

Port Dock Railway Line

Project Update

The South Australian Government has committed \$51 million to deliver the Port Dock Railway Line project to re-establish the spur line and construct a new train station and interchange.



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Plaza area on completion

Train services will return to the heart of Port Adelaide with the Port Dock Railway Line Project that will re-establish the original spur line from the existing Outer Harbor rail line at Grand Junction Road to the location of the original Port Dock Station in Port Adelaide.

The one-kilometre spur line will link Port Adelaide's commercial centre and residential precinct to the Adelaide CBD. It will provide rail services for those who already call the area home and the many more set to live, work and visit Port Adelaide.

It will also serve as an important destination station for the Port's tourist attractions.

A new railway station will be constructed at Baker Street. A transport hub will also be established within Port Adelaide that will contribute significantly towards the ongoing renewal of the Port Adelaide precinct.

A bus interchange will also be constructed as part of the project. Bus services, routes and layover locations will be reviewed as part of the design process to ensure future integration of bus and rail services.

Timing of works

Some early works will occur in December 2022, to prepare for the start of construction in early 2023.

These early works will include the delivery of railway sleepers to an area between Grand Junction Road and the National Railway Museum, alongside the rail line.

A construction schedule is currently being developed, with consideration for ensuring any impacts to the community are minimised wherever possible. This will be available on the project website once finalised.

The project is expected to be complete in 2024.

Project design

The project team has been reviewing and updating designs for the Port Dock Railway Line, station and interchange.

The review is nearing completion and designs will be available for the community to view in early 2023. A visualisation is available on the project website at www.dit.sa.gov.au/portdock

Stakeholder and community engagement

We are committed to working with the community throughout the construction program to ensure impacts are minimised.

Community Information Drop-in Sessions will be held in January 2023, prior to start of construction. This will provide the community with the opportunity to learn more about the project, view the designs, meet the project team and ask questions.

An invitation to attend one of the information sessions will be emailed to the project mailing list, delivered via letterbox to nearby properties and published on the project website.

You can register your interest in attending a Community Information Drop-in Session or register to review more information as it becomes available by visiting the project website and selecting *Subscribe for Updates*.

We are also establishing a Community Reference Group (CRG). This Group will provide members an opportunity to be more informed about project progress, discuss topics of interest and disseminate project information to their relevant networks. Whilst not a decision-making forum, there will be opportunities for members to be involved in the project.

Terms of Reference for the CRG and Expression of Interest forms are being developed and will be available in early 2023. If you wish to express your interest in joining the CRG, please email the project team at dit.engagement@sa.gov.au

More information

To find out more about the Port Dock Railway Line Project and register for future email updates, you can contact the project team using the contact details below.

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Visit the project website:
www.dit.sa.gov.au/portdock