Ipswich Motorway Upgrade: Rocklea to Darra – Stage 1

February 2020

Notification - Major Eastbound Traffic Change

The Department of Transport and Main Roads advise that the next major change to traffic conditions on the Ipswich Motorway is planned for one (1) weekend, from **6pm Friday 14 February 2020 to 5am Monday 17 February 2020**, weather and construction conditions permitting.

These works will allow the new higher westbound bridges over Oxley Creek floodplain to be constructed.

Only motorists travelling eastbound towards Brisbane will be impacted. (MAP 1)

Eastbound Entry Ramp - Night and Day – motorists wishing to access the motorway from the Oxley Interchange will be directed along the service road to re-join the motorway at the entry ramp near Suscatand Street. This will take place from 8pm Friday night to 8am Sunday morning.

Eastbound Motorway - Night – motorway traffic will be diverted via the Oxley Interchange, along the service road, and will re-join the motorway at the entry ramp near Suscatand Street. This will take place between 8pm and 5am Friday and between 6pm and 5am Saturday and Sunday.

Eastbound Service Road - From 5am Monday 17 February (MAP 2)

Ipswich Road (northern service road) will then extend across Oxley Creek right through to the section of service road joining Collinsvale and Suscatand Streets. This newly connected service road includes a <u>one-way</u> only section and will improve connectivity for local businesses and the community.

Detours, signage and variable message signs (VMS) advising of the changed traffic conditions and reduced speed limits will be in place during the works. Motorway lanes may also be impacted beyond this period if unexpected construction conditions are encountered.

If the traffic change cannot occur due to adverse weather or construction conditions, it will be moved to the next possible weekend.

We apologise for the delays and ask that you allow extra time and consider alternative routes when planning your journey/s. Please remain alert, follow detour signage, be patient, and drive safely.

Thank you for your cooperation,

The Project Team

If you would like further information about the project, please visit <u>www.tmr.qld.gov.au/rocklea2darra1</u>, email <u>contactus@r2d1.com.au</u> or call 1800 204 990.

Information about current traffic and road conditions can be found at www.QLDTraffic.qld.gov.au, by downloading



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Map 1 – Weekend of eastbound traffic changes from 6pm 14 February to 5am 17 February 2020



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