

Jabiru Island boat ramp upgrade project

The Gold Coast Waterways Authority is upgrading the boat ramp at Jabiru Island. This project involves replacing and upgrading the recreational boat ramp lanes to current Transport and Main Roads (TMR) specifications. The site is on the southern side of Jabiru Island, near the junction of the southern arm of the Coomera River, Coombabah Creek and Saltwater Creek.

Update:

- The site has been identified as nearing the end of its asset life and has been assessed for upgrades as part of asset replacement works
- Construction is expected to be commence in June 2023 and is scheduled to be completed by July-August 2023.

Benefits:

- Maintaining facilities like this boat ramp is an important part of ensuring safe, navigable access for waterway users, especially as demand for these facilities continues to climb on the Gold Coast
- The new boat ramp will meet current Standards and TMR specifications, requiring a slightly bigger footprint
- The design will provide better traction at the lower section of the boat ramp, which will improve the ramp's performance.

Impacts:

- Temporary closure of some facilities while works are completed
- · Access limitations during the works period
- · Some noise impacts from demolition, construction and piling

For alternative boat ramps, jetties, pontoons and fishing facilities nearby, visit this City of Gold Coast web page:

https://www.goldcoast.qld.gov.au/Things-to-do/Boating-fishing-jet-skiing

LOCATION

Southern side of Jabiru Island, Paradise Point

KEY DETAILS

Planned investment: \$950,000

Estimated construction start: June 2023

Estimated completion: July 2023

Current status:Construction phase

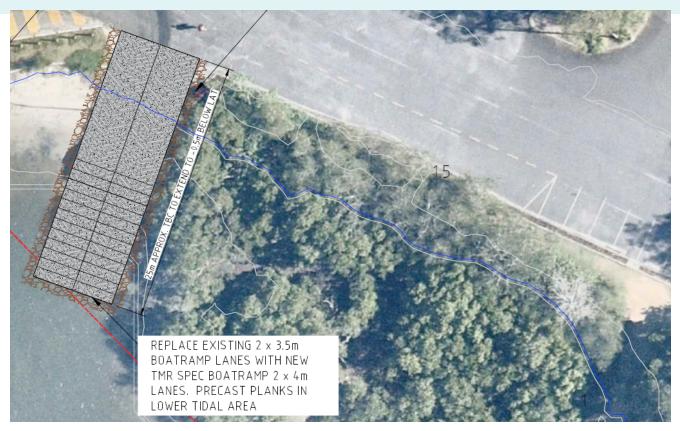
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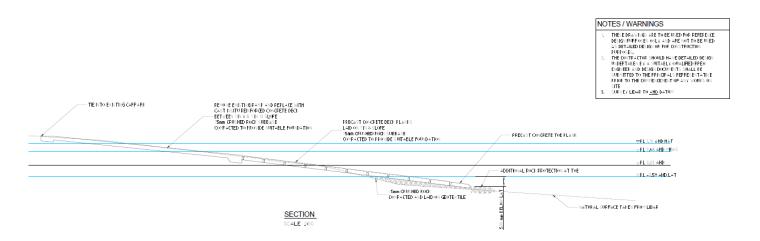
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Concept plan: Jabiru Island boat ramp upgrade



Layout plan



Visualisation of new boat ramp - cross section

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