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Major reconstruction milestone on Mossman – Daintree Road

- Piling works have been completed at a major landslip site on Mossman–Daintree Road, marking a key milestone in the road’s recovery.
- The works are jointly funded by the Australian and Queensland Governments through the Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements (DRFA).
- Reconstruction works are continuing to restore this vital route to its full pre-cyclone function.

Piling works have been completed at a major landslip site on Mossman–Daintree Road, marking a significant milestone for one of Mossman’s busiest roads.

As the only road in and out of Daintree Village, Mossman–Daintree Road has been the focus of an extensive reconstruction program since it was severely damaged by ex-Tropical Cyclone Jasper in 2023.

At the Humbug Reach landslip site, more than 30 vertical concrete piles — some extending over 18 metres into the ground — have been drilled into the base of the hillside to stabilise the downslope area.

Works have now started to build the site back up to road level for the installation of a combined 30-metre retaining wall and 50-metre rock gabion wall.

The reconstruction works will restore safe and reliable access for local communities and businesses, repair damaged road surfaces, and stabilise slopes and batters along the corridor, supporting regional growth and economic recovery.

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Department of Transport and Main Roads Acting Regional Director (North Queensland) Brendan Clancy said this site was significantly damaged during ex-Tropical Cyclone Jasper.

“We’re pleased to see these works progressing to restore this vital route for the local community,” Mr Clancy said.

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"These works are a great example of the Queensland Government's commitment to restoring state-controlled roads that link communities.

"We appreciate the patience and cooperation of road users during reconstruction works."

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