Cairns Water Security Stage 1

Rushworth Road, Gordonvale

Construction Works Notification #056

23 June 2025

Welcome to the latest localised update for the Cairns Water Security Stage 1 project. These construction works notifications will continue to be distributed to keep you informed of upcoming construction activities within the Gordonvale, Aloomba and Behana Gorge communities.

From **Monday, 30 June 2025,** John Holland will continue trenching work for the installation of the new network of pipes on Rushworth Road, Gordonvale between O'Neill Street and Campbell Street. This work will be undertaken between **6.30am** and **6.30pm Monday** to **Saturday** and will take approximately **8 weeks** to complete, weather permitting.

To facilitate these works and for the safety of workers and the travelling public, the works will be undertaken in **three (3) stages** (see maps overleaf) and the following approved traffic diversions will be implemented.

Stage 1 (2-week duration):

- Rushworth Road will be closed between O'Neill Street and Digger Street.
- O'Neill Street access will be via Sues Street. (Refer detour map overleaf)

Stage 2 (3-week duration):

- Rushworth Road will be closed between Campbell Street and Digger Street.
- O'Neill Street and Digger Street access will be via Sues Street. (Refer detour map overleaf)

Stage 3 (3-week duration):

- Access to and from Campbell Street into Davids Street will be via a detour. (Refer detour map overleaf)
- Access to and from Rushworth Street from Campbell Street will be open.
- Please be advised that works are currently being undertaken along Thumm Street and Cairns Road. These activities may result in additional traffic impacts. We recommend allowing extra travel time to account for potential delays in the area.

What can I expect?

- During construction, each open trench will be protected with traffic cones for vehicle management and temporary fencing for pedestrian management to safely delineate the work zone.
- Road closures including detours and traffic control as required.
- Delivery of pipes to the work area.
- Earthworks construction, including excavation of a trench and temporary reinstatement.
- Installation of underground pipe and backfilling of the trench.
- Construction personnel, increased vehicle movements, construction machinery and equipment operating within the area.
- Construction noise associated with these works.
- Vegetation removal as required.
- After completion of the pipe installation, local streets will be reinstated to their original condition.

How are we managing impacts?

- John Holland will liaise with property owners if access to property is required or impeded to conduct works.
- Implement traffic controls in line with road authorities
- Traffic control will be in place, where required.
- Notify residents and businesses of key activities including any out-of-hours work

Thank you for your patience and cooperation while we conduct this important work.

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Work Location







