Project update - Intersection improvements on the Princes Highway, King Georges Road and Stuart Street, Blakehurst

Roads and Maritime Services has investigated improvements to traffic flow on the Princes Highway in Blakehurst. Options considered in Blakehurst included widening the Princes Highway between James Street and Torrens Street by removing the tidal flow, and changing access to the Princes Highway from Stuart Street.

We invited feedback in October 2017 on an updated proposal to improve traffic flow on Stuart Street at the intersection of the Princes Highway and King Georges Road.

Following community interest and feedback on the proposal, a decision has been made to prioritise the works proposed to reduce congestion on the Princes Highway between James Street and Torrens Street.

The prioritised improvement on the Princes Highway will help improve safety, reduce travel times and ease congestion for 80,000 road users who travel along the corridor every day.

New signalised pedestrian crossings will provide access and improve pedestrian safety at Torrens Street, Water Street and Bunyala Street.

What happens next?
Following community feedback about the proposed works at Princess Highway and Stuart Street, Roads and Maritime will not proceed with these works. Roads and Maritime will continue to investigate safety improvements at this location and updates will be provided to the community.

We are preparing a community consultation report, summarising the matters raised during the consultation period and our responses will be made available on our website in August.