

Update 1

2324-028B Smith Street Streetscape Improvements

Project Overview

The Smith Street Streetscape Improvements delivered in partnership with the Northern Territory Government will see greening and cooling elements added to the stretch between Knuckey St and Whitfield St. Deliverables include additional trees and landscaping, improved pedestrian and active transport access, improved pedestrian lighting and seating, and public artwork.

Project Priorities

- Project timeline – all high impact works completed before peak season (July / August)
- Access – pedestrian access to all properties maintained during delivery
- Safety – no lost time injuries or reportable incidents
- Quality – reconstruction of non-conforming elements is not required
- Budget – all works completed within overall budget allocation

Current Status

Progress Summary: Mobilisation activities are underway, including traffic management and site fencing.

Estimated Progress: 2%

Estimate project end date: July 2025

Works Impact

Access

- The site has been restricted to one-way traffic towards the Smith St Mall with parking retained on the North-Eastern side of the street. There are four pedestrian access points (see attached map).
- Construction access will be from the Knuckey St end.

Noise, dust, or service interruptions

- Noise may be generated during some site activities. These will be undertaken during normal working hours.
- Controls are in place to manage dust.
- There are no planned service interruptions.

Week Ahead (this week)

- Mobilisation and site preparation works will be undertaken this week including:
 - Survey and set out.
 - Locating underground services.
- Demolition works:
 - Sawcut in preparation for excavation
 - Commence Excavations

Issue Reporting

- Wet weather last week caused a delay in site mobilisation. City of Darwin is working with the Contractor to identify efficiencies to mitigate impact on the overall timeline.

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Yours sincerely,

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Sent via email

Site Access Diagram

