

Road upgrade program – Stage 1 Wellington Street/Panorama Drive

The Wellington Street/Panorama Drive upgrade program is an exciting, three-stage improvement project that will see duplication of the current road from Boundary Road in Thornlands to Russell Street in Cleveland.



Image from fly-through animation video showing how the road will change.

Council recently approved funding for the first stage of the project that will deliver four lanes from Boundary Road to South Street in Thornlands. Early works, including service relocations are expected to commence in late 2020, with construction on Stage 1 to be completed by 2023.

The project is supported by the Australian Government through the Urban Congestion Fund and will bring numerous benefits including:

- Creation of around 70 jobs for Redlands Coast residents*
- Another 70 jobs for other Queenslanders*
- Alleviation of peak-hour congestion
- Improved journey to work times
- Improved intersection safety
- Improved pedestrian and cyclist safety.

Services including electricity, NBN and telecommunications will be relocated along the road corridor before road works begin. Roadworks are then expected to progress over three years with intermittent disruptions. The existing road will continue to carry traffic while the new lanes are constructed on the adjacent road reserve.

Some driveways leading to the road will need to be replaced due to new kerb alignments. Council will contact all affected property owners and residents, and work with them to ensure minimal disruptions while these driveways are reinstated “like for like” at Council’s cost. Council will keep affected households informed as works progress.

Visit yoursay.redland.qld.gov.au/WellingtonStreet for more information and to watch a project animation.

*Source: National Institute of Economic and Industry Research (NIEIR) ©2019. Compiled and presented in economy.id by .id the population experts

Project timeline

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* subject to Council approval and future Australian and Queensland Government grant opportunities