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CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

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Reid Highway Interchanges Project

Altone Road and Drumpellier Drive / Daviot Road

Major construction activities ramp up as new work areas open

Temporary roundabout at Reid Highway / Altone Road

The temporary roundabout at the Reid Highway and Altone Road intersection is planned to become operational in early May 2026.

The roundabout is located north of the existing intersection and utilises sections of the future permanent ramp and roundabout arrangement.

Temporary closure – Altone Road

To safely implement the roundabout, Altone Road between Bennett Springs Drive and Amazon Drive will be closed from 7pm Friday 1 May to 5am Monday 4 May 2026.

Please note, these works are weather dependent. In the event of rain, the works and associated road closure will be rescheduled to the following weekend (8 to 11 May).

Vehicle detours

Detours will be in place via Drumpellier Drive and Daviot Road. Traffic management will be in place to maintain local access to properties on Altone Road.

Reid Highway will remain open throughout the weekend works, with one lane operating in each direction.

For further details, please refer to the enclosed detour map.

Bus diversions

Transperth bus services 355 and 356 that normally travel along Altone Road will be rerouted during the closure period, with some stops temporarily relocated or closed. Passengers are encouraged to plan ahead by checking the [Transperth Journey Planner](#) for updated route and stop information.

Construction activity

During the closure, crews will work 24/7 to connect the roundabout to the existing road network and complete line marking, barrier adjustments and installation of new signage.

Some construction noise and vibration are expected during these works, particularly during surface grinding to remove existing line marking and installation of new barriers.

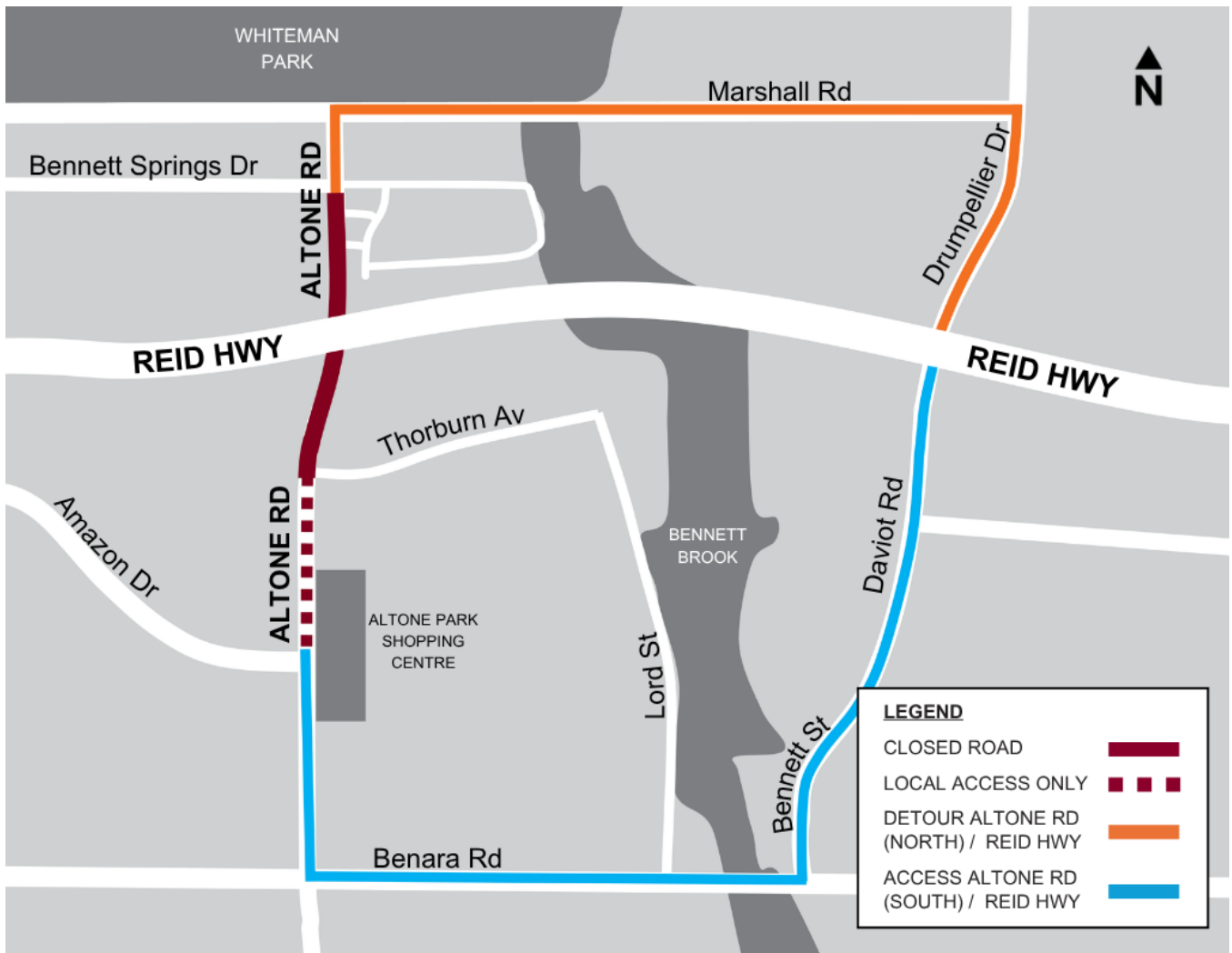
How the temporary roundabout will operate

Once operational, the roundabout will provide:

- two lanes in each direction on Reid Highway
- two lanes on approach from Altone Road
- one lane in each direction exiting onto Altone Road

The speed limit on Reid Highway will be 60km/h, with Altone Road reduced to 40km/h on approach to the roundabout.

Road users are encouraged to plan ahead and allow extra travel time once the roundabout is in place, as some delays are expected, particularly during peak periods.



Working hours

Our standard construction hours are Monday to Saturday, 7am to 5pm.

Some activities may require works outside of these hours, including Sunday and night works.

Night works are typically undertaken between Sunday and Thursday, 7pm to 7am. These are required to safely complete certain activities, particularly when working close to live traffic on Reid Highway where lane closures are necessary.

Where possible, works are scheduled during standard hours to minimise impacts to the community.

Weather impacts

As we move into the cooler months, weather conditions may impact the timing and sequencing

of works. Activities such as pavement construction and asphaltting are particularly sensitive to rainfall and ground moisture, which can affect the material quality and compaction.

During periods of rain, some works may be delayed, rescheduled or extended at short notice to ensure they are completed to the required standard.

Site activity – Altone Road intersection

Roundabout preparation works

Works will continue throughout April, including intermittent nightworks, to prepare for the roundabout. Activities include asphaltting and installation of kerbing, barriers and signage.

Intermittent after hours works will be required, with works carried out between Sunday and

Thursday, 7pm to 7am. Partial lane closures and reduced speeds (40km/h) will be in place on Reid Highway to allow crews to work safely.

Reid Highway pavement construction

With traffic now shifted to the southern side between Altone Road and Drumpellier Drive / Daviot Road, crews have removed the existing pavement and begun pavement construction starting at the Altone Road intersection and progressing east towards Bennett Brook Bridge.

These works will involve placing and compacting multiple pavement layers and may generate some noise and vibration.

Earthworks and retaining walls

Material import is continuing for the western bridge embankment and in the south-east quadrant of the intersection throughout April.

In the south-west of Reid and Altone, material from higher sections is being relocated to lower areas to achieve the required levels. Once the area is level, crews will construct a section of limestone retaining wall to support the new ground levels and surrounding infrastructure.

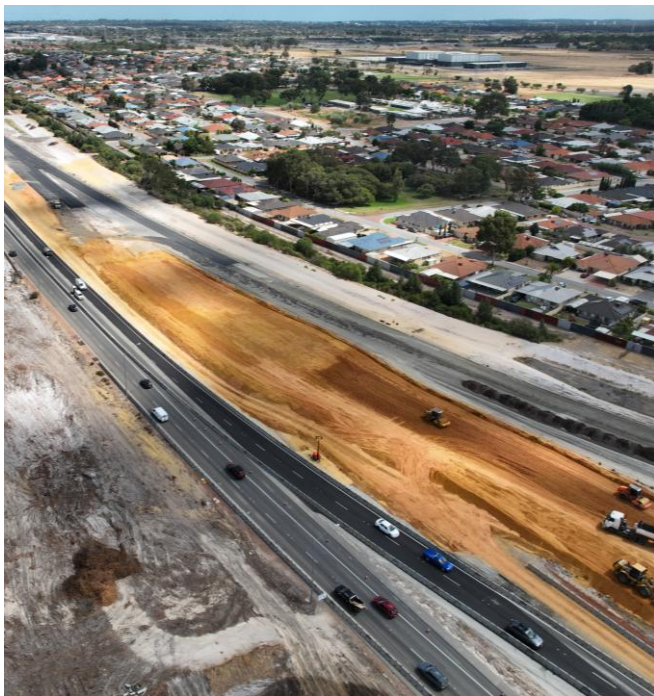


Image: *Western bridge embankment construction at Reid/Altone.*

Altone Road drainage and pavement works

Upgrades to the Emu Swamp Drain are underway near Shelduck Park. Once complete, construction of the future northbound lanes of Altone Road can commence.

Site activity – Drumpellier Drive / Daviot Road intersection

Bridge abutment works

Construction of the bridge footings for the future Drumpellier/Daviot bridge abutments is underway, with crews installing formwork and reinforcement and completing concrete pours.

A concrete pour is scheduled for the southern abutment in mid-April. These works require early morning starts to support concrete delivery and placement under suitable temperature conditions. Nearby residents may experience some noise due to the use of concrete vehicles and equipment.

Once the bridge footings are complete, delivery and installation of prefabricated bridge panels will take place.

Bulk earthworks and fill import will also continue across the interchange to build the embankments and ramps to their required levels.

Drumpellier and Daviot pavement works

Pavement construction began along sections of Drumpellier Drive and Daviot Road in late March and will continue throughout April. These works are being carried out offline, east of the existing lanes, and will support future traffic switches. Activities include ground preparation, placement and compaction of road base materials, and asphaltting.

Crews will also construct new drainage infrastructure east of Daviot Road, including drainage pits and underground pipework, to improve drainage and support the long-term performance of the road network.

Grandis Road underpass works

The Grandis Road underpass will be extended, with new underpasses constructed beneath the future on and off ramps.

From April, crews will remove the existing wingwalls and commence construction of the concrete blinding and footings.

Drainage works will also continue in the area, including construction of culvert headwalls.



Image: Drainage works northeast of Drumpellier Drive / Reid Highway.

Further information

If you have concerns during any of our works, please contact the Main Roads Customer Information Centre on **138 138** (available 24/7).

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