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Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package, North East Road and Torrens Valley Road, between Houghton and Gumeracha Project update – May 2025

We are delivering the Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package to upgrade key arterial roads in the region



We are planning for better and safer roads across the Adelaide Hills

The \$150 million initiative is jointly funded by the Australian and South Australian governments (80:20) over five years.



We are improving road safety for all road users

In late 2022, we sought community feedback on proposed upgrades throughout the Adelaide Hills as part of the Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package (AHPRS).

During consultation the condition of the existing road surface, and narrow curves making it difficult to safely pass cyclists were raised as the community's key concerns.

Feedback received during this time has helped inform the final designs for safety improvements on North East Road and Torrens Valley Road, between Houghton and Gumeracha.



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Final design

These treatments aim to improve road safety and driveability for all road users.

Key treatments

- new road surface
- road and curve widening
- · new safety barriers with motorcycle protection
- new line marking including audio tactile line marking (ATLM)
- new signage.

Vegetation management

Each section of North East Road and Torrens Valley Road being upgraded has been individually assessed to not only improve safety outcomes but also minimise impacts to vegetation and trees as much as practically possible.

While we make every effort to minimise impacts to trees and vegetation, some tree and vegetation removal will be required to accommodate these safety upgrades. Removal of any impacted trees and vegetation will be carefully supervised by an arborist and trees will be inspected prior to removal. If animals are found, they will be relocated by appropriately qualified professional.

What's next?

Work is scheduled to commence in mid-2025. Further information about the timing, early works, and planned traffic management will be shared in advance of major works.

For information on other upgrades we are working on as part of the Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package please visit www.dit.sa.gov.au/AdelaideHillsPRS

More information

For more information, or to register for updates, please:

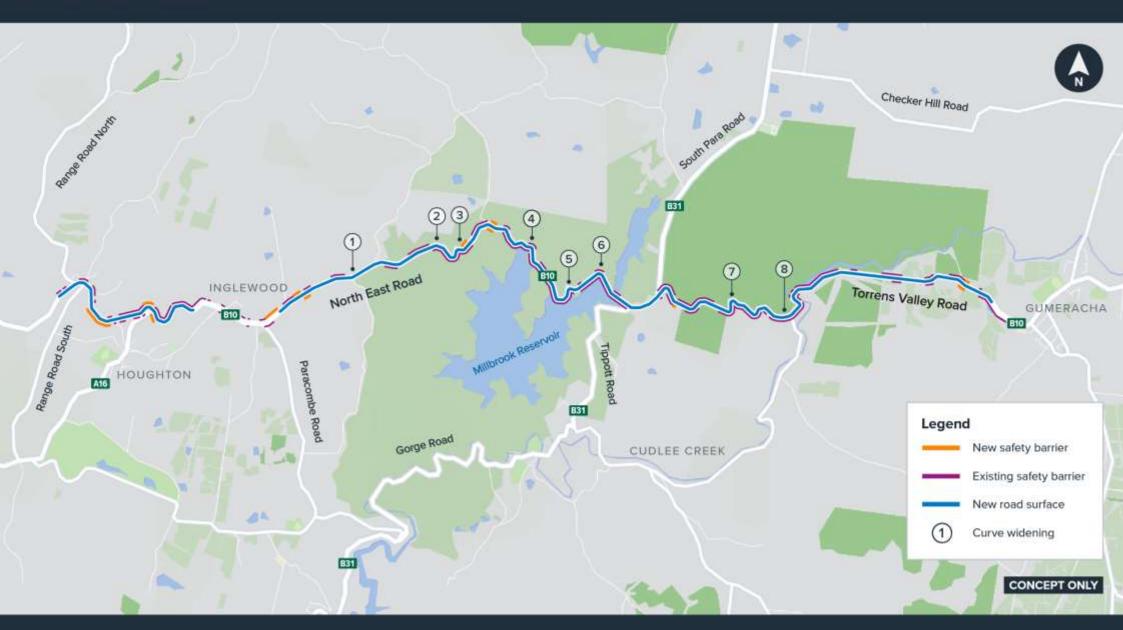
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