

Great Western Bridge demolition

What's happening:

We are about to start work to remove the Great Western Bridge.

This will involve the temporary closure of the boat ramp off Burgoyne Street. An alternative launch site for boats is at Camp Point Beach. The Carpenters Landing Public Boat Ramp at La France Terrace will not be impacted by the work and will remain open.

Temporary works will be undertaken to establish our site office on the corner of Burgoyne and Mellor streets and exclusion zones around the Great Western Bridge. Main works are expected to commence this month.

During the works, an exclusion zone will be established around the worksite to ensure community safety. This will be in place for approximately five months.

Following the project's 50% completion milestone and the installation of navigation markers, a navigation channel will open to support access to the northern gulf waters. The re-opening of the shipping channel is currently scheduled for July 2024, weather permitting. This will support the peak King Fish recreational fishing season, in the upper gulf waters.

How this affects you:

There will be some truck movement to and from the site during this time. We will also be using a vacant site off Matthews Street for storage.

There will be changes to traffic conditions to keep everyone safe. Please follow traffic management directions while works are in progress. During the works, there will be some noisy disruptions from time to time, but we'll do our best to keep the noise to a minimum.

When

March to September
2024

Hours of operation

between 7am and 7pm,
Monday to Friday

Where

- On the corner of Burgoyne Street and Mellor Street Port Augusta
- The boat ramp off of Burgoyne Street.



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Some property access may be temporarily impacted during the works, but we will do our best to maintain access to businesses in the area. The project team will contact affected property owners, residents, and businesses directly in advance of any temporary impact.

For further information:

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