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Infrastructure Investment Program

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Urban Arterials Asphalt Program
Northern Territory

Australian Government Funding: \$1.75 million

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Problem Description

This package of works will upgrade high priority sections of road in urban areas of Darwin, Palmerston and Alice Springs by replacing the existing deteriorating asphalt surface. The upgrades will improve the quality of the roads, allow for growth in traffic volumes, reduce future road and vehicle maintenance costs, as well as improve road safety. The project will contribute to the overall improvement of the standard of arterial roads in Darwin and Alice Springs. This will provide better roads for road users and support industry and business by improving the efficiency and reliability of the urban road network.

The following roads will be upgraded: Vanderlin Drive, McMinn Street and the Stuart Highway at the Amy Johnson Avenue Intersection (all in Darwin); University Avenue (Palmerston); and Larapinta Drive (Alice Springs).

Project Benefits

Benefits include:

- Improve efficiency and network reliability.
- Improve connectivity between people with jobs and services, and goods with markets.
- Improve accessibility and connectivity of road networks.
- Improve road safety for all road users.

Project Timelines

Construction will begin in September 2020 and is scheduled to be completed in December 2020.

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