Mobility Mapping
Improving access for the Sunshine Coast community

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Creating an accessible region is a key factor in improving the lives of Sunshine Coast residents and visitors.
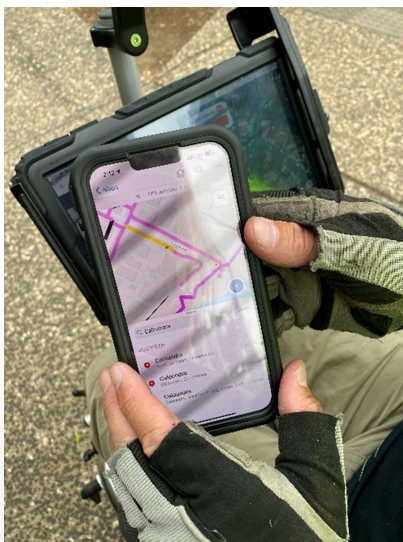
Sunshine Coast Council is committed to working with our community to provide accessible places and a range of options for travelling across the Sunshine Coast.

About the Mobility Mapping Project

In 2022, we started a revolutionary project to create mobility maps of popular areas of the Sunshine Coast.

We worked with Briometrix and a team of wheelchair 'pilots' equipped with special equipment to record areas and features.

This data was then turned into dynamic web-based maps.

Map features

The mobility maps assist users by identifying features including footpaths, shared pathways, beach accesses, building entrances and trails accessible for people of all abilities. The maps also show effort ratings based on slope, surface condition and surface type.

Council uses information gathered during the mapping process to identify and prioritise improvements.

Mapped areas

To date, we have mapped over 60 kilometres of paths, 250 crossings and 400 transport and parking facilities. We have published maps for popular parts of the following areas:

- Cotton Tree
- Maroochydore
- Alexandra Headland
- Mooloolaba
- Kawana
- Buddina
- Birtinya (Sunshine Coast University Hospital and Kawana Stadium)
- Currimundi
- Caloundra
- Maleny
- Nambour
- Coolum
- Montville
- Beerwah

For more information

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