



NOTICE OF WORKS

Water Main Replacements – Burleigh Heads

WHAT IS HAPPENING?

City of Gold Coast is replacing water mains along Taree Street and a section of Hutchinson Street at Burleigh Heads (see map overleaf for information).

The mains are reaching the end of their design life and are being replaced to ensure businesses continue to have a reliable water supply.

Works will involve removing the existing mains and installing new water pipes via an open trench construction method.

Some of the pipes being removed contain 'bonded' asbestos cement which means the fibres were built into the pipe when it was manufactured.

The removal work will be performed by licensed asbestos removers in compliance with strict Work Health and Safety regulations. This includes wetting down the pipes, then wrapping and disposing in a special bin.

Asbestos cement pipes were used in the water industry for many years and extensive studies show there is no increased health risk from their use.

A temporary above-ground water pipe will be used to maintain water supply during the works. It will provide the same quality drinking water as the existing mains. Crossing ramps will be installed across driveways to protect the pipe and maintain safe access to properties.

Our delivery partner, GCISolutions, will carry out these works on our behalf.

WHEN IS IT HAPPENING?

Works are scheduled to start in early-November 2023 and are expected to be completed in February 2024 (pending site and weather conditions).

To reduce impacts on businesses and motorists, these works will be carried out at night from Sunday to Thursday, excluding public holidays. Working hours will be 7pm to 5am.

Due to the nature of the works, some activities may need to be conducted outside of these hours at times. We will endeavour to notify businesses in advance should this occur.

WHAT CAN I EXPECT?

Our site personnel will make every effort to reduce impacts as much as practical during the works. However, you may notice the following localised construction impacts:

- Increased levels of noise, dust, vibration, and lighting. The site team will implement measures to minimise these impacts as much as possible.
- Changed traffic conditions including reduced speed limits and temporary lane / road closures. Traffic controllers will be available during construction working hours to assist motorists.
- Temporary water supply interruptions. We will notify businesses of these interruptions in writing at least 48 hours in advance.
- A slight reduction in water pressure during the use of the temporary water supply pipe.
- Reduced street parking in and around the work zone.
- Temporary footpath closures. Alternative pedestrian access will be clearly signed, and site representatives will be available during construction working hours to assist pedestrians.

We thank you for your patience and understanding while we carry out these essential works.

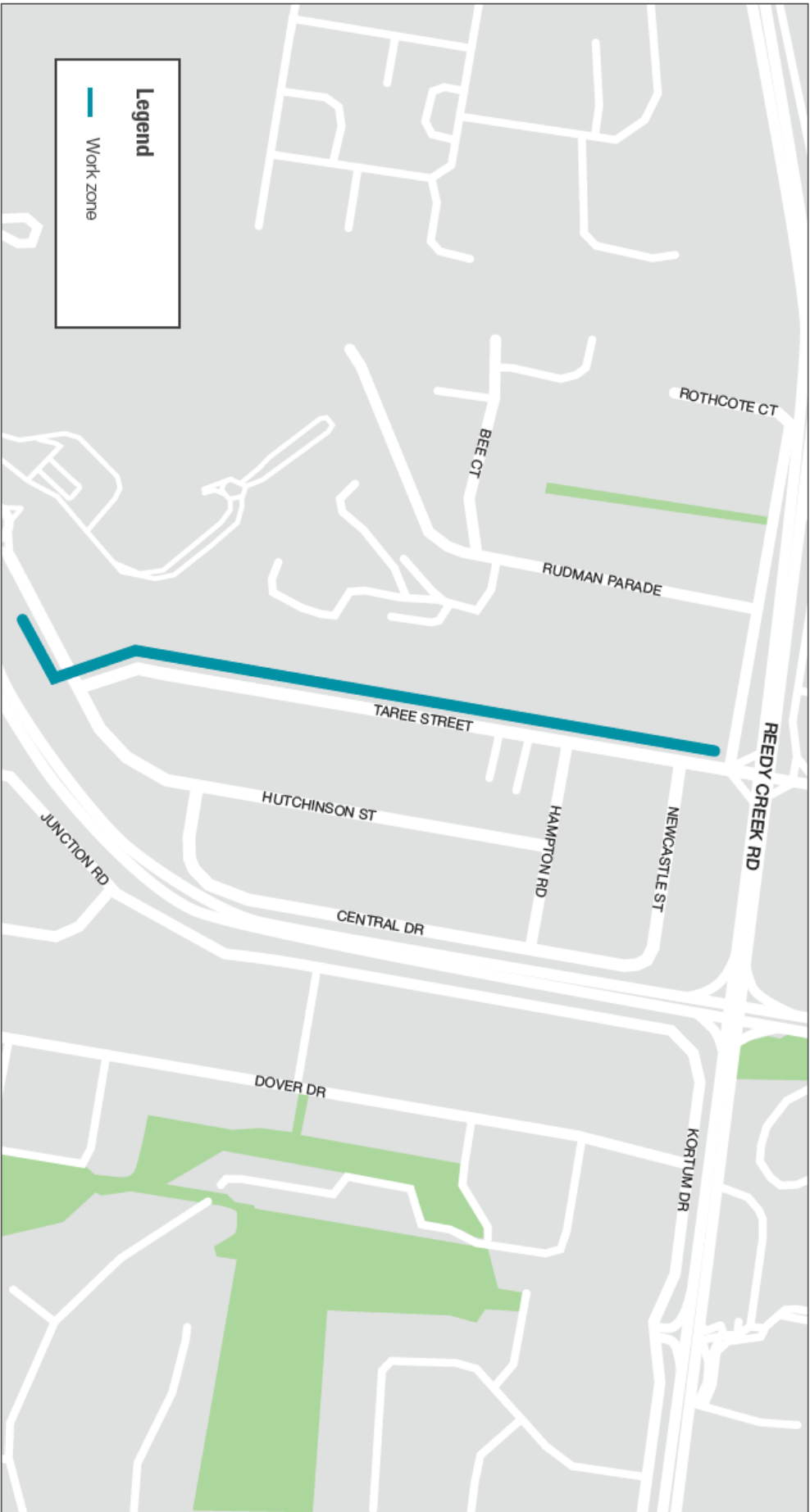
For further project information on the City's water main replacement program, please scan the QR code.



If you have any questions about these project works, please contact our Customer Contact Centre on 1300 000 928 and quote reference number 1001040072.

Burleigh water main replacement

Taree Street and Hutchinson Street



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