

## Burton Community Hub

### What is the Burton Community Hub?

This brand new community facility will be a welcoming place that creates business, cultural, learning and recreational opportunities for the whole community. A vibrant meeting place that will offer modern and well-equipped facilities for those who live, work or play within the City of Salisbury.

### Where will this community facility be located?

The Burton Community Hub will be located close to Springbank Plaza Shopping Centre and nearby recreational facilities. The Burton Community Centre and the Salisbury West Library will also be relocating into the new Burton Community Hub.

### Why is the Salisbury West Library moving from its current location at Hollywood Boulevard?

The City of Salisbury recently undertook a study in relation to library services within the western catchment area of the City. The outcome of that study was a recommendation that a library service be created as part of the Burton Community Hub project to service the Burton and Salisbury West catchment area and that library services from the existing Salisbury West Library location be relocated to the Burton Community Hub. The new library will consist of a modern, digitally sophisticated and flexible design with increased space for programs and events, meeting rooms and a learning area.

### What is the history of the Salisbury West Library?

Salisbury West opened on 5 July 1993 at its current location on Hollywood Boulevard. The library shares the building with Salisbury Primary Health Care Services. On 21 October 1994, alongside the Salisbury West Community Health Centre, Salisbury West Library celebrated its first anniversary by launching the Salisbury West Time Capsule.

### Will I still have access to the services currently provided at the library?

The Burton Community Hub site is larger than the existing library site and this will provide opportunities to expand the current services offered at the Salisbury West Library.

### What is being constructed?

The detailed design process for the Hub is currently underway and more information will be available soon. During July/August, we received valuable feedback and ideas from the community through a variety of consultations, surveys and a workshop. This information will assist in the design process going forward.

### What is the project cost and will it impact my rates?

The projected cost is \$5 million and this has been incorporated into our long term financial plan.

## When will construction start?

Construction will commence in early 2021 and be completed later that year.

## What kind of programs and services will be available?

This exciting new facility is designed to service the growing needs of the whole community including local residents, schools and businesses. It will provide a variety of accessible spaces for hire and will see an increased offering of innovative programs and events for people of all ages such as:

- Adult vocational learning
- STEM based robotics and LEGO
- Early years learning and literacy
- Digital Literacy
- Health, fitness and wellbeing

## The centre will also provide services for:

- Residents to connect with others and develop new friendships
- School students and young people to meet, learn, and participate in group and individual activities
- Seniors to access information and be socially connected
- Businesses looking for networking opportunities and additional space to do business
- Families to enjoy activity programs and access the internet
- Anyone who would like to access information regarding local services, walking trails and events in the local area
- Volunteers wanting to become involved in the local community

## Will there be any disruption to services?

It will be business as usual for the Burton Community Centre and Salisbury West Library until the facility is completed. Customers will be notified of any disruption to services as the project progresses.

## What will happen to the Burton Community Centre and Salisbury West Library sites following the relocation?

This is yet to be determined.

## Will there be an opening day event for the community?

Yes and plans are already underway to provide a fun packed day full of free activities for the entire community. The whole centre will be open for people to walk through and experience all the great things on offer as part of this new facility.

## How can I be keep up to date?

Visit [salisbury.sa.gov.au/bch](https://salisbury.sa.gov.au/bch) for further project updates and community celebrations at project milestones.

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