

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

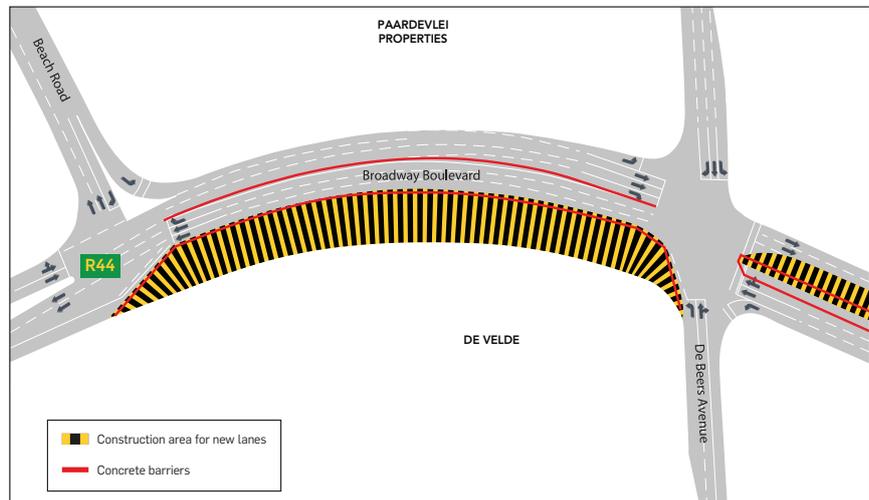


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JULY 2019 - BROADWAY BOULEVARD, SOMERSET WEST

The City of Cape Town is making good progress on the widening and upgrading of Broadway Boulevard in Somerset West and thanks the public for their patience and cooperation.

Roadworks are done in a phased approach to minimise disruption to traffic flow and keep congestion levels as low as possible during construction.



Traffic has been switched over to temporary lanes between Beach Road and De Beers Avenue to accommodate the ongoing roadworks.

WORK COMPLETED IN THE PAST THREE MONTHS:

- The work on the bulk water supply maintenance has been completed;
- Approximately 80% of the underground electric cabling has been installed;
- The switch over of traffic onto the temporary lanes between Beach Road and De Beers Avenue has been completed. Traffic accommodation is underway to divert traffic until October 2019;
- The widening of De Beers Avenue to Paardevlei is 80% complete;
- The ground work for more than half of the road widening between De Beers Avenue and Ou Paardevlei Road has been laid;
- The foundations for the two pedestrian bridges have been laid; and a culvert extension at Melcksloot is in place.

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT OVER THE NEXT THREE MONTHS:

- Traffic will be shifted to the shoulder between De Beers Avenue and Ou Paardevlei Road (Mall) to enable the work to be done on the median;
- The southbound section of road between Beach Road and De Beers Avenue is expected to be completed in October 2019;
- The ground work on the widening of Broadway Boulevard, before the N2 interchange, is nearing completion. Further widening works north of the N2 is expected to begin in September 2019;
- The work to broaden Broadway Boulevard between the N2 interchange and De Beers Avenue is set to continue over the next three months;
- Two bridge columns and support structures will be constructed with precast beam construction set to continue;
- Non-motorised transport (NMT) works are planned to begin September/October 2019;
- Electrical cabling and street lighting works is set to continue. This will include the removal and replacement of existing poles and installing light-emitting diode (LED) lamps; and temporary lighting will be provided where possible.

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