BEAMS ROAD UPGRADE (LACEY ROAD TO HANDFORD ROAD)

Better Roads for Brisbane

Start of Construction



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Lacey Road to Balcara Avenue construction starting September 2023

Council is pleased to advise that we are ready to start construction on the Beams Road Upgrade. Doval Constructions has been awarded the main construction contract to deliver the Lacey Road to Balcara Avenue section of the upgrade on behalf of Council.

The existing roundabout at Dorville Road and Beams Road will be replaced with traffic signals to improve safety for all road users.

This important project will help ease congestion now and plan for future growth on the northside.

Main construction activities:

- Commencement of the Dorville Road intersection upgrade to install traffic signals and signalised pedestrian crossings
- Widening of the roadway between Cowie Road and Balcara Avenue
- Construction of a new shared path for people walking and riding from Lacey Road to Balcara Avenue
- Upgrading power and communications services by public utility authorities (Energex, Telstra, NBN and other communications) from Lacey Road to Balcara Avenue.

View the Lacey Road to Balcara Avenue project plan

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Project timing

Start	September 2023
Finish	Early 2025
Time and day	Construction will occur Monday to Saturday from 7am to 5pm Night works (when required) will occur Sunday to Thursday from 7pm to 5am



We are keeping Brisbane's north moving

We are tackling congestion on the northside with construction on the first stage of the Beams Road Upgrade starting soon.

Brisbane is growing faster than any other capital city which is why we're delivering upgrades that keep our city moving.

With a record investment in our transport network, we will continue to deliver projects that get you home sooner and safer.

Adrian Schrinner, LORD MAYOR

Every effort will be made to minimise disruption to the local community. Council is committed to keeping you informed and will provide advance notification of any out of hours works.

Local residents, businesses and road users will start to see an increase in activity throughout the project area including:

Establishment of a project site office

The project team will establish a site office and lay down area at the Bill Brown Sports Reserve on Telegraph Road.

Vegetation removal

Tree removals will be undertaken soon. Fauna spotters will be on site during tree and vegetation removal and trees will be mulched on site.

Replanting will occur within the local area, where possible, in line with Council's commitment to keep our suburbs cooler, shadier and greener.

Changed traffic conditions

Constructing the upgrade will require changed traffic conditions for road users travelling through the area.

While the works are underway, Beams Road will be reduced to one lane in both directions from Cowie Road to Balcara Avenue

There will be some temporary and permanent changes to on street parking along Beams Road. Further information regarding changes to on street parking will be provided to impacted residents.

Service utility works

Relocating and upgrading public utility services (Energex, Telstra, NBN and other communications) from Lacey Road to Balcara Avenue.

Project funding

The Beams Road Upgrade is jointly funded by the Australian Government for \$50 million, and by Brisbane City Council under the Better Roads for Brisbane Program.







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Upcoming construction activities:

- Removing the house on Council owned land on the corner of Dorville Road and Beams Road
- Private property reinstatement works
- Bulk earthworks and drainage infrastructure upgrades within the project footprint along Beams Road.

What to expect

During the works, residents, commuters and businesses within the project area may at times experience:

- Noise, dust and vibration: these works will at times generate noise, dust and vibrations
- Traffic changes: road users may experience increased truck movements and minor delays when travelling through the area
- Temporary lighting (during night works): lighting towers are required to be used to light work areas at night to ensure worker safety.

Further updates will be provided as works progress.

We thank you for your patience and cooperation while we undertake this important project.

Key project benefits



Improve safety for all road users



Improve connectivity for people walking and riding



Reduce congestion



Improve travel time and reliability

More information

We encourage anyone who lives, works or travels along Beams Road to subscribe for project updates. To register for updates or for more information, contact the project team using the details below.



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