

# Arnhem Highway – Adelaide River Floodplain Upgrade

Dear Stakeholder,

The Australian and Northern Territory Governments are funding a major upgrade of the Arnhem Highway across the Adelaide River Floodplain.

The upgrade project will reduce road closures during the wet season along the Arnhem Highway due to flooding of the Adelaide River floodplain by raising the road level and improving under road drainage.

The next stage of works involves matching the new roadway with the current road at either end of the project and either side of the Adelaide River Bridge.

Works on these matching in sections of the Arnhem Highway will occur over the next three months.

Traffic management will be in place to enable these works to occur while ensuring road user safety. Traffic management at these locations will involve lane closures, speed reductions, temporary works and detours. Specific after hours arrangements will be in place over nights and weekends when works are not occurring.

The works either side of the existing Adelaide River Bridge are heavily constrained by the bridge width (6.5m) between the bridge barriers and guardrails. Localised matching in works will have a greater impact on traffic flows. Road users should expect some delays for short periods. These periods will span multiple shifts/day and night. While every effort will be made to minimise traffic delays and interruptions, some delays are unavoidable.

The project team greatly appreciates road users understanding and co-operation during construction enabling this key strategic project to improve access, safety and efficiencies into the future.

For any queries or further information about the project, please email [communication.dipl@nt.gov.au](mailto:communication.dipl@nt.gov.au) or call the project hotline number on **1800 560 308**.

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