As part of the Bruce Highway Upgrade – Caloundra Road to Sunshine Motorway, a number of traffic switches will occur on major and local roads to facilitate ongoing construction works.

From early December 2018, weather permitting, a 1.5 kilometre section of the Bruce Highway northbound carriageway heading to Gympie will be switched into the centre median, allowing the project team to rebuild that section of the highway.

Detours will be in place for two nights prior to the traffic switch to install barriers, and on the night of the switch to facilitate the new changes.

Motorists will drive this new alignment until mid-2019. During this time, the project team will completely rebuild the northbound carriageway.

The map overleaf shows the changes.

Once construction of the northbound carriageway is complete, the southbound carriageway will be realigned into the centre median to allow those lanes to be rebuilt.

**Working hours**

Both day and 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.

There will be two nights where night works will commence from 5pm to facilitate the traffic changes.

It is important to note that these activities are dependent on weather conditions.

**What to expect:**

**Changed traffic conditions on the Bruce Highway northbound:**

- Detours will be in place for two nights prior to the traffic switch to install barriers, and on the night of the switch to facilitate the new changes.
- A 1.5 kilometre section of the highway will be switched into the centre median.

**Other construction activities nearby:**

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

- Ongoing major earthworks and drainage works near Tanawha Road, the new western service road between Martin Road and Sippy Creek Road.
- Service relocation works for water, telecommunications and electricity.
- Pavement works along Martin Road.
- Temporary traffic management on local roads to facilitate works.
- Preparation for rock cutting activities near Tanawha.
- Vegetation removal activities.

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

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

**KEY**
- Northbound traffic switched to the centre median
- Southbound traffic unchanged
- New work zone

*Note: Map is not to scale and is indicative only.*

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