



Australian Government

Roads of Strategic Importance

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Mount Isa to Rockhampton Corridor Upgrade - Landsborough Highway -
Upgrades at Rutchillo Creek
Queensland

Australian Government Funding: \$4.0 million

Queensland Government Contribution: \$1.0 million
Total: \$5.0 million

Project description

This project will deliver rehabilitation and drainage upgrades on the Landsborough Highway between Kynuna and Cloncurry at Rutchillo Creek.

The Landsborough Highway is the principal north-south route serving Western Queensland. Sections of the highway experience safety and capacity issues due to ageing and narrow pavements, as well as low flood immunity. This project will address these issues at a targeted section of the highway, improving the reliability of freight movements in this corridor and increasing road safety for all users.

This project, alongside two other rehabilitation and drainage upgrade projects on the Landsborough Highway, has been added to the Mount Isa to Rockhampton corridor under the Roads of Strategic Importance initiative at the 2022-23 Budget. These three projects deliver a corridor approach in progressively replacing at-risk structures to improve resilience, heavy vehicle access and productivity.

Jobs supported

- This project is expected to support 10 direct and indirect jobs based on Australian Government estimates.

Project benefits

- Improved road safety for all road users.
- Improved efficiency and network reliability.
- Improved accessibility and connectivity of road networks.
- Improved freight productivity and access to freight gateways.

Project timelines

- This project is expected to commence construction in early 2024 and be completed by late 2024.

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