Ipswich Motorway Upgrade: Rocklea to Darra – Stage 1 project

Temporary overnight closures
The westbound Ipswich Motorway exit to Oxley and Durack, will be closed overnight Monday 24 August 2020 and will reopen the next morning. The service road between Boundary Road and Factory Road Loop will also be closed during this period. Detours will be in place to guide traffic to their preferred destination.

Why do you need to close the exit-ramp and service road?
These works are part of stage 1 of the Ipswich Motorway Upgrade: Rocklea to Darra project.

The temporary overnight closures of the westbound motorway exit to Oxley and Durack, and the Ipswich Road service road between Boundary Road and Factory Road Loop are required to facilitate construction of the permanent works for the exit ramp and connection to Factory Road Loop.

Detouring traffic will ensure these works can be completed efficiently and safely for workers and road users.

What are the overnight closures?
The temporary overnight closures will occur:
- Ipswich Motorway exit (westbound) to Oxley and Durack
- Ipswich Road service road between Boundary Road, Rocklea and Factory Road Loop, Oxley.

These closures will affect westbound motorway traffic and westbound traffic from the Donaldson Road overpass and Boundary Road.

When are these closures scheduled to occur?
The first of the closures will occur Monday 24 August 2020 for one night. There will be additional closures at the end of September.

The closures will be from 7pm and reopening to traffic by 5am the following morning.

If weather or construction conditions prevent the works from occurring on these dates, they will occur at the next available opportunity.

From Boundary Road, Rocklea, how can I access the motorway to travel westbound?
A detour will be in place via the Ipswich Motorway entry-ramp at Randolph Street.
How can I get to Oxley or Durack if the exit-ramp is closed?
A detour will be in place with signs to guide you via the Ipswich Motorway exit ramp to Harcourt Road, Darra. Please follow detour signs.

During and following the temporary closure, will access for local residents and businesses be maintained?
Yes. Access in the surrounding area will be maintained with traffic control and road signage advising of the changed traffic conditions.

Please allow extra time when planning your travel and observe the temporary signage. Closures are overnight only, 7pm to 5am and access will be maintained via detours.

Who can I contact if I have a question about these closures or want to find out more about the project?
If you have a question about these upgrade works or would like further information about the project, please visit www.tmr.qld.gov.au/rocklea2darra1, email contactus@r2d1.com.au or call 1800 204 990.

Information about current traffic and road conditions can be found at www.QLDTraffic.qld.gov.au, by downloading the QLDTraffic app, or calling 13 19 40.

When will the whole project be finished?
The Ipswich Motorway Upgrade: Rocklea to Darra – Stage 1 is targeting completion early 2021.

Contact us
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Map showing temporary overnight closure – Westbound motorway exit to Oxley and Durack, and Ipswich Road service road between Boundary Road and Factory Road Loop

Scheduled closure Monday 24 August 2020 from 7pm and reopen at 5am. Similar closures late September.

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