

Ipswich Motorway Upgrade: Dinmore to Goodna

Saturday 19–Friday 25 March 2011

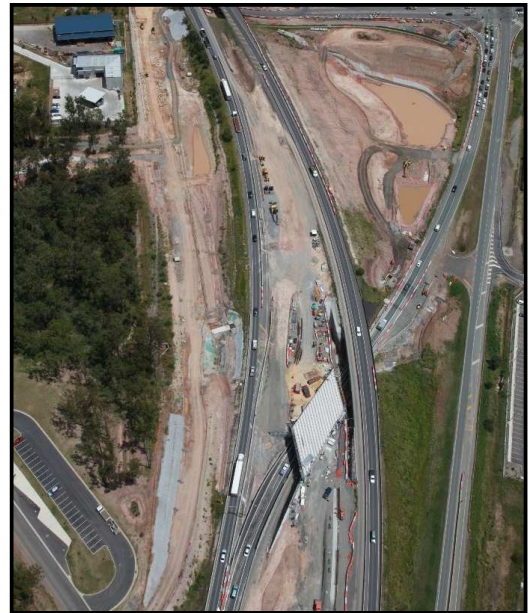
With Easter just around the corner, the project team is working hard to complete some key sections in time for the break.

One of the more significant changes will be the opening of the Endeavour Road connection and the subsequent permanent closure of the Tessman Street Bridge and Brisbane bound on-ramp.

Communication material is currently being prepared for these events and will be distributed closer to when the changes will take place.

If you would like further information on any of the activities below, please contact the Community Engagement Team on 1800 465 682.

Weekly Project Update



Cunningham Highway Bridge works in Dinmore

New work proposed

Redbank

Woodford Way pedestrian path	From Monday 21 March for approximately one week , the pedestrian path between KFC and Law Street South will be closed to enable a concrete pour. Pedestrians will be detoured to the far end of Law Street South.
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Riverview

Endeavour Road	Finishing works will begin on Endeavour Road between McEwan Street and the Ipswich Motorway on Wednesday 23 March and will continue until approximately late April 2011. Works include resurfacing the road and installing new kerb and guttering. Traffic control will be in place to guide motorists through the works area.
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Ongoing work

Goodna

Goodna Train Station car park (south)	Ongoing works include fencing, landscaping, electrical works and pedestrian footpath construction. Access in and out of the car park is being maintained under traffic control where required.
Church Street underpass	Works are continuing at the Church Street underpass, with one way traffic access across the motorway at Queen Street (south to north), Goodna. Works include construction of the new overpass, retaining walls and drainage works. A long-term diversion is in place via the Bertha Street underpass for traffic travelling from north to south across the motorway. Two-way pedestrian access is being maintained at all times.
Goodna Train Station pedestrian bridge	<p>Works are continuing to complete the new pedestrian bridge, including electrical works and surrounding fencing, landscaping and pedestrian footpaths. These works will mean intermittent bridge, motorway lanes, ramp and local road closures during the night. Vehicle access will be maintained at all times under traffic control.</p> <p>Due to unexpected flood damage the new lift at the southern side of the Goodna Train Station pedestrian bridge is out of service. Origin Alliance is working hard to ensure the lift is operational as soon as possible, but it may take two to three months before relevant parts are available due to current high demand. We thank you for your patience during this time.</p>
Brisbane Road	Works are continuing along the length of Brisbane Road from the BP service station to Hinton Street at Goodna with the construction of retaining walls for the motorway upgrade. For safety reasons, there are changed traffic conditions at the Goodna Day and Night Pharmacy to allow for increased truck movements to the project site area. Traffic control and signage is in place to direct motorists.
Smiths Road	Finishing works on Smiths Road extension are continuing and will be complete by early May 2011. As a result of these works, traffic on a section of the old Smiths Road (between Bellevue Road and Dowden Street) will be reduced to one lane. Traffic control will be in place to direct motorists.

Redbank

Mine Street	Construction of the new Mine Street interchange is ongoing. Vehicle and pedestrian traffic on Mine Street will continue to be diverted around works. Works on Mine Street (Woodford Way to Smiths Road) are expected to be completed in mid 2011.
Brisbane Road	Works are continuing on the construction of the permanent section of road from east of Six Mile Creek to Brick Street at Redbank. Works are expected to be completed by the end of March 2011.
Monash Road	Currently minor works are ongoing on the Monash Road connection. Construction activities are underway on both sides of the rail line on Monash Road and McAuliffe Street. Works are expected to occur intermittently in this area until late 2011.

Riverview

Riverview (Tessman Street/Moggill Ferry) off-ramp closure	The Tessman Street (Moggill Ferry) off-ramp at Riverview is now permanently closed. Motorists are required to use the exits at Redbank or Dinmore to access Riverview.
Brisbane Road	A small section of Brisbane Road (near Tessman Street) is now closed to motorists to enable construction of the pedestrian bridge and southern service road (until early 2012). Vehicles will be detoured to Ipswich Street. Pedestrian access will be maintained, however at times may be detoured to Ipswich Street.
Endeavour Road	Minor excavation and drainage works along Endeavour Road and McEwan Street including the installation of man holes will continue until late April 2011. Traffic control will be in place when needed throughout these works.
Endeavour Road connection	Construction of the retaining walls either side of the new Endeavour Road connection (Esther Street side) is underway and will continue until approximately mid April.
Hansells Parade	Finishing works have commenced on Hansells Parade. As a part of these finishing works, Hansells Parade and Brisbane Road will be resurfaced and will have new kerb and guttering installed. Access to residential and business properties will be maintained though there may be some delays. Traffic control will be in place to guide motorists through the works area. These works will be ongoing until April 2011.
Moggill Ferry Road	Major excavation will be undertaken until late March on a section of Moggill Ferry Road to install new drainage pits. Traffic management will be in place to safely direct motorists around works.

Dinmore

Dinmore Park	Works are continuing on the new bridge in Dinmore Park. For the duration of these works, pedestrian access to the Dinmore train station will be detoured around the park with temporary traffic management in place. These works will continue until approximately November 2011.
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General information

The Australian Government has committed \$1.95 billion to upgrade the existing Ipswich Motorway between Dinmore and Goodna to relieve traffic congestion and improve safety and reliability for motorists. The Ipswich Motorway Upgrade: Dinmore to Goodna project is being delivered by Origin Alliance, comprising the Department of Transport and Main Roads, Abigroup Contractors, Fulton Hogan, Seymour Whyte Constructions, SMEC Australia and Parsons Brinckerhoff. The upgrade includes the widening of the Ipswich Motorway to a minimum of six lanes and construction of new service roads to improve local access.

Construction work will generally be carried out between the hours of 6 am and 6 pm, Monday to Saturday. Residents will be notified of any work undertaken outside these hours.

All works are subject to weather and construction conditions.

To subscribe to free SMS updates to your mobile phone on planned traffic events, please visit www.westerncorridorsms.qld.gov.au. For further information and to access the latest work notification flyers, please visit the web site at www.tmr.qld.gov.au/dinmore2goodna.

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We apologise for any inconvenience and ask for your patience while construction works are underway.