

Construction Notification

Project number: P-H5637

Caloundra Headland Coastal Pathway - Boardwalk



Boardwalk construction including vegetation and piling works



3 October to Friday 8 December 2023 (all dates weather permitting)



Caloundra Headland, The Esplanade, Kings Beach



Temporary changes to traffic conditions day and night.

Detours and traffic control in place. Construction crew and machinery on site.

Construction overview

Construction is commencing on the new 160-metre-long section of Caloundra Headland Coastal Pathway Boardwalk. This section forms part of a total 73 kilometre long coastal pathway route from Bells Creek in the south to Coolum in the north.

For safety reasons during construction some temporary changes to traffic conditions are required.

These temporary changes have been timed to take place outside of peak school holiday periods and will allow the construction team to work more safely and efficiently, thereby minimising inconvenience to residents and visitors.

Temporary changes to traffic conditions – The Esplanade

To safely undertake a number of critical elements of the boardwalk's construction some temporary changes to traffic conditions will be required from October to December 2023.

During these works, The Esplanade (between Albert Street and Margaret Street) will be temporarily closed to all traffic during the following dates (day and night).

Access for local residents will remain available.

Dates of The Esplanade temporary closure (day and night) - between Albert Street and Margaret Street

 Tuesday 3 October to Friday 8 December 2023 (inclusive)

Detours will be in place via Burgess, Margaret and Albert Streets with signage erected to help redirect motorists.

Pedestrians and cyclists will be detoured via alternative pathways on The Esplanade.

Please follow the instructions of traffic controllers and observe the directional signage for your own safety.

Description of works

Tuesday 3 October Friday 8 December (day works only) –

Vegetation pruning and selective vegetation removal plus retaining wall construction

The boardwalk's alignment has been carefully designed to minimise impacts on native plants and fauna.

Some pruning and selective removal of vegetation is required to accommodate the new boardwalk. All relevant environmental permits are in place.

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.

Revegetation and weed removal will follow the completion of major construction.

Following the vegetation works, a retaining wall will be built adjacent to the coastal pathway.

During these works large vehicles and machinery will be operating from the roadway. Intermittent noise is to be expected including from vehicle movements and tree lopping activity.

While these works will take place during the day only, the temporary road closure will be in effect during the day and night for safety reasons.

Monday 16 October to Saturday 25 November (day works only) - Piling works for boardwalk.

Eighty-four small diameter steel rods (piles) will be drilled and grouted into rock to form the foundations for the new boardwalk. All relevant environmental permits are in place.

During these works large machinery will be operating from the roadway and within the boardwalk's footprint. Intermittent noise is to be expected.

While these works will take place during the day only, the temporary road closure will be in effect during the day and night for safety reasons.

To find out more about the project

You can find further information about the overall Coastal Pathway Project including the extensive previous community engagement on council's website at www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au

You can find further information about this section, the Caloundra Headland Coastal Pathway, including all construction updates and details of each construction stage, by scanning the QR Code on the right hand side of this notification. The QR Code links directly to the project's webpage.



Figure 1 QR Code to link to Caloundra Headland Coastal Pathway - Boardwalk webpage

Register for project updates

To be kept informed about the progress of the project, please register your interest here.

In keeping with council's environmental sustainability commitment, construction updates will be available on the project's webpage, and sent by email only to those people who **register** to receive them.

Contact the project team

To contact the project team at any time please email us at

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