## 19 December 2024 TMR Community Media Alert

## New shared path for pedestrians and cyclists in Eidsvold

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) will soon begin construction on a new off-road shared path adjacent to the Burnett Highway at Eidsvold.

The project, which is funded under the Active Transport Investment Program, includes replacing the Harkness Boundary Creek footbridge.

The new footbridge will form part of an expanded project, developed by TMR in collaboration with the North Burnett Regional Council, to improve safety and access for walkers and bike riders in the rural community.

The new works provide off-road access for bike riders, pedestrians and people with limited mobility to safely travel between the Eidsvold town centre, showgrounds and the RM Williams Australian Bush Learning Centre.

Detailed designs on the project are complete with construction expected to commence in mid-2025 and take three months to complete.

In September 2024, TMR temporarily repaired the footbridge to provide a solution for pedestrians and bike riders to safely access the Eidsvold community until the project is delivered.

For further information, please contact TMR on 1300 728 390 during business hours or email <u>bundaberg.office@tmr.qld.gov.au</u>.

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