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Dear Resident

Upcoming Works – Demolition of S Block at Royal Perth Hospital to make way for new Emergency Department

We write to inform you about upcoming demolition works to enable construction of a new, purpose-built six-storey building at Royal Perth Hospital, delivering modern health infrastructure to meet emerging healthcare needs. Two dedicated floors in the new building will house the new Emergency Department while adding more ambulance bays.



Figure 1 Location of new Emergency Department

Demolition activities will commence in early April 2026, until approximately late May 2026, with construction to follow from June 2026. The new building is expected to be completed by late 2028.

Work will be conducted within the permitted hours of 7.00 AM to 7.00 PM, Monday to Saturday. All demolition activity will be governed by a series of management plans to ensure noise, dust and vibration is constrained to acceptable levels.

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During the demolition activities, site access and deliveries for the project construction works, will be facilitated from Wellington Street between 4.00 PM to 7.00PM to allow services on Moore Street to continue operating as usual. There is no change to access or operations for the Moore Street providers.

This first stage of demolition will involve the removal of asbestos items from the site. All asbestos will be removed as per the Code of Practice for the Safe Removal of Asbestos, and all hazardous materials will be properly handled and disposed at a licensed facility. We would like to ensure you that all works will be completed safely, with the required City of Perth and Worksafe permits in place.

Demolition and future construction activities will be carefully planned and communicated to ensure minimal impact on surrounding residents and businesses.

We appreciate your understanding during this period and remain committed to minimising impacts wherever possible. We are working closely with Royal Perth Hospital facilities management and engaging with clinical teams to ensure impact on hospital operations and patient care is minimal. We will work closely with affected stakeholders through all stages of work.

If you require further information or wish to talk to a team member, please contact us on 9326 3666 or email info@omid.wa.gov.au. Updates and project information is available at www.buildingfortomorrow.gov.au/projects/royal-perth-hospital/.

We thank you for your patience and support as we deliver this project.

Yours sincerely

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