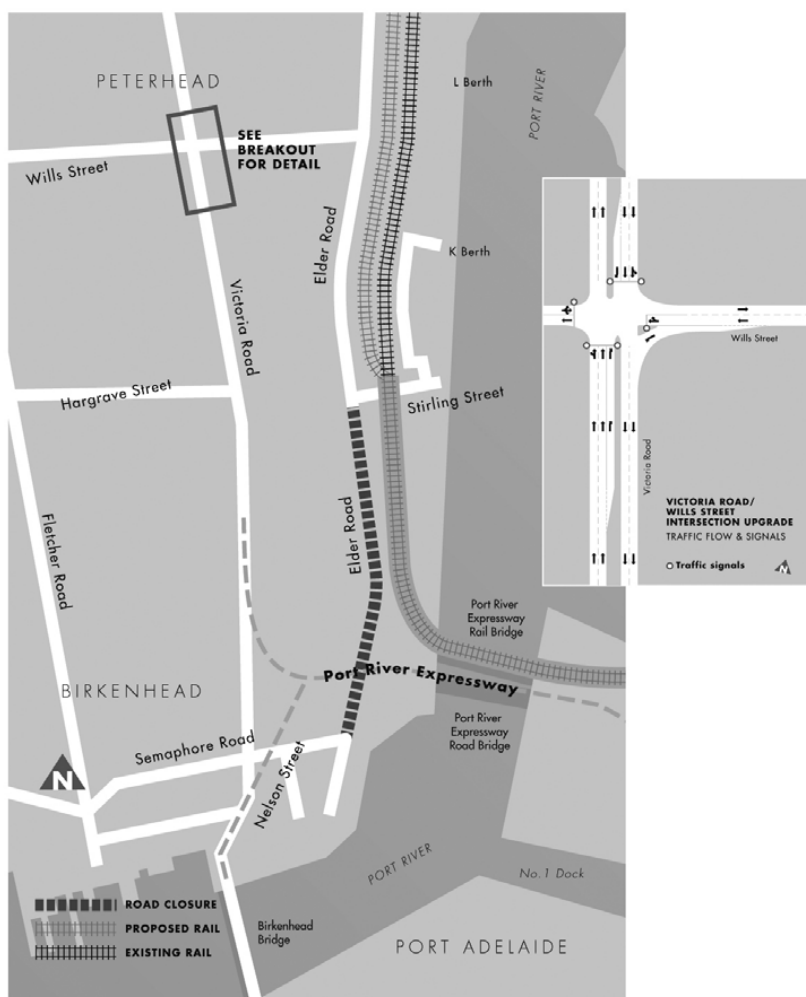




CHANGES TO ELDER ROAD AND INTERSECTION OF VICTORIA ROAD AND WILLS STREET



The section of Elder Road between Stirling Street and Walker Street, Birkenhead will be closed permanently from Friday 26 May 2006 (weather permitting) as part of overall works for the Port River Expressway project.

As a result of this road closure, access to businesses along Elder Road south of Stirling Street will be maintained via a private road and the existing pedestrian and bicycle lanes will also be maintained along this section of Elder Road. Elder Road south of Walker Street will remain open to provide access to private properties and to the boat ramp on the Port River.

As a result of the closure, the intersection of Victoria Road and Wills Street is currently being upgraded to provide alternative access to Elder Road. The upgrade involves the installation of traffic signals and protected turning lanes to improve the safety at this intersection (see plan above). These works will be completed and operational prior to the closure of the section of Elder Road.

Normal construction hours are Monday to Friday between 7am to 6pm and Saturdays between 7am to 3.30pm. Residents will be notified in advance of any works to be undertaken outside these hours.

For further information on construction activities, please contact Abigroup by phoning 1300 130 653. Alternatively, email portriver@abigroup.com.au or log onto the project website www.transport.sa.gov.au/transport_network/projects/port_xpress.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience during these essential works.

