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WATTLE RANGE COUNCIL

PENOLA FOOTPATH CONSTRUCTION WORKS

Council is committed to encourage healthier lifestyles and to make it easier for everyone to get around their community, and has allocated \$130,000 in the 2012/13 budget for capital footpath works.

As part of these works, construction will commence this week on a footpath in Penola. This path will consist of a combination of asphalt and pavers similar to existing footpaths that link Mary Mackillop Park to Mary Mackillop Penola Centre.

Key stakeholders together with Riddoch Ward Councillors, Cr Dean Burrow and Cr Rob Thornett have liaised with Council staff to provide their input into the proposed works that will see a path along the Eastern side of Church Street, from Julian Street East heading south for approximately 120 metres. This path will help to link the central business district to the southern area of the township.

Council plans also allow for upgrade kerbing and beatification of the surrounding streetscape as part of an overall approach to the area, which will be subject to future budgeting.

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