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CAVENAGH STREET HEAT MITIGATION – STAGE 2 WORKS

Dear Stakeholder

The Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics have awarded a contract to complete stage 2 of the Cavenagh Street Heat Mitigation trial to the PTM Group with work on site commencing mid-January.

The works will require temporary traffic changes in Cavenagh Street, between Knuckey and Bennett Street.

Partial lane closures and night works will occur as these works progress, with signage and traffic control in place to direct motorists and pedestrians during the works.

Road users are requested to show caution in this area and obey all traffic management control and devices.

The temporary change in traffic conditions will enable the works to be undertaken in a timely and safe manner; whilst also minimising disruptions to the community.

Stage 2 - Works include:

- The planting of 29 new shaded trees
- Light coloured and heat reflective road surface treatments to reduce pavement surface temperatures
- Excavation and construction of tree pits
- Excavation and construction of median garden beds for tree planting and groundcovers
- New road pavements

Heat mapping of Darwin CBD has shown Cavenagh Street is one of the hottest locations.

The Northern Territory Government is delivering greening and cooling initiatives to reduce the impact of heat on our tropical city.

Stage 2 work to mitigate heat impacts on Cavenagh St are expected to be completed by May 2019.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience during construction. We sincerely apologise for any inconvenience that may be caused.

If you have any questions or would like more information please contact:

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MAP OF WORKS

