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Dear Resident

IMPORTANT INFORMATION PLEASE READ

SOUTH ROAD UPGRADE / ANZAC HIGHWAY UNDERPASS PROJECT –CHANGES TO TENNYSON STREET ACCESS ARRANGEMENTS

I wish to advise you that in preparation for the completion of the northbound entry ramp (the new access slip lane from ANZAC Highway near the Emergency Veterinary Hospital to South Road near Tennyson Street), some access changes to Tennyson Street will be implemented.

What access changes will be made to Tennyson Street?

- From Tuesday 25th March 2008 – **no right turns into or out of Tennyson Street at South Road will be permitted.** This will be a permanent local street access change from the above date and is consistent with the final design arrangements. *Please note: Left turns in and out of Tennyson Street will still be permitted.*
- From Monday 31st March 2008 – **a temporary full road closure of Tennyson Street at the South Road end will be implemented until the end of April (approx.)** when the northbound entry ramp tie-in near Tennyson Street is completed. *Please note: No access into Tennyson Street at South Road from any direction will be permitted during this period.*
- From the end of April 2008 (approx.) - **left in and out of Tennyson Street only at South Road will be permitted.** *Please note: Tennyson Street will be re-instated as per the final design arrangements, with no right turns into or out of Tennyson Street.*

What works will be happening and during what times?

When Tennyson Street is closed, general earthworks including excavation, pavement and asphaltting works will be undertaken during normal work hours from 7am to 5pm Monday to Friday to complete the new road way (northbound entry ramp). The works will be managed to ensure that any disruption to residents is minimised.

What will happen to Bus Stop 4a?

Bus Stop 4a on South Road will move from its current location near Tennyson Street, to north of Hare Street from Tuesday 25th March 2008. The Public Transport Division has been consulted about this arrangement.

How will traffic on South Road be affected?

Two lanes of traffic on South Road in both directions will be maintained during peak hours. Temporary lane closures within the vicinity of the works may be implemented at other times while works are in progress. Pedestrian access from Tennyson Street onto South Road will be maintained at all times around the work site.

Traffic signage, including VMS (Variable Messages Signs) will be in place to provide advance warning to motorists in the lead up to the works occurring. Speed limits will also apply.

The City of West Torrens has been consulted and Emergency Services notified of the access changes to Tennyson Street.

I regret if access changes to Tennyson Street causes some additional inconvenience to Kurralta Park residents. Once the Stage 2 Construction Plans are implemented from June 2008 (approx) and the northbound entry ramp is open to traffic, it is anticipated that all non-local traffic will use this facility rather than use local side streets to avoid the intersection.

A detailed Stage 2 Construction Plan, outlining traffic arrangements for the following 12 months period will be included in the next Community Update, due to be distributed in May 2008.

Please call the Project Enquiry Line on **1800 334 439** or visit the website www.adelaideconnect.com.au to make an enquiry or request further information.

Yours sincerely
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