







Mackay/Whitsunday Regional contacts

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Regional profile

Overview

The Mackay/Whitsunday Region covers an area of about 90,362km², or around 5.2% of Queensland. It extends from north of Bowen to south of St Lawrence and west to Clermont and the Bowen Basin.

The region has an estimated residential population of about 171,297 people or around 3.8% of Queensland's total population.

The region looks after about 2222km of other state-controlled roads and 451kms of the National Network.

Regional program highlights

In 2012-13 the department completed:

- upgrading the Bruce Highway (St Lawrence Mackay) at the southern approach to Sarina as part of the Nation Building Program, funded by the Australian Government
- upgrading the Waverley Creek Rest Area, construction of a new heavy vehicle rest area adjacent to and shoulder widening on the Bruce Highway (St Lawrence – Mackay) between Granite Creek and Freshwater Creek, as part of the Nation Building Program, funded by the Australian Government
- the second stage of the Southern Approach to Mackay to duplicate the Bruce Highway between Bakers Creek and Mackay's City Gates, as well as intersection upgrades, as part of the Nation Building Program, funded by the Australian Government
- replacement of the existing one-lane boat ramp at Constant Creek boat ramp.

In 2013-14 the department will:

- commence bridge improvements at Sandy Creek, on the Peak Downs Highway (Nebo – Mackay) at Eton
- commence upgrading the Bruce Highway intersections at the Showgrounds and Shakespeare Street, as part of the Nation Building Program, funded by the Australian Government
- commence construction of a roundabout at the intersection of Bruce Highway and Hay Point Road, as part of the Nation Building Program, funded by the Australian Government
- continue repairs to flood damaged roads across the region, as part of Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Arrangements (NDRRA), jointly funded by the Australian Government and Queensland Government
- complete the third and final stage of the Southern Approach to Mackay to duplicate the Bruce Highway between Bakers Creek and Mackay's City Gates, including intersection upgrades, as part of the Nation Building Program, funded by the Australian Government
- continue construction and design of overtaking lanes on the Bruce Highway between St Lawrence and Proserpine, as part of the Nation Building Program, funded by the Australian Government
- continue planning and design for the upgrade of the Peak
 Downs Highway at Eton Range (Peak Downs Highway Safety
 Package), as part of the Regional Infrastructure Fund, funded
 by the Australian Government
- complete planning for a future Mackay Ring Road, as part of the Regional Infrastructure Fund, funded by the Australian Government.

Future plans

The department is continuing to plan for the future transport requirements of residents in the Mackay/Whitsunday Region.

In 2013-14 the department plans to:

- commence the Mackay CBD bus interchange study to identify alternative locations for the provision of the bus interchange and layover facilities
- continue planning for the Mackay Bucasia Road which will investigate duplication of Mackay-Bucasia Road, from the intersection of Eimeo Road up to and including the intersection with Kemp Street.

¹ Source: Queensland Regional Profile statistical report as at 30 June 2011 (www.oesr.qld.qov.au)

Department	of Trans	port and	Main	Roads

National Network

						Contril	butions		Approved		Indicative		
Local government	Project number ⁽¹⁾	Commonwealth number	Project name/Location	Location description	Indicative total cost	Australian Government	Queensland Government / Other	Estimated expenditure June 2013	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16 to 2016-17	Beyond	Work description
					\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Isaac	236/10F/401	034359-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Rockhampton - St Lawrence)	176.50 - 176.60km	920	920		400	520				Install/replace rest areas, stopping places and pull over areas
	236/10G/202	034348-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Clairview south access	1,700	1,700		1,000	700				Undertake miscellaneous works
	236/10G/401	034359-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	50.30 - 50.40km	1,501	1,501		20	967	514			Provide heavy vehicle parking
	236/10G/404	034348-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	7.95 - 29.00km	1,150	1,150		800	350				Install/upgrade audio tactile line marking and rumble strips
Subtotal: Isaac									2,537	514			
Mackay	120/10G/8 ⁽²⁾	034229-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Temples Lane - Farrellys Lane	46,266	30,656	15,610	29,476	12,790	4,000			Duplicate from two to four lanes
	242/10G/2	034338-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Sections : 123.50 - 131.40km	4,370	4,370		270	3,600	500			Construct additional lane/s
	242/10G/206 ⁽³⁾		Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	George Street	151		151		151				Improve intersection/s
	242/10G/3	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Showground and Shakespeare Street intersections	13,874	13,874		1,159	3,000	9,715			Improve intersection/s
	242/10G/4	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Sandy Creek	1,200	1,200		60	140	1,000			Minor realignment of traffic lane/s
	242/10G/5	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Carlton Road	1,300	1,300		50	150	1,100			Improve intersection/s
	242/10G/654 ⁽⁴⁾		Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	130.46 - 133.20km	4,243		4,243	4,143	100				Rehabilitate and overlay (>75mm)
	242/10G/7	034360-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Sections : 104.60 - 113.00km	6,600	6,600		100	1,000	5,500			Construct additional lane/s
	242/10G/8	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Hay Point Road intersection	15,000	15,000		500	2,000	12,500			Construct roundabout/s
	242/10G/906	042214-10QLD-RF1	Bruce Highway (St Lawrence - Mackay)	Mackay Ring Road	10,000	10,000		5,600	4,400				Undertake transport project planning
	120/10H/8	034338-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	Sections : 60.30 - 105.55km	15,285	14,638	647	12,555	1,730	1,000			Construct additional lane/s
	242/10H/206 ⁽³⁾		Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	Heaths Road	130		130		130				Improve intersection/s
	242/10H/3	034338-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	13.30 - 14.60km	10,345	10,345		700	2,000	7,645			Construct additional lane/s
	242/10H/4	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	McLeans Road	1,550	1,550		150	200	1,200			Improve intersection/s
	242/10H/404	034359-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	96.80 - 97.12km	252	252		12	240				Install/replace rest areas, stopping places and pull over areas
	242/10H/405	034337-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	22.30 - 22.40km	280	280		20	260				Provide heavy vehicle parking
	242/10H/406	034337-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	70.80 - 70.90km	280	280		20	260				Provide heavy vehicle parking
	242/10H/489 ⁽³⁾		Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	Yakapari - Seaforth Road / Maraju - Yakapari Road intersection	70		70				70		Install, upgrade or replace roadside delineation
	242/10H/5	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	Geeburga Buthurra Road	1,600	1,600		200	200	1,200			Improve intersection/s
	242/10H/6	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Mackay - Proserpine)	Various locations	2,060	2,060		60	2,000				Undertake miscellaneous works
Subtotal: Mackay									34,351	45,360	70		<u> </u>

						Contril	butions	Estimated	Approved		Indicative		
Local government	Project number ⁽¹⁾	Commonwealth number	Project name/Location	Location description	Indicative total cost	Australian Government	Queensland Government / Other	expenditure June 2013	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16 to 2016-17	Beyond	Work description
					\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Whitsunday	269/10J/2	034338-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Proserpine - Bowen)	50.50 - 53.60km	5,782	5,782		413	869	4,500			Construct additional lane/s
	269/10J/489	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Proserpine - Bowen)	Proserpine-Shute Harbour Road intersection	66	66			66				Install, upgrade or replace roadside delineation
	269/10J/656 ⁽⁴⁾		Bruce Highway (Proserpine - Bowen)	0 - 1.00km	1,602		1,602		1,602				Rehabilitate and overlay (>75mm)
	269/10K/2	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Bowen - Ayr)	Bowen Developmental Road	3,720	3,720		120	1,000	2,600			Improve intersection/s
	269/10K/3	034334-09QLD-NP	Bruce Highway (Bowen - Ayr)	Lower Don Road	1,504	1,504		104	200	1,200			Improve intersection/s
Subtotal: Whitsunda	y								3,737	8,300			
Other works			Corridor and Minor Safety Enhancements			592			592				
			Programmed Maintenance			2,796			2,796				
			Rehabilitation			1,901			1,901				
			Routine Maintenance			2,972			2,972				
			Traffic Management Enhancements			468			468				
Subtotal: Other work	ks								8,729				
Total: Mackay/Whits	sunday National netv	vork							49,354	54,174	70		
Australian Governme	Australian Government contributions								42,956	54,174			
Queensland Governn	Queensland Government contributions								6,398		70		
Total : Contributions									49,354	54,174	70		

Endnotes

- (1) For other Australian Government funded projects, see Statewide commitments section or the relevant region's National Network, State Network and Local Network tables.
- (2) Includes an agreed contribution from Mackay Regional Council of \$15.6 million.
- (3) Funded by the Queensland Government's Safer Roads Sooner program.
- (4) Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Arrangements (NDRRA) for eligible projects are jointly funded by the Australian and Queensland Governments. The funding is provided to TMR through the Queensland Reconstruction Authority and Queensland Treasury.

State Network

						Estimated	Appro	ved ⁽³⁾	Indicat	tive ⁽⁴⁾	
Local government	Project number ⁽¹⁾	Category (2)	Project name/Location	Location description	Indicative total cost	expenditure June 2013	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16 to 2016-17	Beyond	Work description
3					\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Isaac	236/33A/451 ⁽⁵⁾	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Clermont - Nebo)	Sections : 0 - 178.19km	274	250	24				Install, upgrade or replace roadside delineation
	236/33B/4	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	Various locations	1,000	500	500				Replace bridge/s and approaches
	236/33B/5 ⁽⁵⁾	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	Fiery Creek Bridge	690		690				Undertake miscellaneous works
	236/33B/802	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	Various locations	6,800	1,000	3,000	2,800			Rehabilitate bridge/s and culvert/s
	90/33B/308	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	Sections : 11.09 - 16.60km (Fiery Creek - Boundary Creek)	7,099	6,656	442				Widen pavement
	236/5122/654 ⁽⁶⁾	LRRS	May Downs Road	Sections : 46.60 - 62.70km	3,000	2,800	200				Rehabilitate and overlay (>75mm)
	236/5127/481(5)	LRRS	Blue Mountain Road	o - 28.35km	74				74		Install/replace signs
	16/552/17	LRRS	Clermont - Alpha Road	Belyando River	498	391	107				Replace bridge/s
	236/552/702	LRRS	Clermont - Alpha Road	Sections : 0 - 103.13km	1,075			1,075			Apply asphalt resurfacing (<75mm)
	236/98A/483 ⁽⁵⁾	SS	Gregory Developmental Road (Clermont - Belyando Crossing)	153.00 - 153.40km	66			66			Install/replace signs
Subtotal: Isaac							4,963	3,941	74		
Mackay	120/33B/13	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	Sandy Creek	6,267	980	4,787	500			Upgrade bridge/s
	120/33B/901	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	76.00 - 83.00km	7,918	6,475	200	1,244			Undertake transport project planning
	242/33B/5 ^(s)	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	Various locations	2,500	233	1,500	767			Minor realignment of traffic lane/s
	242/33B/8	SS	Peak Downs Highway (Nebo - Mackay)	51.40 - 52.90km	13,500	3,200	6,600	3,700			Construct deviation - sealed standard Install barrier/s
	242/512/481	LRRS	Marlborough - Sarina Road	226.80 - 229.20km	1,670	152		1,518			
	242/518/481(5)	SR	Eton - Homebush Road	Sections: 0 - 10.42km	240			240			Replace/upgrade guardrail section/s and end/s
	120/531/7	SR	Rockleigh - North Mackay Road	Sams Road - Barnes Creek Road	22,270	21,325	745	200			Construct deviation - sealed standard
	242/532/2 ⁽⁵⁾	SR	Mackay - Eungella Road	Sections : 8.00 - 14.00km	2,500	100	500	1,900			Widen shoulder/s
	82/536/8	LRRS	Mirani - Mount Ossa Road	McGregor Creek No.2	3,250	252		2,998			Replace bridge/s and approaches
	242/852/481	SR	Hay Point Road	o - 2.00km	433		433				Relocate hazardous objects close to road/s
	242/856/201 ⁽⁵⁾	SR	Mackay - Bucasia Road	Holts Road roundabout	185				185		Improve intersection/s
	242/857/202 ^(s)	SR	Mackay - Slade Point Road	Sydney Street / Victoria Street	250			250			Improve intersection/s
	242/857/485 ^(s)	SR	Mackay - Slade Point Road	o - o.4okm	156	21	135				Improve cycleway facilities
Subtotal: Mackay							14,900	13,317	185		
Whitsunday	269/8501/201 ⁽⁵⁾	LRRS	Gregory - Cannon Valley Road	Sections: 0 - 14.00km	40	1	39				Install, upgrade or replace roadside delineation
	269/851/482	SR	Proserpine - Shute Harbour Road	10.00 - 12.00km	806	5		801			Relocate hazardous objects close to road/s
	269/851/483	SR	Proserpine - Shute Harbour Road	26.00 - 28.00km	800	321	479				Relocate hazardous objects close to road/s

					11545	Estimated	Appro	ved ⁽³⁾	Indicat	tive (4)		
Local government	Project number ⁽¹⁾	Category (2)	Project name/Location	Location description	Indicative total cost	expenditure June 2013	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16 to 2016-17	Beyond	Work description	
					\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000		
Whitsunday (continued)	269/88A/2 ⁽⁷⁾	LRRS	Bowen Developmental Road (Bowen - Collinsville)	44.10 - 51.20km	10,000		7,000	3,000			Rehabilitate and overlay (>75mm)	
Subtotal: Whitsunda	у						7,518	3,801				
Other works			Construction Works				449					
			Corridor and Minor Safety Enhancements				2,293	1,864	3,749			
			Corridor, Roadway and Structures Management				1,093	1,080	2,411			
			NDRRA Rehabilitation and Replacement				67,935	1,875				
			Peak Downs Highway - Safety Package					41,500	65,000			
			Programmed Maintenance				7,132	10,200	27,376			
			Rehabilitation				904	4,986	11,971			
			Routine Maintenance				7,106	9,784	22,088			
			Traffic Management Enhancements				102	100	224			
			Traffic Operations				1,862	1,866	3,409			
Subtotal: Other work	Subtotal: Other works							73,255	136,228			
Total: Mackay/Whits	sunday State network	(116,257	94,314	136,487			

Endnotes

- (1) For other Queensland Government funded projects, see the Statewide commitments section or the relevant region's National Network, State Network and Local Network tables.
- (2) BW Busways; CW Cycleway; HR Heavy Rail; LR Light Rail; LRRS Local Roads of Regional Significance; MBI Maritime Boating Infrastructure; MNA Maritime Navigation Aids; MVTS Maritime Vessel Traffic Service; MM Multi-modal; OBI Other Bus Infrastructure; SN State Network; SR State Regional; SS State Strategic; TRI Transport Related Infrastructure.
- (3) In some instances, projects may include limited funding for planning activities. This does not guarantee continued funding for construction.
- (4) Allocations for projects scheduled to commence from 2015-16 and beyond are indicative, for planning purposes. Priorities may be re-evaluated annually on a needs basis, according to available funds. The majority of funding in 2014-15 and beyond will be held at a regional level until works have been prioritised.
- (5) Funded by the Queensland Government's Safer Roads Sooner program.
- (6) Natural Disaster Relief and Recovery Arrangements (NDRRA) for eligible projects are jointly funded by the Australian and Queensland Governments. The funding is provided to TMR through the Queensland Reconstruction Authority and Queensland Treasury.
- (7) This is a Roads to Resources project funded as part of the Queensland Government's Royalties for the Regions Program.

Local Network

							Contributions		Estimated	Approved (3)		Indicative		
Local government	Project number ⁽¹⁾	Category (2)	Project name/Location	Location description	Indicative total cost	Local Government	Queensland Government	Australian Government	expenditure June 2013	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16 to 2016-17	Beyond	Work description
					\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
Isaac	236/LGSR/1	LGRD	Cotherstone - Capella Road	0 - 17.00km	3,191	1,596	1,596			798	798			Reshape and seal
	236/LGSR/11	LGRD	Golden Mile Road	Various locations	800	400	400					400		Rehabilitate pavement
	236/LGSR/12	LGRD	Saraji Road	Various locations	796	398	398					398		Rehabilitate pavement
	236/LGSS/1 ⁽⁴⁾	LGRD	Dysart - Clermont Road	16.53 - 37.22km	6,234	3,117	3,117		1,467	1,650				Construct to sealed standard
Subtotal: Isaac										2,448	798	798		
Mackay	242/LGSH/6	LGRD	Augusta Street	Mirani State School	137	69	69		23	46				Provide passenger set-down facilities
	242/LGSR/10	LGRD	Boundary Road East	Connors Road - Success Street	2,926	2,384	542			542				Rehabilitate pavement
	242/LGSR/13	LGRD	Bloomsbury Road	1.00 - 2.00km	1,020	510	510			510				Rehabilitate pavement
	242/LGSR/14	LGRD	Milton Street	Bridge Road	3,427	3,227	200					200		Improve intersection/s
	242/LGSR/15	LGRD	Milton Street	Boundary Road	3,677	3,277	400					400		Improve intersection/s
	242/LGSR/9	LGRD	Connors Road	Crichtons Road - Cooks Lane	2,250	1,953	297				297			Construct to sealed standard
	242/LGSS/2	LGRD	Bruce Highway	Sarina Showgrounds saleyards	108	22		86		86				Improve ramp/s
Subtotal: Mackay										1,184	297	600		
Whitsunday	269/LGSH/3	LGRD	Coral Esplanade	Cannonvale State School	60	33	27			27				Construct footpath/s
	269/LGSH/4	LGRD	Gregory - Cannon Valley Road	Various locations	20	10	10			10				Provide passenger set-down facilities
	269/LGSR/11	LGRD	Waterson Way	Various locations	746	544	202				100	102		Rehabilitate pavement
	269/LGSR/12	LGRD	Strathmore Road	0.50 - 2.00km	700	350	350					350		Pave and seal
	269/LGSR/4	LGRD	Hinschen Street	Faust Street - Marathon Street (o - o.2okm)	850	440	410				410			Rehabilitate pavement
	269/LGSR/6	LGRD	Strathmore Road	o - o.50km	490	245	245				245			Rehabilitate pavement
Subtotal: Whitsunday							37	755	452					
Other works	Other works Local Government Transport Development									1,850				
Subtotal: Other wor	ks											1,850		
Total: Mackay/Whits	sunday Local networ	k								3,669	1,850	3,700		

Endnotes

- (1) For other Queensland Government funded projects, see the Statewide commitments section or the relevant region's National Network, State Network and Local Network tables.
- (2) LGAC Local Government Roads Alliance Capability; LGAR Local Government Passenger Transport; LGCW Local Government Cycleway; LGBI Local Government Bus Infrastructure; LGRD Local Government Road; MBI Marine Boating Infrastructure.
- (3) Allocations have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars.
- (4) Works on the local network that are fully/or partly funded by the Queensland Government.