

Eyre Peninsula desalination project update

Increased activity on St Andrews Drive

More than 100 workers are now on the job at our busy desalination plant site at Billy Lights Point.

We still have traffic management on St Andrews Drive near the site entrance to maintain safety for the community.

If you are in the area, please be aware that there may be a single lane in use on St Andrews Drive.

The bulk earthworks have been completed, and the terrestrial pipe works that will take seawater from the intake pump station to the processing plant are two-thirds complete. Other activities include structural works, drainage, and installation of electrical and communications conduits.

Our lead contractor, Acciona, continues to progress works across the site with significant plant and

equipment due to arrive at the site throughout June 2026.

Thanks again to the community for your patience while we have traffic management in place.

Road reinstatement nears completion

Now that the 7-kilometre transfer pipeline has been completed, works are underway to reinstate roads.

These roads include Proper Bay Road and the lower section of Bluefin Road where the transfer pipeline was installed — these pipes will deliver desalinated water to the drinking water network at North Side Hill.

Reinstatement work is still ongoing along one section of Greyhound Road; the improved all-weather road will soon be accessible to the public.

SA Power Networks update

An extension of the electricity network from the main city substation to Billy Lights Point is another step closer. Power poles have been installed along an easement between Greyhound Road and Billy Lights Point, with overhead line stringing underway.

Power poles have also been erected near Navigator College, along the unsealed portion of Windsor Road.



Let's keep saving water

Our team hit the road recently, sharing water saving tips with the community. Everyone has a role to play while we are at water security level 2, and the team visited councils, caravan parks, hotels and motels across the EP to share 'Let's keep saving water' stickers.

Next time you're washing down your boat or filleting your fish, our stickers will be there to remind everyone in the community to keep saving our most precious resource — water.



Stay informed and get in touch

Stay in the loop as our project takes shape. With construction now well underway, it is the perfect time to make sure you and those around you are receiving the latest updates.



Encourage your family, friends, and neighbours to scan the QR code and sign up for construction news, so no one misses out on important project progress.

If you have any questions or would like to chat with someone from our project team, please get in touch. We would love to hear from you.



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