

# BUILDING FOR OUR FUTURE :

## Pathways: What you need to know



### **Did you know that Townsville City Council maintains more than 525 km of footpaths throughout our region?**

Our footpaths are a vital part of our city which is why Council continues to prioritise their maintenance and construction.

These works will ensure Townsville's commuter network continues to deliver a high quality experience for users.

Please note pathway works timeframes are dependent on the size of the work area and unforeseen circumstances that may arise.

#### **Will I have difficulty accessing my property during the works?**

Pathway works will not generally interfere with the access to your property, however if your driveway needs to be cut off a Council representative will make contact at least 24 hours prior to work beginning.

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In some cases driveway reconstruction may need to take place which will alter scheduled work time and access accordingly. If this is the case you will be made aware.

#### **Will access to my business be cut off?**

Council knows how important access to your business is, which is why we limit cutting business access unless completely necessary. If access is required to be cut Council will work closely with businesses to ensure operation is least affected.

#### **Will there be traffic management in place?**

There will be partial closures of footpaths and possibly associated parking spaces to allow access for machinery. Installation of temporary fencing will also be in place throughout the works.

#### **I have an irrigation system set up on my nature strip, will it be damaged in the works?**

If you have an irrigation system on the nature strip, make contact with the crew leader on site to identify the location before any works begin. It is advised that you check the operation of the system on completion of the works, as Council will only repair damage to footpath irrigation caused by our works, any damage needs to be reported within one month of the completed works.

#### **Will there be an alternative path available?**

Council will endeavour to sign an alternative pedestrian pathway when necessary to allow pedestrian access.

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Townsville City Council would like to thank all impacted for their patience and cooperation during these works.



## Pathways: Council Works Notification

**Works location:** Sturt Street, Townsville City

**Flyer delivery date:** Friday, 3 July 2020

Townsville City Council has been successful in securing \$24.5 million to improve Townsville's infrastructure, parks and venues, as part of the Works for Queensland (W4Q) initiative by the Queensland Government.

This program which is funded by the Queensland Government and delivered in partnership with Council, aims to assist Council's to build better infrastructure and create and sustain jobs locally.

Council has commenced the rollout of W4Q projects across the city and as part of this program; your suburb will receive the Sturt Street - Shared Pathways Renewal Program between the boundaries of Fletcher Street and Knapp Street, Townsville City.

Our pathway system is vital to ensuring our city's commuter network delivers a quality experience to users. New pathways are built to link our city's infrastructure and support our community's connectivity needs.

Pathway works and associated infrastructure upgrade works are scheduled to commence on **Tuesday, 7 July 2020** and are expected to take **eight (8) weeks** to complete (weather and conditions permitting).

Works may involve:

- Temporary traffic control
- Partial closure of footpath and associated parking spaces
- Possible reconstruction of driveways
- Noise

On your bin collection day please ensure your bins are out by 6am to be collected.

Normal work hours are **6am to 4pm Monday to Friday** and **6am to 2pm on Saturday**. In exceptional cases, work may be required outside these hours.

**Contact:** Angus Cook, Team Leader, Construction, Maintenance and Operations.

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