



## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Australia's SSN-AUKUS submarines will be built in Adelaide, South Australia.

Later this year, enabling works will begin at the future Submarine Construction Yard in Osborne. The yard will be almost three times larger than the yard forecast for the Attack class program.

Over the Forward Estimates, we estimate \$6 billion will be invested in Australian industry and workforce. We will invest at least \$2 billion in South Australia infrastructure alone.

At its peak, up to 4,000 workers will be employed to design and build the infrastructure for the Submarine Construction Yard in Osborne.

A further 4,000 to 5,500 direct jobs are expected to be created to build the nuclear-powered submarines in South Australia when the program reaches its peak in 20-30 years. This is almost double the workforce forecast for the Attack class program.

The Commonwealth and South Australian Governments are working together through the Commonwealth South Australian Defence Industry Workforce and Skills Taskforce to ensure Defence projects in South Australia will have a highly skilled workforce to draw on.

Workforce development has already started, including expansion of the Sovereign Shipbuilding Talent Pool. This will leverage the existing local and experienced submarine industrial workforce in South Australia.

Enabling works, starting this year, will include above and in ground utility relocation, construction of a new access road and other supporting infrastructure.

The Australian Government plans to manufacture components at the future submarine construction Yard in Osborne, before commencing construction of the first SSN-AUKUS, for use by the UK and US production lines.

- The home of Australia's next-generation submarine build
- At least \$2 billion in SA infrastructure over the Forward Estimates
- Uplift in skills across SA industry
- Work at Osborne begins this year
- Almost double the workforce than the Attack class program
- Opportunities for SA local businesses

