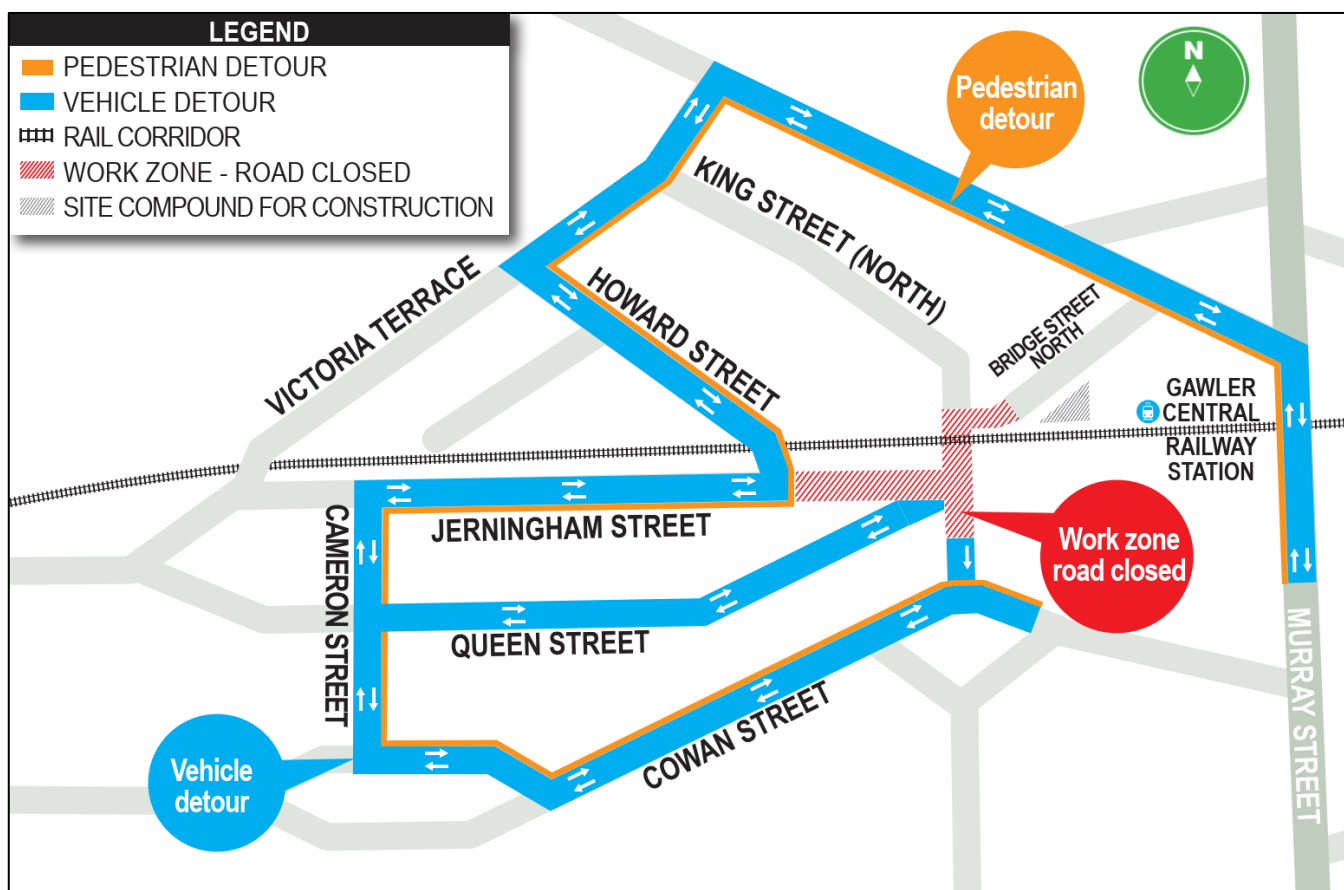
The Australian and South Australian governments are jointly funding the electrification and modernisation of the Gawler rail line which will deliver a faster, cleaner and more reliable service, delivering an electrified network through Adelaide from Gawler to Seaford.

The new pedestrian bridge structure was lifted into position in December 2021. Intersection reconstruction works and fencing installation are now required in the King Street Bridge area, as part of the next stage of works.

Pedestrian bridge works and temporary road closure

To safely facilitate these works, the intersection of Jerningham Street, Queen Street and King Street will be temporarily closed to all road users and pedestrians from **7am Monday, 7 February 2022, for approximately eight weeks, weather permitting.**

Within this period, works will continue to occur Monday to Saturday, 7am to 7pm. To safely undertake these works, detours will be in place directing motorists to alternative access routes (refer to map).



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Some temporary pedestrian detours will be in place around the works site and pedestrians are advised to follow directional signage. Every effort will be made to minimise impacts to the community.

Some noise disturbance can be expected at times while these works are completed, however the work will be managed to minimise disturbance to nearby residents and businesses as much as practically possible. Access to properties will be maintained throughout the works wherever possible, with advance notice provided if there is a need to temporarily restrict driveway access.

Please plan ahead, allow extra travel time and take extra care when workers are on site. Observe speed limits, lane restrictions and traffic controllers when travelling through the area. Every effort will be made to minimise impacts to the community.

Further works

Utility works to install power, water and gas services across the new pedestrian bridge are currently underway. Installation of the bridge safety screens will also be undertaken, prior to the bridge being open for public use. Further updates will be provided in advance of the bridge opening.

Return of passenger services

Critical testing is underway on the Gawler rail line as the vital and long-awaited electrification project enters its final stages. The project is now closer to completion with services expected to be commencing in April.

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The Department appreciates your co-operation and patience while these important works are undertaken.

If you have any questions or would like to speak to a member of the project team, please call 1300 080 834, email dit.gawlerelectrification@sa.gov.au or visit www.dit.sa.gov.au/grep

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