Cairns Water Security Stage 1
Gordonvale, Aloomba & Behana Gorge

Construction Works Notification #066
25 July 2025

Welcome to the latest monthly 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.

More than 4.77 kilometres of the 30 kilometres of new pipeline planned for the project has now been successfully installed.

Throughout **August 2025**, John Holland will continue trenching activities for the new network of pipes between **6.30am to 6.30pm Monday to Saturday**. Low impact activities associated with the works, such as water cart operations, machinery re-fueling, managing environmental controls, early morning concrete pours and traffic control may occur outside of these hours.

Works in August will include (weather dependent):

- Continuation of identifying and marking existing utilities such as gas, telecommunications, power, sewer, and water, surveying and alignment checks.
- Ongoing deliveries of pipes and fittings to the site compound at Maher Road, Gordonvale.
- Continuation of pipeline work in Gordonvale, Aloomba and along Behana Gorge Road. Separate notifications will be distributed to local streets prior to the commencement of pipeline works.
- Continuation of vegetation clearing along the pipeline alignment.
- Ongoing works on the eastern side of the Bruce Highway, opposite Jones Road, including the ongoing boring operations under the highway.
- Ongoing works on the intake well access road, near the Desmond Trannore Bridge.
- Preparation and excavation works for boring operations south of the Mulgrave River under the Bruce Highway.

What can I expect?

- Hydro-vac trucks, service locating personnel, drill rigs, and other heavy equipment operating within road reserves and surrounding work areas.
- Short-term, partial road closures, detours and traffic controllers, as required.
- Construction noise, machinery, and increased construction vehicle movement.
- Deliveries of pipes, materials, and equipment to Maher Road site compound and other work areas.
- Trucks and other vehicles entering and exiting the site compound on Maher Road and other work areas including the Bruce Highway site.

How we are managing impacts

- John Holland will liaise with property owners if access to property is required or impeded to conduct works.
- Traffic control will be in place, where required.

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

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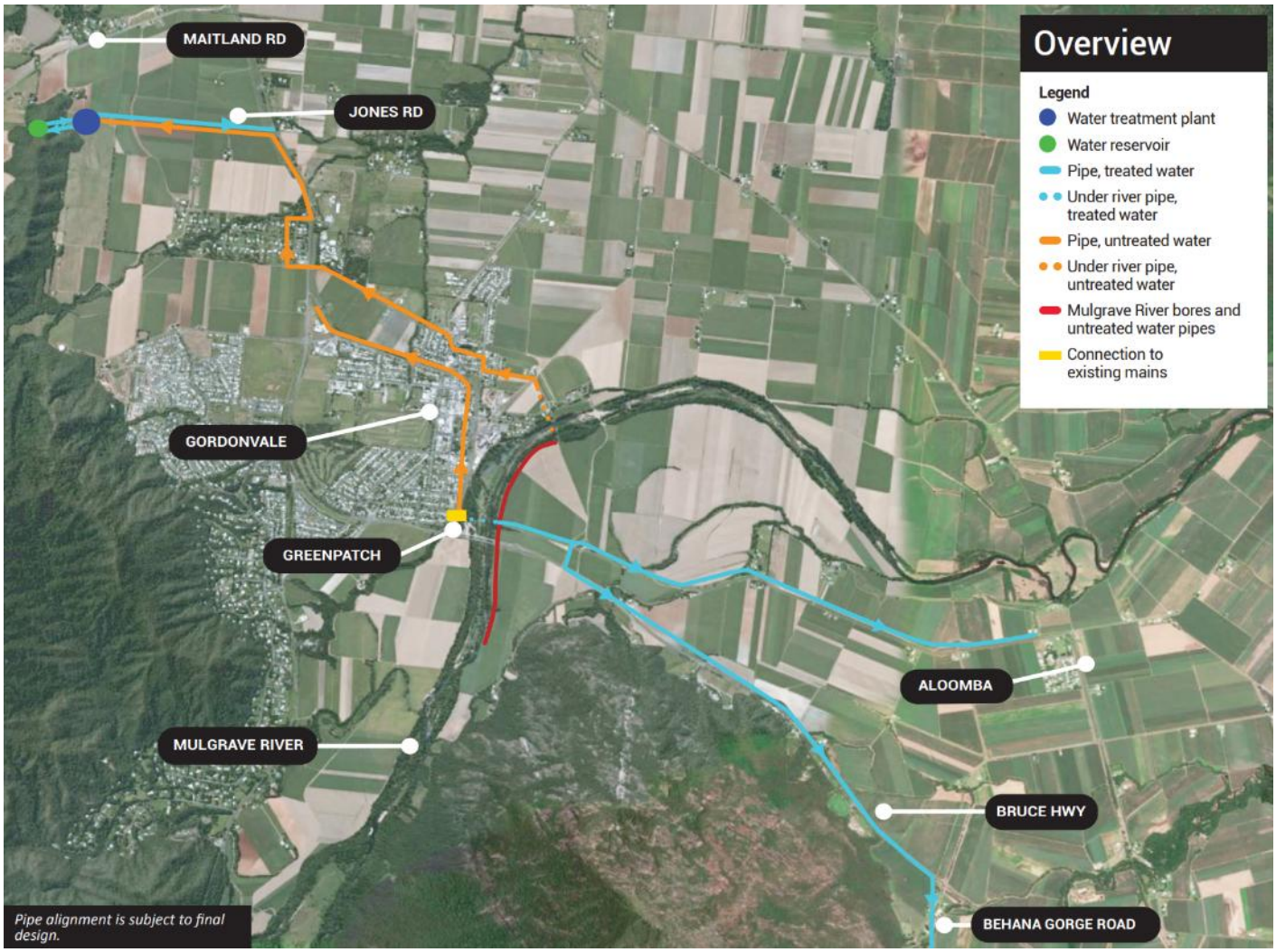
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Work Locations



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