

Gold Coast Rapid Transit

Broadbeach roadworks update

January 2012

The following construction works are occurring in the Broadbeach roadworks area over the next month*.

Northern Zone: Gold Coast Highway between the intersections of Thornton Street and Armrick Avenue.

- Works continue to realign the intersection at **Remembrance Drive, Surfers Paradise Boulevard** and the **Gold Coast Highway**.
- The four bus stops on **Old Burleigh Road** are temporarily closed until early to mid 2012. Bus route 750 has been diverted down Wharf Road and now stops at two temporary bus stops located near Surf Parade.
- Two northbound bus stops on **Surfers Paradise Boulevard**, which service route 750, have also been temporarily closed. The replacement stops are located approximately 200m from the closed stops.
- The permanent bus stop shelter at **Remembrance Drive** (opposite Thornton Street) will be installed after Energex works are complete in early 2012.
- **Telstra** have now completed all trenching underground and are installing the new cables.
- **Energex** crews have completed the underground power for the project and are currently removing poles and cables.

Southern Zone: Gold Coast Highway between the intersections of Armrick Avenue and Australia Avenue.

- Work continues on the stormwater drainage system **between Armrick and Australia Avenues**. This upgrade will improve the stormwater drainage capacity and will mitigate against flooding in Broadbeach.
- As part of upgrading public utility services in the Broadbeach area, new water and sewer mains are being installed in the southern zone and are due to be completed in April 2012.
- **Chelsea Avenue** has been reopened.
- Final footpath and driveway works in the southern zone have commenced and will be ongoing.

Please slow down – roadwork safety is your responsibility too.

**weather and construction conditions permitting.*

For further information:

- Call **1800 967 377** and select **Option 1** for construction enquiries then **Option 3** for Broadbeach Surfers Paradise roadworks
- Visit the project website **www.goldcoastrapidtransit.qld.gov.au**

Night works

Night works will take place along the Gold Coast Highway between Australia Avenue, Broadbeach and Surfers Paradise Boulevard, Surfers Paradise.

Conducting works at night when the highway is less busy ensures two lanes of traffic in each direction can be maintained on the Gold Coast Highway during peak periods. In addition, some service upgrades and relocations require interruptions to the services. This is best done at night when demand for these services is at its lowest. Working at night also increases opportunity to fast-track the project minimising the duration of disruption to the local community.

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