Coolalinga road safety upgrades Project update

The Northern Territory Government has released a new plan for proposed road safety upgrades planned for Coolalinga, due for construction by 2022. The engineering concept design was launched in October 2020 and tenders are currently being assessed for detailed design. This new graphic version of final concept design shows the changes to be delivered as part of the project, as well as the existing road network, to fully illustrate the benefits of the project.

The improvements to the Stuart Highway will provide safer access for all road users around the Coolalinga commercial precincts including pedestrians, through traffic and local traffic.

The Australian Government has committed \$22.91 million to this project alongside the Northern Territory Government's \$5.73 million investment.

Signalised pedestrian crossings and footpaths will be installed at popular crossing points. Once operational, the two new signalised intersections will be coordinated with the existing traffic lights on the Stuart Highway to provide smooth traffic flow and safer passage.

The project will also deliver significant upgrades to the local network including;

- Extension of service roads on both sides of the Stuart Highway.
- Extension of an existing road behind Coolalinga Central to the new signalised intersection.
- Extension of Henning Road through to Virginia Road.
- New road link between the Stuart Highway and Henning Road.

The final design has been informed by ongoing consultation and technical studies.

Construction will take place by 2022.

Works will be scheduled to minimise disruption and road users, businesses and residents will receive information throughout construction to plan in advance.

The project team will be holding a community information stall at Coolalinga Central on Friday 5 and Saturday 6 March and Coolalinga Shopping Centre on Friday 12 and Saturday 13 March between 10am and 12pm and invite you to attend.

You can also submit your feedback online, read the Frequently Asked Questions and view the detailed final design at dipl.nt.gov.au/coolalinga-road.

Feedback on this project will close on 5 April 2021.

For further information, please email transport.planning@nt.gov.au or phone 8924 7118.





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