



Australian Government



Targeted Road Safety Works

Regional State Road Safety Improvement Program Western Australia

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Australian Government Funding: \$80 million

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Western Australian Government: \$20 million

Problem Description

The Regional State Road Safety Improvement Program will upgrade remote and regional roads including Great Northern Highway, Eyre Highway, Victoria Highway, Great Eastern Highway, North West Coastal Highway, South Western Highway, Bussell Highway, Coalfields Highway and Toodyay Road. Of the 150 fatalities on the State road network in the past year, 100 occurred in rural areas, with most incidents involving a single vehicle running off the road.

There are 17,400 km of remote and regional roads in WA that have been identified as requiring treatment upgrades to reduce the incidence of single vehicle crashes and head on crashes. Treatments include sealing shoulders, installing audible edge line and a one metre wide median treatment with audible centre lines on high volume and heavy vehicle routes.

Project Benefits

Benefits include:

- Improve road safety for all road users.
- Improve efficiency and network reliability.
- This program is expected to support 540 direct and indirect jobs during the construction phase of the program.

Project Timelines

- This program is expected to commence construction in mid-2020 and be completed by mid-2021.

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