

MEDIA STATEMENT

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Road safety works on Bunya Highway, north of Tingoora

Works have begun to improve safety on a 1.94-kilometre section of the Bunya Highway, north of Tingoora.

Transport and Main Roads Regional Director for Southern Queensland Kym Murphy said the \$3.39 million project, between Swartz Road and Burns Road intersections, would include widening and strengthening the surface, installing guardrail and lengthening drainage.

"These works will improve safety for motorists, extend the road's longevity and reduce future maintenance costs," Ms Murphy said.

"The designated zones on either side of the road will also be cleared to ensure they are free of obstructions.

"Traffic controllers, single-lane closures and speed restrictions will be in place to complete the works safely and efficiently.

"Work will generally take place between 6am and 6pm, Monday to Friday.

"Every effort will be made to minimise disruption.

"Motorists should observe all warning signs when approaching the roadworks and be aware of the changed conditions.

"We thank road users and residents for their patience and co-operation while we deliver these important safety works."

RoadTek will deliver the project, which is expected to be finished by the end of the year, weather permitting.

For further information about this project, phone 1300 728 390 or email bundaberg.office@tmr.qld.gov.au.

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