

Works Notification

UPDATE – Mitchell, Gregory, and Eyre Street Pathway Upgrade

Monday, 7 April 2025

What works are coming up?

Townsville City Council is preparing to commence Phase Four of this project. Phase Four involves upgrading the pathway on the northern side of Eyre Street, extending from McDonald's to Mitchell Street.

What will the works include?

As part of the project, works will include:

- Traffic management and installation of temporary fencing
- Removal of existing pavers and associated materials
- Excavation of trench and install water main
- Backfilling and relaying pavers.

Once the work is completed, we will clean the site, remove the temporary fencing, and reopen the pathway and the road to the public.

What does this mean for me?

Council assures businesses that access will remain open throughout the project. We will make every effort to minimise disruptions and keep stakeholders updated.

If you live in or are travelling through the area, you may experience:

- Construction machinery and vehicle movement.
- Increased levels of dust, noise, and vibrations.
- Temporary traffic changes, including lane closures, minor traffic delays and reduced speed limits.
- Temporary loss of on-street parking and disruption to the outdoor dining areas.

Water Disruption

To prepare for these upcoming works, Council plans to undertake a test water shutoff, resulting in a temporary water loss for approximately 30 minutes during the day.

After this initial shutoff, two additional water outages will be necessary: one for switching to a temporary water supply and another for removing and connecting the old water main to the new one. Before initiating any work involving a water shutoff, Council will contact the businesses affected by this disruption and will provide a

separate notification detailing these specific activities.

Funding

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When will the works take place?

In preparation for the upcoming pathway upgrade, Council will first replace the existing water main that runs along this section of the footpath. Council will deliver the water main replacement works in four parts.

Location	Eyre Streets, North Ward
Timing	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. MacDonald's to Post Office - Monday 14 April to Tuesday 15 April 2025 2. Post Office to Grandma's - Wednesday 16 April 2025 3. Grandma's to Dominoes - Thursday 17 April 2025 4. Dominoes to LJ Hooker - Tuesday 22 April 2025 <p>Works in the area will pause over Easter Friday, the weekend, and Easter Monday.</p>
Hours	<p>Council will undertake these construction activities as night works. Night work hours are from 6pm to 6am Monday to Saturday. In exceptional cases, work may be required outside these hours.</p>

Contact us

To find out more about these works or the project, please contact us on the details below.

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