

Bruce Highway Upgrade

Caboolture–Bribie Island Road to Steve Irwin Way (Exit 163)

Construction notice
November 2020
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Works will begin this month on the first contract to upgrade the Bruce Highway between Caboolture–Bribie Island Road and Steve Irwin Way (Exit 163).

The project is being delivered as two separate contracts. Contract 1, which is about to begin, between Caboolture–Bribie Island Road and Pumicestone Road. And Contract 2, scheduled to start by mid-2021, between Pumicestone Road and Steve Irwin Way at Exit 163.

Key features of Contract 1 are shown on the map overleaf.

Preliminary works on Contract 1 will be carried out in November and December 2020 to prepare the site for major construction activities in early 2021.

Works will include:

- installing traffic barriers, removing existing road furniture, line marking changes, and installing reduced speed limit signs and other traffic control devices on the Bruce Highway
- creating temporary emergency stopping bays southbound on the Bruce Highway
- setting up site compounds on Pumicestone Road and Old Toorbul Point Road
- establishing site entry/exit gates and access tracks
- vegetation trimming and site clearing works, particularly next to the southbound highway carriageway between Old Toorbul Point Road and the D'Aguilar Highway
- site investigations and establishment works at King John and Lagoon creeks, including undertaking geotechnical drilling investigations, placing material for creek crossings and installing environmental controls
- starting earthworks associated with road widening.

All works are subject to weather and construction conditions.

What to expect:

- Traffic control:** Localised traffic changes will be in place including reduced speed limits, road shoulder and lane closures, changes to traffic flow, and short-term disruptions. Traffic control will be in place to assist and direct road users.

For up-to-date information on road closures and traffic conditions, go to www.qldtraffic.qld.gov.au or call 13 19 40. Or check the QldTraffic app (download for free from the App Store or Google Play).

- Increased construction traffic:** Residents can expect increased construction traffic near work zones.
- Audible noise and dust:** Audible noise and possible dust from construction activities and heavy machinery can be expected. Reversing beepers and flashing lights are a safety requirement and will be used at all times during work hours.
- Temporary lighting:** Generator-powered lighting towers will be used to light work areas when night works are required.
- Access changes:** Access to residential properties and businesses will be maintained at all times.

Working hours

A combination of day and night works will be undertaken.

Works will be completed during the day whenever possible. Due to the nature of the works and the proximity to live traffic, a number of activities will need to be completed at night when traffic volumes are lower. This will ensure the safety of motorists and workers.

The project's working hours are:

- Night works:** from 7pm to 5am, Sunday to Friday.
- Day works:** from 6am to 6pm, Monday to Saturday.

The project team will continue to keep nearby residents, businesses, motorists, and key stakeholders updated throughout construction.

We thank the local community for your patience and cooperation during these vital works.

Contact us

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Visit: www.tmr.qld.gov.au (search for 'Caboolture-Bribie Island Road to Steve Irwin Way')

For up-to-date project information and to register for project updates, visit the project web page.

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Contract 1 – Caboolture-Bribie Island Road to Pumicestone Road

Final Design May 2020



Inset A
Caboolture-Bribie Island Road and D'Aguliar Highway



Inset B
Pumicestone Road



Legend

- New Bruce Highway and ramps
- New Bridges
- Existing Bruce Highway and ramps (not upgraded)
- Other roads
- Waterways



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