



■ A photograph taken by engineering manager Greg Coelen, which he says shows cyclists climbing around the side of a gate on Chapman's Peak Drive on Sunday morning August 11. The photo was also published on the Chapman's Peak Drive Facebook page.

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A post on Chapman's Peak Drive Facebook page on Sunday about the issue drew more than 100 comments.

"They think they own the road," said Stephen Bell.

"The same people who are the first to moan when they are injured," said Mark Joubert.

"Typical road cyclist behaviour. They are the most self-righteous sportsmen I've ever come across," added Brandon Fyfe.

Provincial Mobility Department spokesperson Muneera Allie said they were "looking into" the issue.

The roadworks are expected to last for the whole of August with the route expected to reopen in the first week of September, according to Mr Coelen.

Neil Robinson, CEO of the Pedal Power Association SA, said: "We are constantly asking cyclists to respect other road users and to adhere to the rules of the road along Chapman's Peak Drive. We are also assisting in bringing those to justice who do not obey the rules of the road and cause harm to cyclists – be it cars, buses or motorcycles.

"We have always advocated for common respect, patience and to follow the traffic laws."