

Onkaparinga Council Report



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Flagstaff Road Upgrade Upcoming night works and temporary detour

The Department for Infrastructure and Transport (the Department) is upgrading Flagstaff Road, between Hyland Avenue and Bonneyview Road. The South Australian government has committed \$32.9 million to deliver this program of work, which will improve travel times, capacity and safety for all users. The upgrade involves the installation of a fourth lane to make it a permanent two-way carriageway.

Over the coming weeks the following works will be undertaken:

- construction of a Shared Use Pedestrian Bridge and on road bicycle lane;
 - installation of a Shared Use Path on the eastern side of Flagstaff Road;
 - installation of road lighting;
 - installation of safety barriers;
 - installation of an Intelligent Traffic System (ITS), a system that monitors traffic and road conditions;
 - installation of drainage; and
- asphalt placement.

In order to minimise the impact to road users, works will be undertaken at night between Sunday 6 February and Friday, 25 February 2022, weather permitting. The work will be carried out Sunday to Friday between 8pm and 5:30am. No works will be undertaken Saturday nights.

This work will also require the temporary closure of Flagstaff Road, between Hyland Avenue and Bonneyview Road. Vehicle and cyclist access will be closed from 8pm. The road will re-open at 5:30am each morning. Local access will be maintained at all times. Some temporary pedestrian detours will also be in place around the works site and pedestrians are advised to follow directional signage. Every effort will be made to minimise impacts to the community.

Day works will also continue from Monday to Saturday, between 7am and 6pm. Flagstaff Road will remain open during day works with speed and lane restrictions in place. Please take extra care when workers are on site. Observe speed limits, lane restrictions and traffic controllers when travelling through the area.

Some noise disturbance can be expected at times while these works are completed. You may also notice some odour which is common when asphaltting works are underway. Work will be managed to minimise disturbance to nearby residents and businesses, as much as practically possible.

There is no change to public transport services. Access for emergency service vehicles will be maintained at all times during these works.

Access to properties will be maintained throughout the works wherever possible, with advance notice provided if there is a need to temporarily restrict driveway access.

For further information please visit www.dit.sa.gov.au/flagstaffroad contact the project team via email at dit.flagstaffroad@sa.gov.au or call 1300 059 639.

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Candidates
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Onkaparinga
Northern Forum**

Date: **Monday 21st Feb**

Time: **7:30pm**

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Click on the link at the time the meeting starts (7.30pm)

<https://zoom.us/j/93567864949?pwd=dUNSalM4anEONzh3czZuNGFQeEVKZz09>

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**Majors Road
Upgrade**

The South Australian Government has committed \$7 million for the upgrade of Majors Road, O'Halloran Hill, between the Southern Expressway and Main South Road. Majors Road, located approximately 15 kilometres southwest of the Adelaide CBD is an important arterial road, providing a key connection between Lonsdale Road and Main South Road.

It carries an average of 13,200 vehicles per day. With the opening of Glenthorne National Park, Southern Soccer Facility and the Sam Willoughby BMX Facility, the Majors Road Upgrade aims to improve the overall operation and safety of Majors Road and ensure the road caters to current and future traffic demands.

The project will result in safer journeys and provide efficient access to the key adjacent facilities. The project is expected to support 35 full time equivalent jobs during construction.

The project includes:

pavement rehabilitation and correction of the undulating nature between the Southern Expressway and Main South Road;
 new access to the Glenthorne National Park;
 improve connectivity at the Patrick Jonker Veloway (bikeway); and
 minor road widening for safer merging westbound near Main South Road.

What's Next?

Construction is scheduled to commence in mid-January 2022 with completion expected by April 2022, weather permitting.

In addition, planning is underway to potentially upgrade the western side of Majors Road, between Lonsdale Road, Ocean Boulevard and the Southern Expressway. More information will be provided about this potential upgrade in the coming months.

Further Information

If you have any questions or would like to register to receive project updates, please email dit.communityrelations@sa.gov.au telephone 1300 794 880 or write to Majors Road, GPO Box 1533, Adelaide SA 5001.



**concept design for illustration purposes only*

**Main Rd
 Coromandel
 Valley
 maintenance**

The following information has been provided by the City Operations Division.

We recognise that pedestrian connectivity along Main Road is challenging, however due to topography and constraints with the width of the road corridor and having to maintain access to private properties there is limited improvement that can be made, especially in relation to the gradient concerns you raise. Wherever possible, we do provide footpath gradients that are both safe and accessible for various pedestrian users. However, this location and many others like it along Main Road is severely

constrained by the topography where user friendly gradients simply cannot be achieved. This is particularly evident in some of the more established areas where there is an abundance of mature native vegetation and steep road reserves.

In accordance with Section 26 of the Highways Act – Operational Instruction 20.1, we are working with the Department for Infrastructure and Transport to ascertain responsibility of the barrier you mention that blocks the continuation of Rowlands Hill Road when travelling in a north/south direction. Once determined we will investigate and advise Ms. Lister of what modifications if any can be made that will facilitate better wheelchair access whilst maintaining the integrity of the stormwater channel to ensure its function is not impacted on.

We will also have staff inspect the area and attend to any potholes, loose material and other obstructions that make wheelchair accessibility difficult. We anticipate these works will be conducted by end of March 2022.

**Clarendon
Master Plan**

**Clarendon Recreation Ground
Endorsed 2020 Master Plan**



- Legend**
- Improvements at Intersections
 - Proposed Toondilla walking Trail
 - Improve Pedestrian Entrance
 - Connect to main street
 - Provide landscaping
 - Include signage
 - Improve Entrance (subject to DPTI approvals)
 - Design improvements
 - Encourage as main entrance
 - Signage at entrance and on approach
 - Tourism signage
 - Improve Entrance (subject to DPTI approvals)
 - Potential for 'in only'
 - Signage at entrance and on approach
 - Tourism signage
 - Redesign Gateway to park
 - Design improvements
 - Aerial improvements
 - Signage and wayfinding
 - Entry and gateway
 - Redesign car park
 - Nicolle Road
 - Seal Nicolle Road
 - Formalise on-street car parking to improve safety
 - Provide on-street parking
 - Provide disability parking
 - Improve Pavilion Area
 - Provide additional facilities for clubs e.g. verandah, storage, carban
 - Sealing steps to oval for access, viewing and soil stabilisation
 - Landscaping and access
 - Erosion control
 - Improve play area
 - Retain courts and upgrade when required
 - Picnic Area
 - Provide picnic settings in strategic locations
 - Include adequate seating
 - Disability Access
 - Improve disability access to park from car-park
 - Bowling Club
 - Work with Bowling Club to improve facilities
 - Support operations to cater for demand
 - Landscaping south-western periphery
 - Improve car park
 - Improve buffer to housing
 - Repair retaining wall on eastern edge
 - Carpark
 - Improvements to carpark
 - Riverbank
 - Implement Toondilla Trail
 - Revegetate riverbank
 - Flood mitigation
 - Seating and viewing locations
 - Oval
 - Consider flexible recreational use
 - Address drainage issues
 - Improve car park at base of oval
 - Remove surplus storage sheds
 - Protect views to oval
 - Lower Court Area
 - Enhance oval area
 - Consolidate structures
 - Enhance clubrooms
 - Enhance viewing areas
 - Maintain vegetation
 - Increase usability
 - Revegetation Area
 - Revegetation area between Nicolle Road and Toondilla Trail
 - Allow for adequate seating opportunities
 - Hazel McKenzie Hall
 - Provide connection from Toondilla Trail to Hazel McKenzie Hall



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I am currently working with Council staff to progress conversations with user groups, the CCA and local residents on the Clarendon Master Plan, with an aim to ensure that progress happens as quickly as possible.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me.

**Proposed
Childcare Center
Flagstaff Hill**

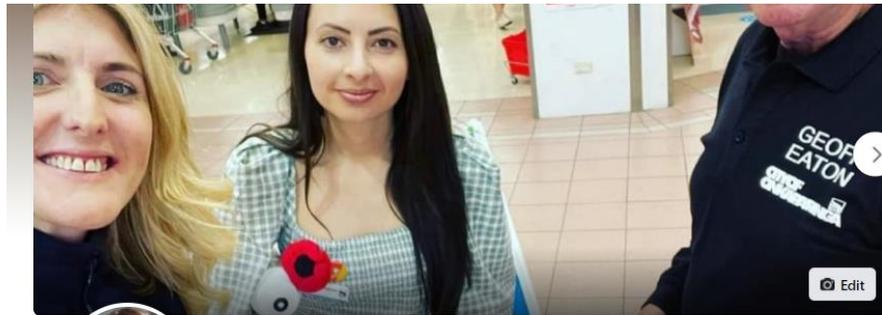
UPDATE - Developers for the proposed Bolton Court Child Care Centre have responded to the submissions made by residents.

5 are listed in favour of the proposal, and 20 with concerns (including 14 who wish to speak at the hearing).

The Cap meeting will be heard on Thursday 17th of February, where we will have an outcome from the panel on the proposal.

Due to the Planning reform changes there is no right of appeal after the decision has been made.

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