

Penola Northern Bypass Project

Dear Resident / Business Owner,

In 2018, the South Australian Government announced the Penola Northern Bypass as part of the State Budget.

The Penola Northern Bypass forms part of a commitment to deliver a complete bypass of the Penola Township, which is a joint initiative of the Australian and South Australian Governments and the Wattle Range Council.

This \$14.6 million project has been jointly funded with the Australian Government contributing \$11.7 million and the South Australian Government providing the remaining \$2.9 million. The Wattle Range Council also contributed, funding the property acquisition requirements for the bypass.

The completed Penola Northern Bypass will be a continuation of the Penola Southern Bypass and aims to significantly reduce heavy vehicle traffic volumes through the Penola township, reduce conflict between heavy vehicles, pedestrians and local traffic within Penola, reduce travel time and create improved access for heavy vehicles.

The project includes:

- Construction of a new 2.2 kilometre road.
- A new T-junction at Riddoch Highway and the Penola Northern Bypass.
- Realignment of the T-junction at Riddoch Highway and the Penola Southern Bypass.
- Upgrading the junction of the Penola Bypass and Robe to Clay Wells Road (where the Northern and Southern Bypass' meet) to a staggered T-junction.
- Road LED lighting at the three junctions and drainage infrastructure.
- Realignment of the Shared Use Path to the Greenrise Recreation Area.

The Department of Transport, Planning and Infrastructure and Wattle Range Council would like to invite you to drop in to an information session to learn more about the project.

Information sessions will be held at the Penola Coonawarra Visitor Information Centre, 27 Arthur Street, Penola at the following times:

- **Tuesday, 20 August between 6pm and 8pm.**
- **Wednesday, 21 August between Midday and 2pm.**

Should you require further information please:

- Email: DPTI.communityrelations@sa.gov.au
- Phone: 1300 794 880
- Visit: dpti.sa.gov.au/penolabypass

Kind regards,

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