

Gold Coast Rapid Transit

Traffic signal works at the Nerang Street / High Street intersection, Southport

1 October 2011

Works to remove the existing traffic signals and install new signals at the Nerang Street / High Street intersection will be undertaken on Saturday 1 October 2011. Temporary traffic lane closures and travel delays around the intersection are expected.

Works will involve:

- Decommissioning and removing the existing traffic signals at the intersection. Cranes and other large equipment will be used during these works.
- Installing, connecting and testing new traffic signals at the intersection.
- These works are being done during the weekend to minimise disruption to nearby businesses and the community.

What to expect:

- Temporary traffic lane changes / closures will occur at the Nerang Street / High Street intersection from 5.30am until 6.30pm on Saturday 1 October 2011, weather permitting. Should weather or construction conditions prevent works from occurring at this time, works will be rescheduled for subsequent weekend(s).
- At least one lane of traffic will be maintained in each direction on Nerang Street and High Street during works.
- Left and right turn slip lanes at the intersection may be closed at times. Motorists may be required to make these turns from the through traffic lanes.
- Police will be in place to control the intersection while the existing traffic signals are switched off and the new signals are connected / tested.

Traffic controllers and signage will be in place at all other times to assist and direct motorists.

- Access to commercial driveways near the intersection will be maintained.

- Increased traffic and some travel delays can be expected around the intersection. Motorists are advised to allow additional travel time during this weekend.
- Trucks will frequently enter and exit the work site.
- Pedestrian and cycle movements will be restricted around the intersection at times. Pedestrians and cyclists are advised to avoid the intersection and seek alternative routes where possible.
- The speed limit in the works zone will be reduced to 40km/h for the safety of roadworkers and motorists.
- Localised noise, dust and vibration can be expected. These impacts will be regularly monitored and reduced wherever possible.

All efforts will be made to keep disruption to a minimum. We thank you for your patience and cooperation.

For further information:

- Call 1800 967 377 to speak to the project team
- Visit the project website www.goldcoastrapidtransit.qld.gov.au.

To register for email and / or SMS updates, send an email with your mobile number to southport@tmr.qld.gov.au.

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