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Leighton Contractors preferred bidder on Perth-Bunbury Highway Project

Leighton Contractors Pty Limited is part of an alliance that was announced today as the preferred participant for the WA Government's New Perth - Bunbury Highway project.

Peter McMorrow, Managing Director of Leighton Contractors, said "We are delighted the Southern Gateway Consortium comprising Leighton Contractors Pty Limited, WA Limestone and GHD Consulting has been preferred for the project."

"We believe the skills and experience of our people are the best combination for what will be the largest ever Main Roads project in WA."

"Leighton Contractors is proud to have the opportunity to deliver this significant infrastructure project. We plan to work closely and collaboratively with Main Roads WA, key stakeholders and the local community to create a project that is environmentally best practice and which maximises local industry participation."

"The successful design and construction of major infrastructure projects is one of our core strengths. We have a proven track record working in multi-skilled alliances, and look forward to delivering this project for Main Roads and the travelling community."

The New Perth-Bunbury Highway will comprise 70 km of dual carriage way and bridges from the southern end of the Kwinana Freeway to join the Old Coast Road near Preston Beach north of Bunbury.

Leighton Contractors is an Australian market leader in the delivery of complex infrastructure, project development, contract mining and construction. The company has in excess of \$4 billion of work in hand and employs more than 5,000 people.

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