

MEDIA STATEMENT

20 January 2024

Major damage at Routh Creek Bridge

- Routh Creek bridge on Gulf Developmental Road has sustained significant damage.
- Gulf Developmental Road between Georgetown and Mount Surprise
- There is currently no viable alternate route. (alternate route adds over 2000 kilometres to the journey)

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) advises the Gulf Developmental Road between Georgetown and Mount Surprise is closed due to significant damage at Routh Creek bridge.

There is currently no viable alternate route. Motorists should delay travel in this area.

We have crews traveling to site to assess the damage.

For up-to-date information about works on the state-controlled network call 13 19 40 or visit www.QLDTraffic.com.au.

Assistance will be provided through the jointly funded Commonwealth-State Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements (DRFA).

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