

Tonkin Highway Corridor

Infrastructure Investment Program

As at 2025-26 Budget

Total AGC	\$1,344 million
Corridor Description	The Australian Government has committed funding to
	upgrade the Tonkin Highway Corridor in WA
Benefits	Improved safety
	Reduced congestion and improved travel time reliability
	Improved freight efficiency
	Enhanced social outcomes, economic development and environmental sustainability
	Support for active transport options
Funding program	Investment Roads – Infrastructure Investment Program
Transport mode	Road
State	WA

Projects within the Tonkin Highway Corridor:

Tonkin Highway Gap

The project has delivered upgrades to the section of Tonkin Highway from Collier Road to Dunreath Drive. This has expanded the section of Tonkin Highway that previously contained two through-lanes to three through-lanes in both directions, as well as upgrading interchanges, bridges, and a Principal Shared Path.

Thomas Road - Dual Carriageway South Western Highway to Tonkin Highway and interchange at Tonkin Highway

The project will involve construction of a new grade separated interchange at the intersection of Tonkin Highway and Thomas Road, and the duplication of approximately 2.8 kilometres of Thomas Road east of Tonkin Highway (towards the South Western Highway). Integrated into this project is approximately 2.8 kilometres of new Principal Shared Path along the southern verge of Thomas Road.

Tonkin Highway Interchanges

The project will create graded separations of intersections along the Tonkin Highway at Hale Road, Welshpool Road and Kelvin Road. This includes a Principal Shared Path and widening sections of the highway to tie into the graded interchanges.

Tonkin Highway - North Ellenbrook Interchange

This project will construct a new interchange on the Tonkin Highway between Warbrook Road and Maralla Road, North Ellenbrook. The project will also provide for grade separation of the Principal Shared Path along the eastern side of Tonkin Highway, with at grade connections to the networks west of the highway. The new interchange is anticipated to facilitate future development in the Ellenbrook area.

Tonkin Highway Stage 3 Extension

The project will extend the Tonkin Highway from Thomas Road to South Western Highway, south of Mundijong Road. This includes intersections at Bishop Road, Mundijong Road, Thomas Road and Orton Road, as well as a bridge over the freight/passenger railway line in the project area.