

PROJECT FACT SHEET

Doug Jennings Park Revitalisation

The Gold Coast Waterways Authority is committed to maximising public benefit in the areas of Doug Jennings Park and Moondarewa Spit.

As part of ongoing works to revitalise Doug Jennings Park, we will be delivering crucial landscaping improvements to continue creating beautiful and relaxed spaces for visitors to enjoy.

Proudly funded by the Queensland Government's Spit Works Program and delivered by Gold Coast Waterways Authority and Regal Innovations.

THE IMPROVEMENT WORKS INCLUDE:

- Enhancing public spaces along the waterfront to improve views and accessibility.
- Improving pathways for better connections throughout the park and waterfront
- Improving event functionality eg: vehicle access and reinforced turf
- Landscaping and planting of native shade trees and shrubs
- Shaping of trees to enhance and revitalise.

IMPACTS

- During construction, access to certain areas of the park will be restricted including the number of car parks is likely to be reduced to enable the improvements to be undertaken
- Some noise will be generated by construction works
- Updates will be posted on the GCWA Facebook page

PROJECT LOCATION

Doug Jennings Park,
Main Beach

KEY DETAILS

Planned Investment: \$5.75M

Est. works start: January 2025

Est. works completion: October 2025

Current Status: Complete

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Seaway Green



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Picnic Green



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Community feedback has shaped the final design for the park's improvements.

Access for to the water

Access to the water remains the same, so divers and snorkellers can continue to enjoy what the Gold Coast Seaway has to offer.

Parking along the Ring Road

One of the main concerns raised by the community in 2023 was the retention of parking along the western ring road. There is no loss of car parking in this location.

Increase Vegetation Coverage

Increase of native and endemic planting to enhance the site's ecology and reflect the character of the adjacent coastal reserves.

Improve Connectivity

Strengthen pedestrian and cyclist pathways for better connections throughout the park and waterfront.

More Open, Green Spaces

That can be used and enjoyed by families, friends, and visitors who want to relax by the water's edge.

Turf Resilience

The turf on the event green will be reinforced which will enable it to recover more quickly and cost-effectively from the impact of events, minimizing the visual damage that has been common in the past.

