

Main South Road Upgrades

Project Update September 2026

We're delivering three new overtaking lanes along Main South Road between Normanville and Cape Jervis.

What's happening

Construction is continuing on the three new overtaking lanes between Normanville and Cape Jervis, as earthworks and drainage works at Wirrina Cove, Second Valley and Cape Jervis near completion.

We will soon begin pavement construction for the new overtaking lanes and asphalt the new road surface.

Upcoming activities for construction of the overtaking lanes at Wirrina, Second Valley and Cape Jervis include:

- drainage installation
- pavement construction
- completion of earthworks and rock excavation-at Second Valley
- earthworks material will continue to be transported to the stockpile location at Wirrina Cove until early October.

How this affects you

Higher than average rainfall has affected the construction program. To help keep the project progressing, weekend works will be required every second weekend at each site from 7am to 5pm until end 2026. The project is expected to be completed in early 2027.

These upgrades will improve safety and traffic flow for local residents, tourists and freight operators, while supporting future growth in the region.

When

September 2026 to Early 2027

Hours of work

Monday to Friday

7am to 6pm

Every second weekend

Saturday 7am to 5pm

Sunday 7am to 5pm

Where

Three locations along Main South Road, near Wirrina Cove, Second Valley and Cape Jervis

More information

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To safely complete construction activities, traffic is now operating under shuttle flow conditions to allow safe vehicle movements and enable work to be carried out behind barriers.

Some delays may be experienced when travelling through the work areas.

Please follow the direction of traffic management and adhere to road signage.

Stay informed

Thank you for your patience and understanding while we deliver this important upgrade.

To receive future project updates, please visit the project website or contact the project team using the details below.

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