Port Wakefield Overpass and Highway Duplication Project

Community Information Session, 10 September 2019

The Australian and South Australian Governments have committed \$90 million (\$72 million from the Australian Government and \$18 million from the South Australian Government) for the Port Wakefield Overpass and Highway Duplication Project.

A Concept Design was released in August 2018. On 28 January 2019, the South Australian Government announced new design options were being considered, which has resulted in an updated Concept Design taking into account feedback from stakeholders.

Features of the updated Concept Design include:

- Two lanes in each direction through the Port Wakefield Township with provisions for safe U-turn movements.
- A realigned dual carriageway through the Port Wakefield Township, allowing for increased parking and landscaping opportunities, as well as safer vehicle and pedestrian movements;
- A realigned Balaklava Road intersection with the Port Wakefield Highway, allowing for safer turn movements.
- A new two-lane overpass for traffic traveling southbound from the Copper Coast Highway to Port Wakefield, and for traffic travelling along the Augusta Highway to the Copper Coast Highway.
- The new overpass will remove all hazardous at-grade turn movements at the intersection of the Port Wakefield Highway, Copper Coast Highway and Augusta Highway.

The project will improve traffic flow and reduce congestion for all road users, particularly during peak travel times and public holidays, and improve safety and freight productivity along the National Land Transport Network.

Invitation

You are invited to meet the Port Wakefield Overpass and Highway Duplication Project team, learn more about the project and see the latest concept design. The session will be an informal 'drop-in' style event, with members of the project team available to answer any questions.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people are encouraged to attend and partake.

When: Tuesday, 10 September 2019

Where: Eagles Sports & Community Centre - Lot 149 Burra St, Port Wakefield

Time: 4:30 – 6:30 pm

Should you require further information please:

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Kind regards,

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