



MEDIA RELEASE

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Stage 1 Ilparpa Road complete

Stage 1 of the Ilparpa Road works, starting from the intersection of Len Kittle Drive and Ilparpa Road heading west, is now complete.

Mayor Ryan “This is a section of road that Council has been keen to improve for some time as it’s a well-used area for many different vehicle types including resident, cyclist and tourist.”

“Council contractors have been upgrading this section of Ilparpa Road since August 2019 and [we’re](#) very pleased today to announce the completion of these works,” said Mayor Ryan.

In June 2018, an announcement of funding from the NT Government of \$2.5M for Ilparpa Road Stage 1 works was welcomed by Council. Combined with Council’s contribution, this brings the total investment for Stage 1 to \$3.7M.

Member for Namatjira, Chansey Paech MLA said “This project has been a great working partnership between NT Government and Council in delivering an important piece of infrastructure for the community. As a key access road for Alice Springs, it is particularly important to see these road works complete.”

The Ilparpa Road Project is a staged installation, jointly funded by the NT Government and Alice Springs Town Council. The project encompasses shared paths and road-widening. Stage 1 upgrades contribute to previous works in 2016/2017 to improve traffic safety and access for residents and visitors, between Greatorex and Lillecrapp roads. These works were completed by Council in February 2017 with thanks to the Northern Territory Government’s Roads to Recovery grant of \$2.2M.

Council will continue to work on the shared path along this section of road with a due completion date of June 2020.

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