

# CITY OF PLAYFORD LOCAL AND STATE ROADS - FAQs



## NEXT GREAT CITY

### What is a 'Local Road' and a 'Collector Road'

A local road is usually controlled by Council and provides direct access to private property with minimal use by through traffic. Some industrial and commercial areas also have local streets.

Council's collector roads carry some traffic through suburbs and across townships. Some traffic-carrying roads provide direct access to local streets and may be used for bus and freight services

### What are the speed limits on Council roads?

The maximum default speed limit for local roads is 50 km/h in urban built-up areas and 100 km/h in rural areas unless otherwise signed.

Collector roads have a speed limit of 60 km/h in urban built-up areas or higher, which is signed at regular intervals along the route.

### Why are speed signs installed in some streets, but not others?

In accordance with state law 50 km/h signs are not installed on built-up local streets. However, Council may install a sign where the speed limits change, such as at the start and end of a school zone.

### Can the speed limit of a road be changed?

All speed limits are set by Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure (DPTI) and cannot be changed by Council. Under exceptional circumstances Council may request a reduction in a speed limit from DPTI provided investigation and public consultation warrant it - however a speed limit cannot be reduced below the default speed limit, except in designated areas such as school crossings.

### Which roads are state-owned?

The following roads in Playford are owned by Department of Planning, Transport and Infrastructure.

ROAD NAME	SECTION
ANGLE VALE ROAD	Full length of road
BLACK TOP ROAD	Full length of road
HEASLIP ROAD	From Waterloo Corner Road to Angle Vale Road
JOHN RICE AVE	From Main North Road to Commercial Road
HUMBUG SCRUB ROAD	From Blacktop Road to Parra Wirra Park entrance
KERSBROOK ROAD	Full length of road
MAIN NORTH ROAD	Full length of road
OLD PORT WAKEFIELD ROAD	From Angle Vale Road to Penfield Road
PENFIELD ROAD	From Old Port Wakefield Road to Heaslip Road
PHILIP HIGHWAY	From John Rice Avenue to Main North Road
PORT WAKEFIELD ROAD	Full length of road
WOMMA ROAD	From Heaslip Road to Main North Road
YORKTOWN ROAD	Full length of road

At the junction of a local road and a state road, ownership and traffic management is the responsibility of DPTI.