

Weekly Construction Update #96

Week commencing 17 February 2014

Get Ready, Get Set, Go!



Cycling near tram tracks:

- Always cross the tracks at a right angle
- Tracks are for trams - never ride along the tracks
- Stay alert and don't get distracted
- Look both ways and cross at designated points



Overhead wires are live and trams are testing

Overhead wires are live and trams are testing from the Gold Coast University Hospital Station at Parklands Drive to Staghorn Avenue, north of the Cypress Avenue Station in Surfers Paradise.

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Parklands

Kerb, footpath, drainage, landscaping works and tram testing including night works continue.

Southport

Queen Street

From Wardoo Street to Nerang Street

Tram testing and deliveries will continue including night works. Finishing works will occur throughout the week.

Nerang Street

Between Queen and Davenport Street

Landscaping works including construction of planter boxes in the parking lane will occur. Finishing works will continue including some night works.

Between Davenport Street and Scarborough Street

Footpath paving works will continue and concrete pours will occur including at the intersection corners of Davenport Street and Nerang Street.

Paving, landscaping and station works continue including night works.

Scarborough Street

Scarborough Street northbound and night lane closures

From Monday 17 February, [the northbound lane of Scarborough Street will be temporarily closed between Nerang Street and Queen Street](#) while footpath paving, landscape and finishing works occur.

Northbound closures will be undertaken progressively in two phases:

Phase 1- Northbound closure between Lawson Street and Young Street for approximately two to three weeks.

Phase 2- Northbound closure between Queen Street and Lawson Street for approximately six weeks.

Night closures of the southbound lane from Nerang Street to Queen Street will continue from 7:00pm to 5:00am, Monday to Friday.

Pedestrian access and local access to driveways and businesses between Nerang Street and Queen Street will be maintained.

Southport paving and night works

Footpath and landscape works are underway in Southport. The work involves jack-hammering and removing the current pavement, replacing and levelling underground service pit lids and laying a new concrete base and pavers.

Day, night and weekend works will be required to maintain access to businesses and complete work as quickly as possible. Night works will occur between 6:30pm and 6:30am.

Pedestrian detours will be in place. Please follow all directions and signage for safety.

Near Hinze Street

Finishing works will occur including landscaping, concreting medians, underground services and footpath works.

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Between Nerang Street and Queen Street

Paving, concrete pours, demolition and retaining wall construction will continue from Lawson Street to Nerang Street on the western footpath.

Demolition and concrete pours will continue on the eastern footpath between Short Street and Nerang Street.

Concrete pours and underground service installation will continue on the eastern footpath from Short Street to Queen Street and investigation works will occur on the western footpath.

Tram testing and landscaping works will continue. Do not walk on the tracks, watch for trams and cross at pedestrian crossings.

Queen Street

From Scarborough Street to Barney Street

Finishing works including track form kerbs, concrete infills, footpaths and landscaping continues. Lane closures and night works will occur.

Nerang River

Shared cycle and pedestrian bridge

Piling works continue on the northern side with changes to the pedestrian access on the boardwalk. Girder installation will continue at night with lane closures on the existing traffic bridge.

Light rail bridge

Overhead wires are now live and tram testing will occur at any time. Track finishing and painting will continue.

Nerang River barge movements

The barge Leonora is on the northern side of the river to the east of the traffic bridge. Mariners are advised to use caution. Details are available on the [Maritime Safety Queensland website](#).

Paradise Waters

Gold Coast Highway

Overhead wires are now live and tram testing will occur at any time.

Final asphaltting works continue along the Gold Coast Highway from the Sundale Bridge to Admiralty Drive between 6:30pm and 6:30am for up to two weeks, weather permitting.

Single lane closures and detours will be in place to facilitate works, including at Admiralty Drive, Tedder Avenue and

Waterways Drive intersections. Traffic and police control will be in place.

Landscape works continue along Commodore Drive and at the Admiralty Drive intersection. Lane closures and night works will occur. Finishing and station works continue.

The northbound bus stop on the Gold Coast Highway at Tedder Avenue has been permanently shifted 50 metres south. Services are not affected.

Surfers Paradise

Ferny Avenue to Staghorn Avenue

Overhead wires are now live and tram testing will occur at any time.

From Wednesday 19 February, investigative night works will take place along the Gold Coast Highway between Birt and Norfolk Avenues and continue for up to one week.

Ocean Avenue remains one-way westbound from Surfers Paradise Boulevard to the Gold Coast Highway.

Drainage installation continues along Ocean Avenue between Surfers Paradise Boulevard and the Gold Coast Highway. Lane closures will occur.

Finishing works, including asphaltting, kerbing, footpaths and landscaping continue. Night and weekend works will occur. Station works continue.

Works to cut-over telecommunications cables will occur at Ocean Avenue. Continuous works will take place, Monday to Sunday.

Staghorn Avenue to View Avenue

Finishing works, including asphaltting, kerbing, footpaths and landscaping continue. Night and weekend works will occur. Station works continue.

Works to cut-over telecommunications cables will occur at View Avenue. Continuous works will take place, Monday to Sunday.

View Avenue to Elkhorn Avenue

Finishing works, including kerbing, footpaths, paving and landscaping continues. Night and weekend works will occur.



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Paving and night works on Surfers Paradise Boulevard from Elkhorn Avenue to Trickett Street

Footpath and landscaping works continue along Surfers Paradise Boulevard between Elkhorn Avenue and Trickett Street. The work involves jack-hammering and removing the current pavement and driveways, replacing and levelling underground service pit lids and laying a concrete base.

Day, night and weekend works will be required to maintain access to businesses and complete work as quickly as possible. Night works will occur between 6:30pm and 6:30am.

Pedestrian detours will be in place. Please follow all directions and signage for safety.

Elkhorn Avenue to Trickett Street

From Monday 17 February, night works will occur to install underground services and upgrade traffic signals at the intersections of Elkhorn Avenue, Cavill Avenue and Beach Road.

Footpath and landscaping works continue along the western footpath. Preparatory works for underground service pits and tile removal continue along the eastern footpath. Night and weekend works will occur. Station works continue.

Works to cut-over telecommunications cables will occur at Cavill Avenue. Continuous works will take place, Monday to Sunday.

Trickett Street to Hamilton Avenue

Finishing works including concrete footpath and landscaping works continues from Trickett Street to Laycock Street.

Preparatory works for underground service pits will take place at various locations. Night and weekend works will occur. Station works continue.

Clifford Street to Thornton Street

Finishing works for underground services, footpaths, landscaping and station works continue.

Works to cut-over telecommunications cables continues at Enderley Avenue and Thornton Street. Continuous works will take place, Monday to Sunday.

Surfers Paradise Boulevard asphalting works

[Final asphalting works continue along Surfers Paradise Boulevard from Clifford Street to Vista Street](#) between 6:30pm and 6:30am, weather permitting.

Surfers Paradise Boulevard will be closed to all southbound traffic each night to facilitate the works including Hamilton Avenue, Markwell Avenue and Enderley Avenue intersections. Local access will be maintained under traffic control.

Surfers Paradise Boulevard will re-open to southbound traffic each morning.

Broadbeach

Gold Coast Highway Wharf Road to Australia Avenue

Landscaping and station works within the centre median of the Gold Coast Highway continues. Lane closures will occur outside of peak times.

From Monday 17 to Friday 21 February, night works will occur to install overhead lines. Lane closures will occur.

Australia Avenue to Victoria Avenue

Landscaping, footpath, energex and station works continue. Lane closures will occur.

Victoria Avenue to Hooker Boulevard

Landscaping, footpath, energex and station works continue. Lane closures will occur.

From 7:00pm Sunday 16 to 6:00am Wednesday 19 February, continuous works will occur at the intersection of Elizabeth Avenue and the Gold Coast Highway to facilitate traffic signal works. [Elizabeth Avenue will be closed to right turn in and right turn out traffic movements](#). The intersection will be managed under traffic control.

On Wednesday 19 February, night works will occur at Hooker Boulevard and Elizabeth Avenue intersections to install 'T' traffic signals. The intersections will be managed under police and traffic control.

Night works will occur at Hooker Boulevard to install overhead lines. Lane closures will occur and the intersection will be managed under traffic control.

Timing of these works is subject to weather conditions and construction constraints.

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