

Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package, Balhannah Intersection Upgrades

Community update - May 2025

# We are enhancing safety and access at key junctions in Balhannah



Greater pedestrian connectivity



Supporting economic growth

These upgrades are funded under the \$150 million Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package (AHPRS), which is jointly

funded by the Australian (80%) and South Australian governments (20%) over five years.

We are delivering important productivity and road safety upgrades at two junctions in Balhannah:

- The intersection of Onkaparinga Valley Road, Nairne Road and Junction Road
- The intersection of Junction Road and Jones Road in Balhannah

We have now finalised our designs which were informed by community insights, site surveys, and environmental and heritage assessments. This update provides more information on both upgrades, including details about our upcoming information sessions.









# Intersection of Onkaparinga Valley Road, Nairne Road and Junction Road, Balhannah

We will be constructing a single-lane roundabout at the Onkaparinga Valley Road, Nairne Road, and Junction Road intersection to improve safety at this location.

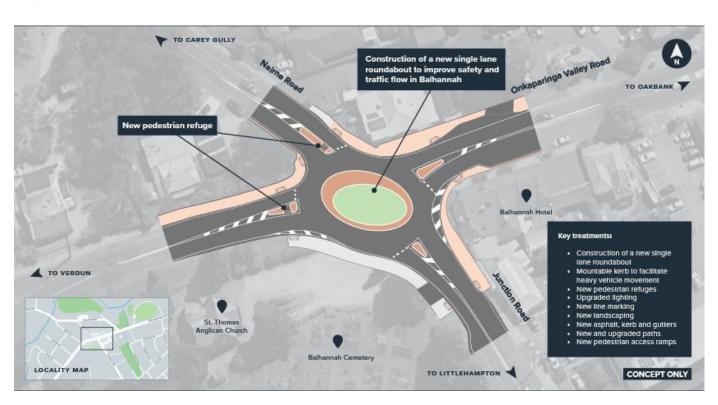
#### **Key treatments**

The construction of a new roundabout will improve safety and traffic movements throughout the intersection. Key treatments include:

- new roundabout featuring a mountable kerb to facilitate heavy vehicle movements
- construction of pedestrian refuges and access ramps
- upgraded lighting
- new line marking
- new asphalt, kerb and guttering
- upgraded Shared Use Paths

To safely accommodate a pedestrian access and refuge, on-street parking near the roundabout on the north eastern side of Onkaparinga Valley Road will be reduced to a single parking space.

Early works are currently underway at the intersection with major construction expected to commence in July 2025. Advance notice will be provided.

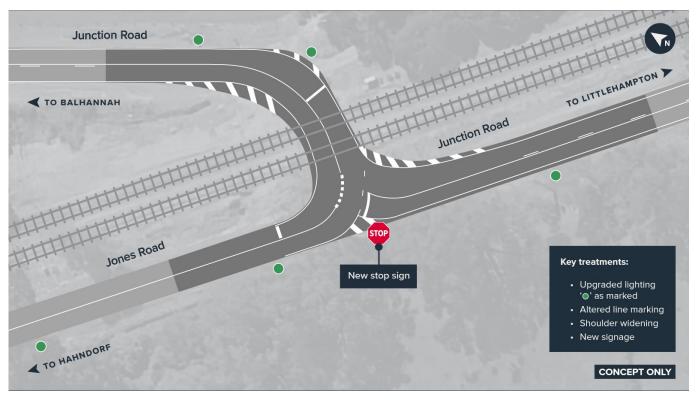


Concept design for the new Onkaparinga Valley Road, Nairne Road and Junction Road roundabout

# Junction of Junction Road, Jones Road, and the rail crossing, Balhannah

The junction of Junction Road and Jones Road in Balhannah has also been identified as a priority location for targeted safety upgrades. This will include the installation of updated signage and new line marking, as well as improving manoeuvrability at the junction by widening the existing shoulder.

Early works will commence in June 2025 with construction expected to commence from July 2025. Advance notice will be provided.



Planned upgrades at the junction of Junction Road, Jones Road and the rail crossing, Balhannah

We appreciate that there will be impacts to traffic, pedestrians and cyclists while we undertake these important works.

Throughout construction we will work closely with our contractor and the local community to ensure property access is maintained and minimise impacts as much as practically possible.

### What's next?

Early works, including site investigations and surveying, will be undertaken at both locations over the coming weeks.

Advance notice will be provided prior to the commencement of construction works. We encourage you to register to receive email updates directly at <a href="https://www.dit.sa.gov.au/AHPRS">www.dit.sa.gov.au/AHPRS</a>

Thank you for your patience and understanding while we deliver these important safety and productivity upgrades in Balhannah.

## **Community Information Sessions**

Questions about these projects? We are hosting two community information sessions in Balhannah and invite you to come and meet the project team, view the final concept designs and ask any questions you may have about these projects or the Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package.

These sessions will be held at the Balhannah Soldier's Memorial Hall, 91 Onkaparinga Valley Road, Balhannah on:

- Thursday, 12 June 2025, 5pm to 7pm
- Saturday, 14 June 2025, 11am to 1pm

Parking is available behind the building.

The concept designs are also available online at <a href="www.dit.sa.gov.au/AHPRS">www.dit.sa.gov.au/AHPRS</a>

#### **Further information**

For more information on the Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package, and our upcoming projects in Balhannah, please:

- Call us on 1300 794 880
- email us at DIT.Engagement@sa.gov.au
- visit the project website at <u>www.dit.sa.gov.au/AHPRS</u>

### Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package

To see what other upgrades we are working on as part of the Adelaide Hills Productivity and Road Safety Package please visit <a href="https://www.dit.sa.gov.au/AHPRS">www.dit.sa.gov.au/AHPRS</a>



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