

Council Works Notification

Water Pipeline Investigation Works

Work location: Riverway Drive, Kelso

Flyer delivery date: 23 February 2022

Townsville City Council is committed to providing and maintaining over \$5.4B worth of community assets consisting of water and wastewater networks, bridges, drainage, roads, waste management and more throughout our city. Through this commitment Council has appointed local survey company Rowlands to conduct the following important works:

Ross Dam to Douglas Water Treatment Plant Pipeline Duplication

Townsville City Council is investing \$45 million to duplicate the Ross River Dam to Douglas Water Treatment Plant (WTP) pipeline. This key water infrastructure asset is essential in Townsville's water supply, providing approximately 85% of the city's water.

Works will duplicate the existing pipeline, which runs adjacent to Riverway Drive and crosses Ross River just prior to the treatment plant. Installing a duplicate pipeline will increase the resilience of this key asset, further enhancing Townsville's water security.

The duplicate pipeline will cross Ross River closer to the dam and run parallel to the river through the Department of Defence Mount Stuart Training Area before connecting to the Douglas Water Treatment Plant.

The **Ross Dam to Douglas Water Treatment Plant Pipeline Duplication** ground investigation works near upper Riverway Drive are scheduled to commence on **Monday 28 February 2022** and are expected to take **two days** to complete (weather and ground conditions permitting).

Works involve:

- potholing machinery operations excavating small 15-20cm wide holes up to 2.5metres deep adjacent to the road and footpath. Holes will be refilled at completion of sampling.
- Safety fencing and or barricading installed for pedestrians and vehicles
- Noise, flashing lights and dust

Please refer to the diagram over the page regarding anticipated construction alignment and impact within your area. Note that these durations of works are an estimate and are subject to change due to project variables such as weather conditions.

Townsville City Council in partnership with Rowlands thank you for your patience and understanding whilst this work is conducted.

Normal work hours are **8am to 5pm Monday to Friday**. In exceptional cases, work may be required outside these hours.

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Ross Dam to Douglas Water Treatment Plant Pipeline Duplication – Investigation Works Zone



Final alignment of pipeline and works area subject to investigations.