

Bruce Highway Upgrade

Caloundra Road to Sunshine Motorway

Vegetation removal at night

Tanawha

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) would like to advise that vegetation removal is scheduled to take place on the western side of the Bruce Highway at Tanawha on the nights of Monday 29 and Tuesday 30 October 2018.

The vegetation removal works will occur near the cutting, north of the Sunshine Motorway interchange at Tanawha and is required to allow work to commence on constructing the new off ramp from the highway to the interchange.

Fauna spotters will monitor the vegetation removal works to ensure wildlife is protected and relocated, if required.

Approximate work zones are shown on the map overleaf.

Working hours

Night works will be required to complete these works.

The project's working hours are:

- Night works: Sunday to Thursday, 7pm to 5am.
- Day works: Monday to Saturday, 6am to 6pm.

The works are expected to be completed over two nights, weather permitting.

What to expect:

- **Audible noise:** Heavy machinery including a grinder, mulcher and chainsaws will be in use and nearby residents should expect audible noise. Reversing beepers and flashing lights are a safety requirement and will be used at all times during night working hours.
- **Traffic control and lane closures:** Traffic changes will be in place including reduced speed limits, road shoulder and lane closures, changes to traffic flow and short-term traffic disruptions.
- **Temporary lighting:** Generator-powered lighting towers will be used to light work areas at night.

We apologise for any inconvenience these essential works may cause and thank local residents for their patience.

Construction notice

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Other construction activities nearby:

Day works (Mon-Sat, 6am-6pm):

- Ongoing major earthworks and drainage works near Tanawha Road, the Bruce Highway median (north of the Sunshine Motorway), the new western service road between Martin Road and Sippy Creek Road.)
- Service relocation works for water, telecommunications and electricity.
- Pavement works near Sippy Creek Road and Parkyn Road.
- Temporary traffic management on local roads to facilitate works.
- Vegetation removal activities.

Night works (Sun-Thurs, 7pm-5am):

- Vegetation removal activities.
- Service relocation works for water, telecommunications and electricity.
- Installation of precast bridge components and concrete pours at the Sunshine Motorway interchange.
- Ongoing drainage works near the Sunshine Motorway interchange to Sippy Downs.
- Temporary traffic management on local roads to facilitate works.
- Scheduled maintenance activities in various areas.

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Night works in your area

Nearby residents can expect audible noise during night works for vegetation removal as heavy machinery including a grinder, mulcher and chainsaws will be in use.

Construction crews must use chainsaws to carefully remove trees that are located near underground or overhead services. This is a safety requirement to reduce the risk of unintentional service strikes.

Machinery access for the vegetation removal is limited due to the difficult terrain. Instead, tree clearers will abseil the rock face to complete the work.

We thank you for your patience while these important works are completed.

