

Media Release

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GRAND JUNCTION ROAD - SUPERWAY CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY

Significant progress will be made on the South Road Superway this month with a large amount of construction activity to be undertaken.

The works will require some nightworks and traffic restrictions.

The segment lifters will be transported at night on Saturday, 7 July via Kateena Street, Birralee Road and Grand Junction Road as they are too large to transport along South Road.

With the segment lifters in place, segments will be erected each night from Monday, 9 July to create the span over the Grand Junction Road intersection.

The segment lifters will then be moved to the southbound carriageway of South Road and then moved to the pier north of Grand Junction Road to create the span from this pier.

Night time traffic restrictions will include lane closures and at times contra flows between 6.30 pm and 5.30 am to create a safe workspace. It is expected that these restrictions will continue until mid to late August when the span over the intersection will be complete.

While there will be traffic restrictions in the area each night, the intersection will operate as usual during the day.

Also this month, the large launching truss (currently sitting on the abutment near Days Road) will start to move along South Road lifting segments into place at night. This will require changes to the flow of traffic on South Road at night, including detours along Wirriga Street and Kateena Street or Taminga Street and a contra flow for northbound traffic.

With increased night time construction activity right across the site of the South Road Superway project, road users are reminded to use caution and alternative routes to avoid delays.

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