

Work notification | October 2023

Borumba Pumped Hydro Project

Traffic changes on Yabba Creek Road near Borumba Dam

Queensland Hydro is continuing geotechnical investigation work for the Borumba Pumped Hydro Project. Temporary traffic changes will be in place on Yabba Creek Road near Borumba Dam from **Friday 20 October 2023** while we carry out geotechnical investigation work for about three weeks, weather permitting. The work will be carried out between 7 am and 5 pm Monday to Sunday. Traffic management controls will remain in place 24/7 until the works are completed to safely guide road users around the work area. The work will help us to understand the ground and groundwater conditions of the Project area. Data and information collected will help to inform the environmental assessment and technical development activities for the Project.

Work will involve:

- Drilling and backfilling a small borehole of about 150 mm in diameter within the road corridor
- Other non-intrusive survey work
- Using vehicles and equipment such as a drilling rig, 20 tonne excavator, handheld equipment, backhoe, trucks, and trailer-mounted traffic lights.

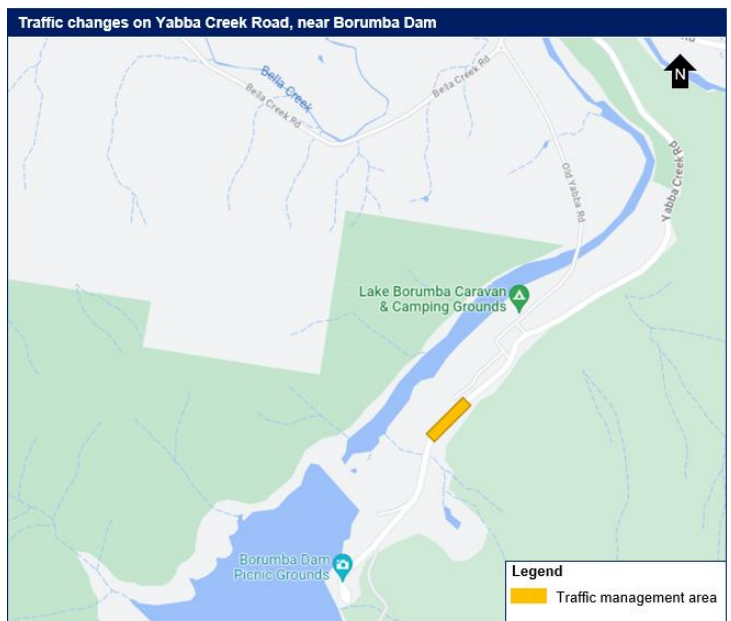
What to expect:

- There will be some temporary traffic changes to ensure the work zone is safe involving traffic signals to safely guide road users around the work area.
- We will ensure biosecurity and other control measures are in place to protect the local environment.
- Each borehole site will be restored as close to its original condition as possible upon completion.

Please keep to speed limits and follow the direction of traffic controllers and signs.

Queensland Hydro has engaged with both the State and Federal government in relation to environmental and planning permits for this geotechnical investigation work and all necessary authorisations have been obtained for geotechnical drilling at these locations. This work is separate to the project's current Federal Government referral for exploratory works, planned to start from late 2023.

Thank you for your cooperation and patience while we complete these important investigations.



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