



CENTRAL DARLING SHIRE COUNCIL

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Pooncarie Road project – on track & reaching milestones

The Pooncarie Road works are progressing well and reaching milestones.

When complete the Pooncarie Road project will see 61 kilometres of road sealed between Menindee and Pooncarie.

It is a \$39.6 million project. The Australian Government have committed \$27.1 million and the State government \$12.5 million for the work.

In recent weeks another 10 kilometres of the road has now been sealed. This brings the total stretch of road sealed to 43 kilometres. Within coming weeks, a further five kilometres is expected to be completed.

It is a big achievement considering road crews have also been extremely busy repairing flood damaged roads across the Shire. Some of the flood effected roads have extensive damage and are taking time to repair due to road access issues.

The Pooncarie Road project is expected to be completed by June 2024.

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