Cairns Water Security Stage 1 Site Establishment

Works Notification #007
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About the Cairns Water Security Stage 1 (CWSS1) Project

Cairns Regional Council is developing the CWSS1 project at Gordonvale to deliver a new drinking water supply to the Cairns community. The project involves:

- building a water intake at the Mulgrave River, near the Desmond Trannore Bridge, Gordonvale;
- building a water treatment plant and water reservoirs, on Council land at Jones Road, Gordonvale;
- modifying the existing raw water pipework at Behana Creek intake; and
- building a network of pipes to take raw water to the treatment plant and treated water from the plant to residents.

Visit the project website for more information **www.cairns.qld.gov.au/CWSS1**

Description of works

From **Monday, 15 July 2024*,** Council's contractor, John Holland, will commence site establishment works. Works will occur between **6.30am and 6.30pm Monday to Saturday**. Low impact activities such as managing environmental controls, machinery re-fueling, and traffic control may occur outside of these hours.

**Subject to approvals and weather conditions*

Works will involve:

- Preparing the Jones Road Water Treatment Plant site and temporary compound including:
  - Vegetation clearing within the work site and installing fencing, and signage to prepare the work area
  - Earthworks and installation and compaction of gravel to create hardstand areas
  - Installation of temporary site amenities including lunch sheds, office sheds and portable toilet facilities
  - Construction of a temporary car park
  - Installation of environmental controls

What can I expect?

- Temporary lane closures and traffic control.
- Construction machinery and equipment operating on site.
- Delivery of materials and equipment.
- Motorists should follow traffic controls and drive with caution.
- There will be some noise associated with these works.

How we're managing impacts

- Traffic control will be in place, where required.
- Water carts will be used as required, to wet down areas to assist in managing dust.

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

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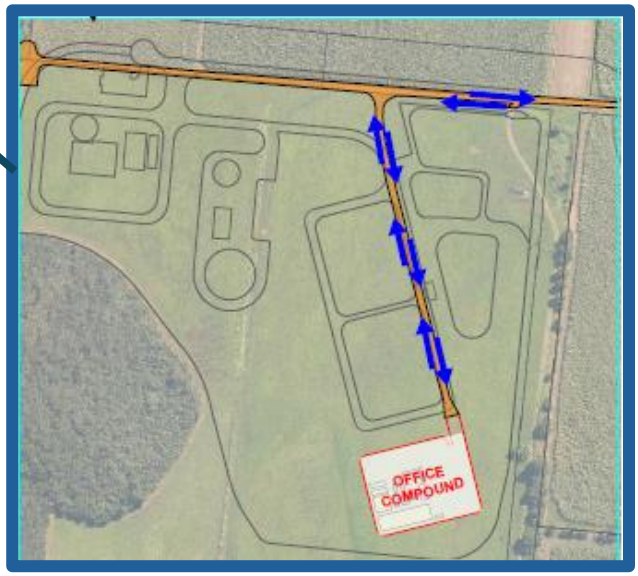
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Location of work

Water treatment plant site





Site layout including access / egress