



MILITARY ROAD AND MAIN STREET UPGRADE AND PUBLIC PLAZA

Construction Update August 2022

Works are progressing well with the section of Military Road between South Street and Kent Street complete (apart from landscaping). All roads are open to traffic and the plaza has begun.

Along the rest of Military Road (Kent Street to North Street) and on Main Street, the majority of roadworks are now complete. We have installed the new stormwater drain, kerbs and new traffic controls. The undergrounding of powerlines, new path and landscaping works are continuing.

This is the largest streetscape upgrade project we have delivered for our community, and we are now on the home stretch. This is a 12-15 month long project and construction is on track and planned to be complete in late 2022.

Asphalt

The previous asphalt notice said we were completing all asphalt throughout the project however the final layer was delayed. The final asphalt has been booked for the week commencing 5th September. There will be rolling road closures and the community will be advised closer to this time.

Traffic Calming

The raised intersections and raised pedestrian crossing have been installed. These will be a little bumpy to drive over until the final layer of asphalt is laid. Please travel at 25 km/h through the area to keep yourself, workers, the public and the new assets safe.

Undergrounding of Powerlines

Undergrounding of individual power and NBN property connections is nearing completion. Paths and driveways are being installed where possible. There will be some gaps remaining in the paths so that stobie poles can be removed without causing damage to new paths.

All the stobie poles and overhead lines will be removed and new light poles installed in August. We are very excited to reveal a beautiful clear skyline to you in early September.

Landscaping and Trees

Planting will occur after most of the civil works are completed to prevent accidental damage. We will plant over 100 new trees and more than 2500 understory plants. These will be a mixture of native and exotic species that have been selected for their survivability in coastal conditions. The trees will be approximately 1.5m tall when first planted, as this gives the trees the best opportunity to mature within the coastal conditions.

Public Plaza

The new plaza is under construction. We're converting this roadway into a beautiful space with seating and greenery to benefit residents, visitors and local businesses. This will reduce heat impacts and extend on Henley Square for all to enjoy. There will be some car parking, new bicycle parking, and access to the Foodland car park will remain.



EV Charging Station

JOLT will be installing an EV charging station in the Main Street median parking space, opposite the police station. This adds to a network of EV charging stations being installed across our City and throughout the state, to support the current and future electric vehicle owners in our community.

Bus Detours

Bus stop 30 on Military Road remains closed and will reopen once safe to do so. The temporary bus detours, temporary stops and associated parking control changes remain in place and will likely remain until the final layer of asphalt is poured.

Site Podium App for Construction Updates

If you haven't already, we encourage you to download the SitePodium App to your mobile device. Follow the Military Road and Main Street & Plaza Upgrade project and allow notifications. That way you will receive all project notifications and won't miss out on information.

Parking Time Limits

Some temporary parking time limits were installed at the start of the project. While some have since been removed due to works, the temporary parking time limit signs will be installed again. A community consultation about retaining these controls, modifying, or removing them will occur in 2023.

Business as Usual

While there is lots of work happening in the area, we encourage you to continue to support the local eateries, retailers and services on Military Road, Main Street and at the Henley Square Pavilion.

Funding

The total project cost is \$14.2 million with \$9 million allocated through Council, \$2.6 million contribution from SA Power Networks and \$2.6 million of funding through the Government of South Australia's Places for People Grant Program.

We Value Your Feedback

Your feedback will help us to understand how we can best communicate with you about the project and identify opportunities for improvement.

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