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## TMR Community Media Alert

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### **TMR makes plea for drivers to adhere to all road closure signage after vehicle rollovers**

**The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) is pleading with motorists to adhere to all road signs after two heavy vehicles rolled while driving through floodwaters.**

The latest incident occurred on the Gregory Developmental Road, an inland freight route.

TMR has noted an escalation in ignoring road closures, predominantly along the Gregory Developmental Road, with some road signs and barriers driven over or removed.

TMR acknowledges the challenges being faced in Northern Queensland and crews are working as fast and as safe as they can to restore the road network, however rain continues to fall and rivers continue to rise, which is hampering these recovery efforts.

All motorists are reminded that if it's flooded, forget it.

Vehicles ignoring closed roads will almost certainly have their insurance refused.

TMR continues to urge all motorists to visit QLDTraffic for all traffic alerts, road closures and condition updates for major roads in Queensland. Motorists can also download the QLDTraffic app or call 13 19 40.

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