

Community update on water and wastewater works

May 2025

Since January, we've been making steady progress on essential water and wastewater infrastructure in your area, with construction underway along roads in Elizabeth North, Davoren Park, Blakeview, Munno Para, Edinburgh North, Virginia, Gawler Belt, Gawler East and Sandy Creek.

You might have spotted our massive 12.2m, 6-tonne pipes being carefully lifted into place by 95-tonne cranes. Crews are currently installing between 1-3 lengths of pipe each day as part of the ongoing works.

We're taking steps to minimise disruption during construction – including working on verges rather than in the road where possible and scheduling out-of-hours work to help reduce traffic impacts.

These works are part of vital upgrades to support South Australia's Housing Roadmap – enabling the development of up to 11,000 new homes, while keeping your services running smoothly and ensuring reliable water and wastewater services now and into the future.



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Look for interpreter service details at watertalks.sawater.com.au.

Works near you

If you live in a street or suburb affected by the works, you may have already been contacted by our team, or we will contact you before construction begins.

For more details of work locations and dates, visit watertalks.sawater.com.au

Curtis Road and connector roads

Where possible, our crews are working in verges and adjacent roads to minimise traffic impacts.

Date	Work
Mid-late May 2025	Water pipeline installation on Craigmore Road finishes.
Mid-May — early June 2025	Water pipeline installation under Main North Road at the Craigmore Road/Curtis Road intersection.
Late May 2025 — mid-2025	Water pipeline installation from the Main North Road intersection at Munno Para, moving west along Gardiner Terrace, parallel to Curtis Road.
Late May 2025 — mid-2025	Water pipeline installation along Davison Crescent, Smithfield Plains, parallel to Curtis Road.
May 2025 — late 2025	Wastewater pipeline installation north along Andrews Road from Penfield to Curtis Road.
May 2025 — late 2025	Wastewater pipeline installation on Curtis Road between Andrews Road and President Avenue.

Major construction works along Curtis Road are expected to continue until early 2026.

Edinburgh North

Date	Work
May 2025 — mid-2025	Wastewater pipeline installation continues at the intersection of Bellchambers and Stebonheath Roads.

Gawler East, Gawler Belt and Concordia

Date	Work
Late May 2025 — late 2025	Water pipeline installation on Sunnydale Avenue.
May — late 2025	Water pipeline installation continues along Martin Road.
May — late 2025	Wastewater pipeline installation along Twartz Road, heading towards Kentish and Paternoster Roads.

Sandy Creek

Date	Work
Late April — late May 2025	Kalperri Road widened near our construction zone to help maintain traffic flow during works. Earthworks are also continuing at the tank construction site off Kalperri Road.

Continuing works

- **Virginia:** night works along Angle Vale Road continuing until July 2025.
- **Elizabeth North and Davoren Park:** crews continuing east along Bishopstone Road, Meadows Lane and Gerald Boulevard and west along Whiteparish Road, Old Sarum Road, Donnington Road, and Whiting Court.

What to expect

- most works will take place Mondays to Fridays from 6am to 5pm and on some Saturdays
- minor delays, traffic changes and detours, and some noise, vibration and dust
- some night works.

To find out more about the traffic interruptions in your area visit [watertalks.sawater.com.au](https://www.watertalks.sawater.com.au)

Project spotlight

Vibration monitoring during construction

You might occasionally feel vibration from heavy machinery, such as large excavators or vibrating rollers. While this can be noticeable, please be assured it doesn't mean there's any risk of structural damage to nearby properties.

To monitor vibration levels, we've installed vibration monitors next to our works on Bishopstone Road, Davoren Park and Whiteparish Road, Elizabeth North. Our crews are following best practice procedures to minimise vibration and reduce any potential impact as much as possible.

Did you know?

This is the largest expansion of our metropolitan water and wastewater network in decades – on a scale not seen since the infrastructure that enabled the suburb of Elizabeth to be established in the 1950s.

Your questions answered

What if an emergency services vehicle needs to get through the works?

We work closely with emergency services to keep them informed about road closures and ensure they have clear access to alternative routes. Safety and accessibility are a priority for us, and we engage regularly with local government agencies and emergency services before any work begins.

Can I still access the shops?

Yes – access to local shops will remain available throughout the works. If needed, temporary driveways and entrances will be created specifically for shops and business premises to ensure you can still reach them. Some residential driveways may be temporarily blocked on occasion and if this affects you, we will notify you in advance.

Share your feedback

As we upgrade our water and wastewater networks, we'd love to hear from you.

Your feedback helps us understand what's working well and where we can improve.



Scan the QR code to **have your say** in our survey.



Want to chat?

We're always happy to hear your questions and feedback.

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