



# Nicholson Road, Garden Street and Yale Road Grade Separation

## About the project

Development work is underway to build a bridge over the current roundabout at Nicholson Road, Garden Street and Yale Road junction in Thornlie to improve safety and efficiency and reduce congestion at the well-known congestion location. The existing roundabout will be retained, allowing all movements between these roads. Movements between Nicholson Road (north approach) and Garden Street will also be directed onto the new bridge over the existing roundabout.

### Scope of works:

- Construct a bridge to connect Garden Street and Nicholson Road that sits over the existing roundabout.
- Realign and widen the slip road on Nicholson Road eastbound to Nicholson Road northbound.
- Create drainage that suits the upgraded road environment.
- Extend the existing pedestrian/cyclist underpass and a local path network within the project area.
- Construct noise and screen walls, where planning policy requires, and in agreement with the City of Gosnells.
- Relocate impacted services (electricity, telecommunication, water, gas and sewer).

## Project visualisation and map

A project animation outlining the proposed key project features is available on our project webpage at

<https://www.mainroads.wa.gov.au/nicholson-rd-and-garden-st>

A map is also viewable overleaf and on the project webpage.

## Project status

Early designs are being developed for road, bridge, pedestrian and cycling infrastructure, and drainage within the project area, as well as early concepts for urban landscape and design, noise mitigation and visual screening.

We are also liaising with service authorities including Western Power, ATCO, Telstra and telecommunication service providers, and Water Corporation, regarding relocation of impacted services.

Planning work is continuing to better determine access and connectivity at side roads, noise and visual screening requirements to adjacent properties and proposals to provide for better active transport options for people walking and riding to and from the future Nicholson Road Station.

Early works for the project are commencing in October 2024, including ATCO gas relocation and the shared path underpass extension. Western Power relocation works will commence in mid-2025.

The Nicholson Road Station contractor, NEWest Alliance, will construct the shared path underpass extension on behalf of the project to minimise future disruption of access to the newly opened Nicholson Road Station.

### Online survey – let us know your thoughts!

Community input is being sought via an online survey, focussing on traffic related matters, local access and connectivity, noise and visual screening and active transport connections for these works.

The online survey is open from 1 to 24 November 2024 and is available on the project webpage at [www.mainroads.wa.gov.au/nicholson-rd-and-garden-st](http://www.mainroads.wa.gov.au/nicholson-rd-and-garden-st)

We are also working with the City of Gosnells to better understand the infrastructure needs for the future, and meeting with stakeholders to discuss the project's planning further and understand their concerns and requirements.

### Sign up for email updates

You can register for project updates by visiting the project webpage at [www.mainroads.wa.gov.au/nicholson-rd-and-garden-st](http://www.mainroads.wa.gov.au/nicholson-rd-and-garden-st) and subscribing for email updates.

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