



# Veloway 1 (V1) Cycleway

Connecting cyclists from Brisbane city  
to Gateway Motorway off-ramp, Eight Mile Plains

# The Department of Transport and Main Roads is delivering the next stages of the Veloway (V1) Cycleway from Brisbane city to the Gateway Motorway off-ramp at Eight Mile Plains.

This important connection will provide a safe and dedicated route for commuting cyclists and is being delivered in stages over the next five years (see map inside). Stage A and Stage B are now complete. Stage C is under construction and due for completion in September 2012. Stages D and E are currently in planning.

Future planning for the V1 will see the cycleway run from Brisbane City to the Gold Coast.

## How this will affect you

### Cyclists

Throughout the construction period, cyclists will continue to use a combination of the completed V1 cycleway and existing shared paths.

### Construction impacts

There may be traffic disruptions due to periodic lane closures and reduced speed limits throughout the work sites.

At times, there may also be noise associated with these works due to the operation of machinery.

The department is making every effort to keep disruptions to a minimum and apologises for any inconvenience.

### Safety

Traffic control will be on site when necessary, providing detours for pedestrians and cyclists. Call 13 19 40 for more information on road closures or to report traffic incidents and road safety issues.

**Please slow down – roadwork safety is your responsibility too.**

## Benefits:

The V1 will give Brisbane cyclists a high-capacity cycleway that connects with hospitals, shopping centres, educational facilities and public transport hubs. It will improve conditions for regular cyclists and provide a direct link from Eight Mile Plains to the city.

Other benefits include:

- improved safety for cyclists
- improved connectivity to the local cycle network
- transport cost savings



## Your questions answered

### What type of cycleway is planned?

The 17 kilometre connection will be a dedicated off-road three metre wide veloway. The veloway standard of this facility allows for higher volumes of cyclists.

### What is a veloway?

A sealed and dedicated cycleway for the exclusive use of cyclists.

### How is safety increased for pedestrians and cyclists?

A new dedicated veloway will remove cyclists from existing shared paths and provide a high speed commute for cyclists to and from the city.

### What other improvements are you making?

By providing connectivity to existing council bikeways, the V1 will connect communities by linking hospitals, parks, universities, shopping centres, schools and public transport.

### How will I know what stage of construction is next?

The department will keep you updated on the progress of these projects as they happen. You can get up-to-date information by checking out the website, phoning or emailing the project team (see 'Find out more').



## More for cyclists

The State Government is delivering cycling facilities as part of several major projects, including:

- Ted Smout Memorial Bridge
- Sir Leo Hielscher Bridge
- Acacia Ridge rail crossing overpass
- Royal Brisbane Women's Hospital cycle centre
- Kurilpa Bridge
- Centenary Highway Cycleway
- Princess Alexandra Cycleway
- Western Corridor Projects

# Get involved in Active travel

You can start by walking or cycling to work today. For more information about active travel and cycling in your area, please visit the following:

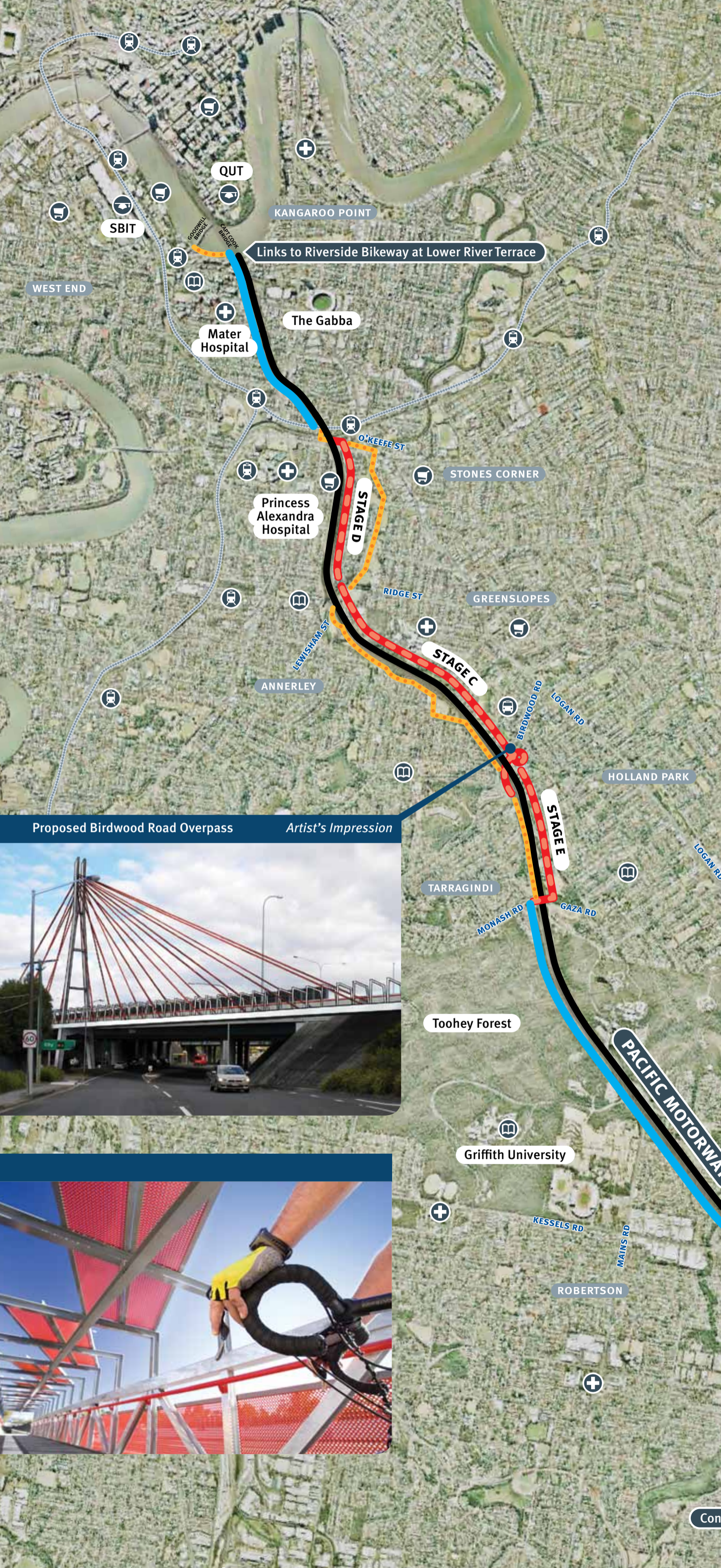
Current and future cycling projects  
<http://www.tmr.qld.gov.au/Travel-and-transport/Cycling.aspx>

Cycling Resource Centre  
[www.cyclingresourcecentre.org.au](http://www.cyclingresourcecentre.org.au)

## Find out more

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## Legend

### Veloway – Completed

#### Stage A

Logan Road (exit 14) to Miles Platting Road (July 2010)

#### Stage B

Miles Platting Road to Gateway Motorway off-ramp, Eight Mile Plains (May 2011)

### Veloway – Pending construction

#### Stage C – Lewisham Street to Birdwood Road

Completion September 2012

#### Stage D – O’Keefe Street to Lewisham Street

Completion June 2013

#### Stage E – Birdwood Road to Gaza Road

Construction in 2015, subject to funding

Existing veloway

Existing shared path

Train station

Busway

Hospital

Tertiary education facility

Primary/secondary education facility

Shopping centre/precinct

Pacific Motorway

Scale:



Proposed Birdwood Road Overpass

Artist's Impression



Connects to Gateway Motorway off-ramp (exit 16)

TO GOLD COAST