

2 November 2011

MEDIA RELEASE

FULLARTON ROAD PIPELINE WORKS

Construction works on a new SA Water pipeline to be installed along Fullarton Road, Mitcham will begin on Monday, November 7.

The pipeline works are part of the North South Interconnection System Project which consists of a range of works to connect Adelaide's northern and southern water supply networks.

Construction will occur from Delamere Avenue to Carrick Hill Drive, Mitcham and continue for approximately 5 weeks.

During the works traffic in the construction area along Fullarton Road will be reduced to one lane in each direction with reduced speed limits. Access to Fullarton Road from Hill Street and Broughton Avenue will be temporarily prevented.

There will also be a need to temporarily close Fullarton Road to all vehicles on two weekends in November, however access will be maintained for all buses and emergency vehicles. These road closures will be planned to avoid the Adelaide and Blackwood Christmas pageants.

The works are planned to start opposite Delamere Avenue on Fullarton Road and progress in a southerly direction towards Carrick Hill Drive. Detours will be in place during the road closures.

Information regarding the weekend closures will be advertised via electronic message boards located on Fullarton Road.

Pedestrian access will be maintained throughout the works and SA Water has been working with Mercedes College to help minimise the disruption of the works during school drop offs and pickups.

SA Water asks all road users to comply with safety and detour signage and adhere to reduced speed zones around the work site. We thank road users for their patience while these works are undertaken.

For more information about the works call the Eastern Pipeline Construction Hotline on **1800 799 913**.