

Paradise Waters and Macintosh Island

Construction of Stage One of Queensland's first light rail system has now commenced.

To facilitate the construction of the light rail along the western-side of the Gold Coast Highway, GoldLinQ will commence works adjacent to Commodore Drive after Easter in April 2012. A light rail and pedestrian bridge will be constructed on the western-side of the existing Macintosh Island Bridge North as part of these works.

Admiralty Drive and Commodore Drive Works

Drainage, intersection and road surface works will be undertaken in stages to maintain traffic access in the area. Motorists are advised to follow the directions of traffic controllers and roadside signage.



What to expect

- Intersection works at Admiralty Drive for foundation and track laying.
- Drainage upgrade works at Commodore Drive.
- Road resurfacing at Admiralty Drive, Commodore Drive and the entrance to Paradise Waters.
- North and southbound traffic access will be maintained at all times, however points of access may change.
- Changes to traffic conditions and temporary lane closures.
- Vegetation clearing along the western-side of the Gold Coast Highway.
- Construction site office, lay down area and amenities will be established immediately south of Macintosh Island Bridge North, adjacent to Commodore Drive.
- Marine access restrictions under the Macintosh Island Bridge. Alternative routes for boats will be signed.
- Public utility works below and above ground, including service relocations and maintenance.
- Pedestrian access routes will be maintained around the construction area. Temporary footpath closures near the active work area will occur and alternative routes will be signed.
- Construction noise, dust and vibration including piling.
- Construction work will be carried out between 6:30am and 6:30pm, Monday to Saturday. Residents and businesses will be notified in advance of any night work.

Timing of this work is subject to weather conditions and construction constraints.

GoldLinQ thanks residents, businesses and motorists for their patience during construction and apologises for any inconvenience.

For more information call 1800 967 377* or visit www.goldling.com.au.

* Free call within Australia. Call charges may apply from mobile phones.

Stage One is the 13-kilometre light rail corridor connecting Griffith University to Broadbeach, passing through the key activity centres of Southport and Surfers Paradise. As one of the fastest growing regions in Australia, the Gold Coast will be serviced by 14 light rail vehicles custom designed for the city. Once completed there will be 16 stations along the Stage One corridor.

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