

# Minutes of Meeting

## Darlington Upgrade Project

### Community Liaison Group Meeting

25 July 2019



**SUBJECT:** Community Liaison Group Meeting  
Construction Phase  
Meeting 18

**Date:** 25 July 2019  
**Start:** 6:30pm  
**Finish:** 7:45pm

**ATTENDEES:**

Yvonne Todd (City of Mitcham), Tyla Clayson (DPTI), Neil Welsh (DPTI), Scott Schiphorst (DPTI), Matt Leek (DPTI)

Zone 2 – Daryl Ottewill,

Zone 3 – Suzi Morphett, Irene Stockbridge

Zone 5 – David Hack, Bruce Cussans

Task	Discussion	Action
<b>1. Welcome and Apologies</b>	<p><b>Welcome:</b> Scott Schiphorst (DPTI)</p> <p><b>Apologies:</b> John Sanderson (City of Mitcham), Matt Pearson (Tonsley Hotel), Alan Brodie (McDonalds), Raelene Telfer (City of Marion), Reynold David (Zone 1), Tony Kershaw (Zone 4), Simon Hope (Zone 4), Daryl Ottewill (Zone 2), Amie Horner (GS), Julian Mutinelli (GS)</p>	
<b>2. Review Minutes of Previous Meeting</b>	Minutes of previous meeting (13 June) were reviewed and endorsed.	
	<p><b>Actions from previous meeting</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Review distribution list as it looks like some members may not be receiving minutes or correspondence. <b>CLOSED</b></li> <li>The 'No Standing' section on Sturt Road is being used for parking by NBN Contractors and MTM traffic management. <b>CLOSED</b></li> </ul>	
<b>3. Work Health and Safety</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Irene</b> - Birch Crescent has been a lot better now without contractors not parking their vehicles along the street.</li> <li>When exiting Mimosa Crescent is hard after the latest traffic switch. When will the Mimosa/Sutton intersection be in operation? 10-12 Weeks TBC</li> <li><b>John Jones</b> – U-turn on Brookside Road, traffic cutting through Coles service station with a number of near misses.</li> <li>Main South Road pedestrian underpass not safe after a rain event.</li> <li>When will bus stop 29 on Main South Road southbound reopen?</li> </ul>	<p><b>ACTION</b></p> <p><b>ACTION</b></p>
<b>4. Project Update</b>	<p><b>Scott Schiphorst provided the below update of current works:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Southern end requires last layer of asphalt, due to be complete over the coming months</li> <li>Major traffic switch occurred last weekend with partial opening of the lowered motorway</li> <li>Start of construction of surface road to final design</li> <li>Ayliffes Road bridge works ongoing, off ramp works continue ready for opening to traffic in the coming months.</li> <li>Next major traffic switch will include the opening of Ayliffes Road bridge.</li> </ul>	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• On-going remediation works on revetment walls on the eastern side of the lowered motorway.</li> <li>• Tonsley Boulevard bridge works are progressing well with permanent access arrangements to be in place this weekend. Excavation has been completed underneath the structure and drainage works are ongoing for the next couple of months. Asphalt will then be placed underneath, for the lowered motorway.</li> </ul> <p><b>Upcoming works:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Completion of Ayliffes Road bridge and opening to traffic</li> <li>• Tonsley intersection completion</li> <li>• Main South Road surface roads completed to final design</li> <li>• Final kerbing works</li> <li>• Landscaping ongoing</li> <li>• Final cycle path and bus stop works</li> </ul>	
<p><b>5. Flinders Link Update</b></p>	<p><b>Neil Welsh provided the below update:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Closure of the Tonsley railway station occurred on Friday 28 June (after last service).</li> <li>• Services terminate at Clovelly Park station on the Tonsley line for the duration of construction of the Flinders Link Project.</li> <li>• It is expected that passenger services will be operating on the new section of line in Q3 of 2020.</li> <li>• Minister held a Sod turning event on Friday 19 July for the start of construction. Very successful event.</li> <li>• Vegetation removal has been undertaken along Lynton Avenue and Birch Crescent.</li> <li>• Over the coming months piers will be visible between Sturt Road and Main South Road.</li> <li>• Main South Road closures will be required to install the bridge girders.</li> <li>• Piling is currently being undertaken on Flinders oval for Abutment B of the viaduct.</li> <li>• Works for the project will be generally undertaken from Monday to Saturday between the hours of 7am and 7pm. Night works will be undertaken by exception and advance notice will be provided to residents and stakeholders.</li> <li>• Tonsley line review is currently with the Minister's office, information regarding the feedback from the consultation will be made public once approved.</li> <li>• Irene- great job on the notification regarding works for the Flinders Link project, has been great community engagement.</li> <li>• Suzi – The vegetation which was removed along Birch Crescent is much better as there are no trees hanging over the road.</li> </ul>	
<p><b>6. Round The Table</b></p>	<p><b>John Jones</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alan Brodie – will vehicles be allowed to exit McDonalds Main South Road driveway use the U-turn to head northbound? SS advised this will be possible. Southern end to be complete approximately late August.</li> </ul> <p><b>Bruce</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will there be training for emergency services on how to use the new infrastructure. SS advised that the project team meet regularly with emergency services. A run through with these stakeholders occur every time we have a major traffic switch and monthly meeting with emergency representatives is ongoing.</li> </ul> <p><b>Daryl</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will the shared use path connect through the entire area once project is complete? SS advised that full connection within the project site will be on the eastern side of main South Road.</li> </ul>	

	<p><b>David</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Selgar Avenue link road into the Tonsley precinct – SS provided update on the progress of the potential link road options.</li> </ul> <p><b>John</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rat running through Bedford Park South continuing. Will Richard Street be open at the completion of the project. SS advised Richard will be open and will provide timing of opening at next meeting.</li> </ul> <p><b>Irene</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>When will Mimosa/Sutton bridge signals be operational? SS advised this intersection will come online with the next major traffic switch in approximately 10-12 weeks TBC</li> </ul>	<p><b>ACTION</b></p> <p><b>ACTION</b></p>
<b>7. Meeting closed and next meeting</b>	Meeting closed: 7:45pm Next meeting Thursday 5 September 2019, 6:30pm – 8.30pm.	

<b>Date</b>	<b>Description of Action</b>	<b>Responsible</b>	<b>Due Date</b>
July	When will the Mimosa/Sutton intersection be in operation?	GS	September
July	Richard will be open and will provide timing of opening at next meeting.	GS	September
July	When will bus stop 29 on Main South Road reopen?	GS	September
July	Can fencing on top of barriers on Sturt Road be removed?	GS	September