North-South Corridor

Darlington Upgrade Project

Major access changes to Flinders Drive and Sturt Road Bedford Park, July 2018

The Darlington Upgrade Project is being constructed in stages to ensure that traffic continues to flow efficiently through this important section of the North-South Corridor while works are underway.

A major traffic switch involving the reconfiguration of northbound traffic on Main South Road between the Southern Expressway and Sturt Road will allow for lowered motorway excavation works in this area.

This traffic switch will occur from 8pm Friday 20 July until 6am Monday 23 July and will result in significant changes to the way you access Flinders Drive and Sturt Road. Please see the information below for further details.

Traffic arrangements

Northbound traffic exiting the Southern Expressway and northbound traffic travelling on the section of Main South Road between Brookside Road and Sturt Road will be split into two separate traffic streams.

One stream will accommodate traffic continuing on Main South Road and the other will carry traffic accessing Flinders Drive.

Southbound traffic on Main South Road and the Southern Expressway will not be affected.

These traffic arrangements will be in place until mid 2019.

Main South Road traffic

- Northbound traffic on Main South Road wanting to continue travelling straight will be switched onto the new Main South Road bridge over the Southern Expressway.
 Important note regarding access to Sturt Road: Motorists using these lanes will not be able to turn right into Sturt Road. These motorists will need to either turn left onto Marion Road in order to access Sturt Road or undertake a U-turn on Ayllifes Road. The left turn to Sturt Road will remain.
- Northbound motorists on Main South Road accessing Flinders Drive will be required to position themselves in the right hand lane, just prior to Brookside Drive. This lane is shown in blue on the plan overleaf.

Southern Expressway traffic

- Northbound motorists on the Southern
 Expressway continuing northbound on Main
 South Road will be required to be in the two
 left-hand lanes. Important note regarding
 access to Sturt Road: Motorists using these
 lanes will not be able to turn left onto Sturt
 Road. It will be necessary to exit via the
 Marion Road off-ramp in order to access Sturt
 Road. The right turn into Sturt Road will
 remain available.
- Northbound motorists on the Southern Expressway wanting to access Flinders Drive will be required to position themselves in the right lane in order to access lanes to Flinders Drive. These lanes are also shown in blue on the attached map.

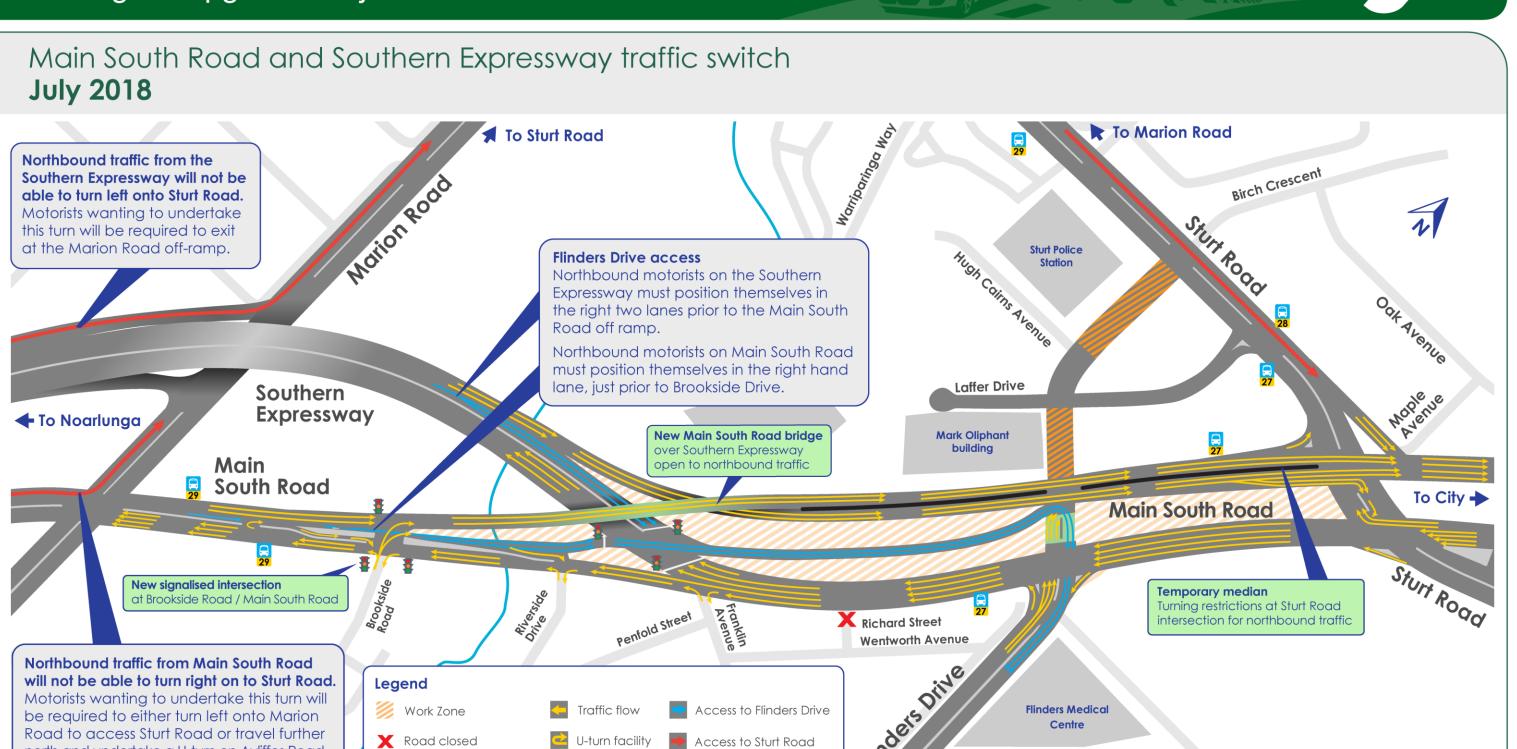




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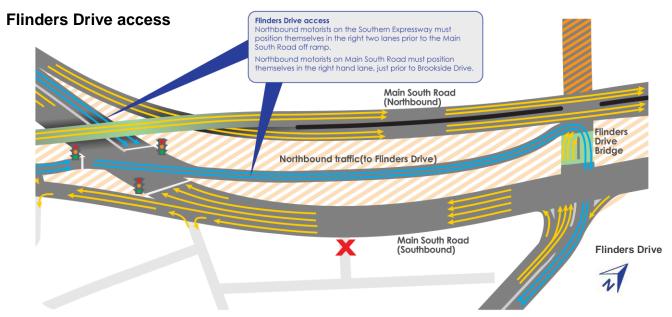


Bus stop

Temporary solid median

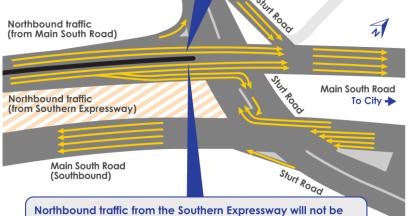






Sturt Road access

Northbound traffic from Main South Road will not be able to turn right on to Sturt Road. Motorists wanting to undertake this turn will be required to either turn left onto Marion Road to access Sturt Road or travel further north and undertake a U-turn on Ayliffes Road.



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For more information

Call: 1300 759 334

Email: enquiries@gatewaysouth.com.au

Visit: infrastructure.sa.gov.au/darlington

Drop in to the project site office:On the corner of Laffer Drive and Sturt Road, Bedford Park

The project supports equitable access to information. Translation of project information will be provided on request.

Cyclist & Pedestrian access

Northbound cyclists on Main South Road will be shifted onto the new Main South Road bridge over the Southern Expressway.

The pedestrian crossing at the Flinders Drive/Main South Road intersection will be relocated to the northern side of the intersection.

Brookside Road intersection

A new signalised intersection has been constructed at Brookside Road and Main South Road and will become operational over the weekend of the traffic switch.

Bus users

Due to the change in access arrangements, bus stop 27 (northbound) on Main South Road will not be serviced by T721 and T722 in the morning peak period from Monday to Friday.

All other bus stops and bus routes will remain unaffected. Visit www.adelaidemetro.com.au for information on changes to bus stops and timetables.

Drive with care

Please plan ahead, allow additional travel time, take extra care when workers are on site and observe speed and lane restrictions.