

Above and underground service relocation works

Ipswich Road service road at Rocklea and Oxley

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) will be relocating critical above and underground services along the **Ipswich Road service road between Boundary Road, Rocklea and Bannerman Street at Oxley**.

The works within this footprint will relocate gas, water, telecommunications and electrical services to make way for the major road upgrade. See attached map for locations.

Some fencing and driveways for businesses will need to be relocated and re-instated to accommodate for the works. The project team will work closely with impacted businesses to minimise disruptions and maintain access, where possible during the works. Any closures of access will be by negotiation with the impacted businesses.

There may be some inconvenience to residents and businesses when work activities require traffic changes and the use of construction equipment.

Timing

Works are due to start **mid November 2016** and is expected to be completed by **December 2017** (weather, site and construction condition permitting). Further minor service relocation works may be undertaken during the rest of the construction period for the project.

Work hours

Generally works will be undertaken **6am to 6pm, Monday to Friday**. Nightworks may be required for some of these works for safety and traffic management reasons.

What to expect:

- tree removal
- installation of powerpoles
- relocation of fencing and reinstatement of driveways along the northern side of the motorway to new property boundaries
- re-connection of services to affected properties (any connection works will be done outside business hours, where possible and by negotiation with the affected businesses)
- trenching and underground boring in the road reserve.
- temporary lane closures and reduced speed limits
- minor traffic delays
- additional lighting, where required
- noise from reversing beepers, trenching, vehicles and drilling machinery
- dust from work activities.

More information

During business hours, please contact the project team by email at rocklea2darra@tmr.qld.gov.au or call 1800 204 990. Alternatively you can visit the project website at <http://www.tmr.qld.gov.au/Projects/Name/I/Ipswich-Motorway-Upgrade-Rocklea-to-Darra-Stage-1-Package-1-Granard-Road-to-Oxley-Road>.

TMR apologies for any inconvenience these works may cause and appreciates your patience while these important works are being carried out.

Kind regards,

The project team