

Construction notification

Project number: ITT256

9 October 2026

First Avenue Upgrade, Maroochydore



Night works – electrical upgrade works (Stage 1)



Sunday 11 to Thursday 15 October (inclusive), 6pm to 6am.



First Avenue, George Street, The Esplanade



No power outages are expected. Contractors and equipment on site including a large drill rig. Traffic control as required. Intermittent noise. First Avenue open to southbound traffic. Access available to homes and businesses.

About these works

Major electrical upgrades are taking place as part of the project. These works are required to future-proof the electricity supply for Maroochydore.

To minimise impacts to our community, including local businesses, night works will take place next week.

Electrical contractors and equipment, including a large drill rig, will be on site. Works include:

- Saw-cutting parts of concrete footpaths, road surfaces and driveway crossovers
- A vacuum truck sucking underground material
- Horizontal directional drilling by a large drill rig
- Excavating trenches across the road surface
- Installing underground electrical conduits and cables under the roads, footpaths and driveways
- Intermittent noise

No interruptions to power supply are expected

Because working near or connecting the power grid involves high-risk activities, the process is heavily regulated by Energex safety standards and community exclusion zones will apply.

Nighttime trading businesses on First Avenue and nearby streets, including the Maroochy RSL will remain accessible during these works, sometimes via traffic control. Please check each individual business' operating hours.

Access to residences on First Avenue and The Esplanade will remain available via traffic control.

The Route 600 Bus will continue to operate (refer **Figure 2** on this notice).

We thank our community for your patience during these works and continuing to support local businesses.

Locations and dates of night works

- **Zone D. George Street-First Avenue intersection.** Sunday 11 to Tuesday 13 October (inclusive) 6pm to 6am.
- **Zone A. The Esplanade.** Tuesday 13 to Thursday 15 October (inclusive) 6pm to 6am.

Please refer to **Figure 1** on this notice.

Temporary changes to traffic conditions including pedestrians and vehicles

Vehicles and parking

First Avenue will remain open to southbound traffic.

Some temporary changes to traffic will take place on The Esplanade, Memorial Avenue and George Street, including partial lane closures and changes to on-street parking.

Traffic control will assist residents with access/egress to their homes during works.

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Pedestrians

Pedestrian access to First Avenue, The Esplanade, George Street and Memorial Avenue will remain.

Route 600 Bus

The Route 600 Bus will continue to operate with The Esplanade bus stop temporarily relocated each evening to Memorial Avenue. Signage will be in place to redirect passengers (please see **Figure 2** on this notice).

Energex notifications

As Southeast Queensland's electricity network provider, Energex is responsible for providing direct, advance notice to property owners/body corporate of any potential outages. This notification has been provided as a courtesy to local residents and businesses.

About the First Avenue project

First Avenue, Maroochydore (from Aerodrome Road to The Esplanade and Duporth Avenue) is being transformed. Works are expected to continue until approximately mid-2027 (weather permitting).

In addition to Council's \$15.9 million funding contribution, the project has received \$11.9 million from the Australian Government's Growing Regions Program.

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Contact us

You can contact the project team directly via email: FirstAvenueUpgrade@sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au
For more information about this project, please visit our [website](#), or call the customer contact team on 07 5475 7272.

All information contained in this communication is accurate at the time of distribution. However, works and dates are subject to change due to circumstances outside of Sunshine Coast Council's control including weather and site conditions.

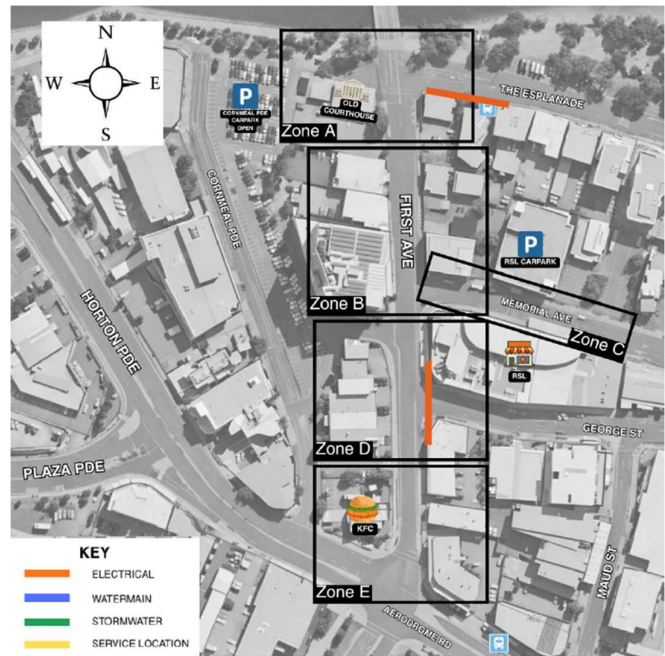


Figure 1. Locations of electrical upgrade night works – Sunday 11 to Thursday 15 October inclusive. 6pm – 6am (refer orange areas)

Bus stop closure

When	From 6:30pm to 6am each night Sunday 11 to Thursday 15 October
Closed stop	The Esplanade at First Avenue, Maroochydore (Stop ID 322563)
Open stop	Temporary stop on Memorial Avenue, Maroochydore approximately 180m away (2 mins)
Which routes	600
Why?	Electrical works

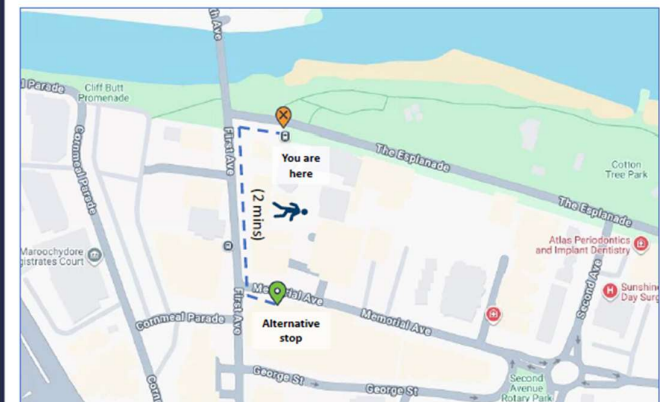


Figure 2. Temporarily relocated bus stop. From 6.30pm to 6am each night. Sunday 11 to Thursday 15 October (inclusive)