# A roadmap to relief

Major road upgrades afoot across all governorates

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rgent road infrastructure projects are in progress, as announced on the official website of the Ministry of

These efforts aim to alleviate traffic congestion across all governorates, with the ministry currently advancing the third and fourth phases of these ini-

The third phase involves two key undertakings.

The first is the addition of a third lane in each direction on Mahzoora Avenue, spanning from Umm Al Naasan Avenue to its junction with Avenue 37.

The second focuses on the enhancement of the Shaikh Jaber A. Al Subah Highway intersection with Avenue 1, extending The projects offer solutions to traffic issues to Umm Al Saad Avenue.

The fourth phase comprises four undertakings.

hancement of Avenue 77, from Estiqlal Highway. Avenue 47 to Road 4566 in San-

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The first pertains to the en- Riffa, between Road 3933 and

#### Intersection

The fourth centres on the inprovements to Bahrain Youth tersection of Avenue 20 with broader strategic plan for the and the increasing number of projects in the Kingdom.

Avenue in the Educational Area. Road 2651 in Busaiteen.

opment of Mahzoora Avenue in these projects aim to ease traffic bridges, and the expansion of issues, improve the efficiency of congestion on various streets main roads. and intersections, catering to

road network, which includes vehicles. The Ministry clarified that the construction of tunnels,

the needs of citizens on all major to five years for completion, safety. these projects are designed to This effort forms part of a accommodate urban growth with housing and investment

They offer solutions to traffic road networks, elevate perfor-Typically requiring two mance levels, and ensure traffic

These initiatives also align



# Gulf Air launches direct flights to Paris for 2024 Olympics



Streamlined travel for athletes, officials and spectators

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**¬** ulf Air has introduced di-Grect flights from Bahrain and advanced entertainment International Airport to Paris, enhancing travel for the upcoming Paris Olympics 2024.

This service aims to provide seamless connectivity for athletes, officials, and spectators, ensuring they arrive comfortably and on time for the prestigious event.

### **Direct Flight Details**

Gulf Air offers several daily flights to both Paris Charles de Gaulle Airport (CDG) and Orly Airport (ORY).

For instance, one key flight departs Bahrain at 01:35 AM, landing in Paris at 07:55 AM pics. after a 7-hour, 20-minute jour-

These flights are designed to cater to the high demand expected during the Olympics, egations, media personproviding convenient options nel, and fans, ensuring that for travelers.

#### **Enhancing the Travel** Experience

includes award-winning inflight services, such as gourmet dining, spacious seating,

These features ensure a comfortable and enjoyable journey for all passengers.

### **Convenient Connections**

Bahrain International Airport (BIA) serves as a strategic hub, connecting travelers from various cities across Asia, Africa, and the Gulf to Paris.

The airport's state-of-theart facilities and efficient processing systems further enhance the travel experience, making it a preferred choice for those heading to the Olym-

Gulf Air's direct flights to Paris are part of a broader effort to support the global movement of Olympic deleveryone arrives ready to participate in or enjoy the games.

This initiative underscores Passengers flying with Gulf Air's commitment to pro-Air can expect exceptional ser- viding top-tier travel services vice and luxurious amenities. and contributing to the success The airline's modern fleet of the Paris Olympics 2024.

# **Easing** Southern Governorate traffic woes



The road connecting Hunainyah Avenue to Al Muaskar Highway

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Work has kicked off on the road linking Hunainyah Avenue and Al Muaskar Highway in the Southern Governorate, according to Engineer Ahmed AlTajir, Assistant Undersecretary for Roads at the Ministry of Works.

This initiative is part of a broader effort to improve Bahrain's road network, ensuring smoother traffic flow in alignment with the Government Programme (2023-2026), aimed at benefiting the nation and its citizens.

AlTajir explained that the project involves constructing a dual carriageway, spanning 3.4 km, connecting Hunainiyah Avenue from the north to Al Muaskar Highway in the south.

The plan includes developing intersections, providing side pavements, establishing a rainwater drainage network, enhancing lighting, and implementing traffic safety measures. Additionally, a treated water line for landscaping and irrigation will be installed.

He added that the project aims to provide additional access points for those heading to Hunainiya, East Riffa, and surrounding areas, thereby easing off congestion in the region

## **Community** security and human rights a priority

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The Interior Minister, His Excellency General Shaikh Rashid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa, emphasised the significance of enhancing community security programs and initiatives, which align with the values and principles of the comprehensive development process led by His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa.

In his remarks, the Minister noted that this development process has bolstered the status of human rights and oversight institutions, strengthening their role in advancing the human rights system in Bahrain.