

Road Conditions – 9 July 2024

Cape Tribulation Road is open to all vehicles through to just past Cape Trib Beach House.

There are some weight, time and length restrictions.

- Alexandra Range – Open 5am to Midnight. If towing a trailer, caravan or campervan, total length cannot exceed 15.1 metres.
- Rigid vehicles cannot exceed 12.5 metres in length.
- Maximum weight of vehicles is 25 tonnes.
- Noah Creek Bridge has a weight restriction of 16 tonnes.
- Noah Range – Open 5am to Midnight.

Cape Tribulation Bloomfield Road is open to 4WD vehicles.

- The road is holding up well with the recent wet weather.
- This includes the stretch of road between Cape Trib Beach House and Emmagen Creek.
- There are no weight or time restrictions, however the road is unsuitable for towing trailers, campervans or caravans. Douglas Shire Council has reinforced the messaging around no caravans or trailers.

Zig Zag Road open to 4WD vehicles. Road is suitable for towing.

China Camp Road open to 4WD vehicles only. There is a 5 tonnes load limit on the concrete section from Ayton.

Ten Mile Road is open to 4WD vehicles only.

CREB Track is closed, there are signs and a gate.

Alexandra Range

- Wet weather has slowed progress.
- Unable to access area below to remove debris, site has been too wet.
- Expecting completion of sites 1, 2, and 3 early August.
- Alexandra Range Lookout is very busy. Travellers are not obeying the instructions from traffic controllers' this is creating a hazard at times.



Alexandra Range Repairs – above and below.



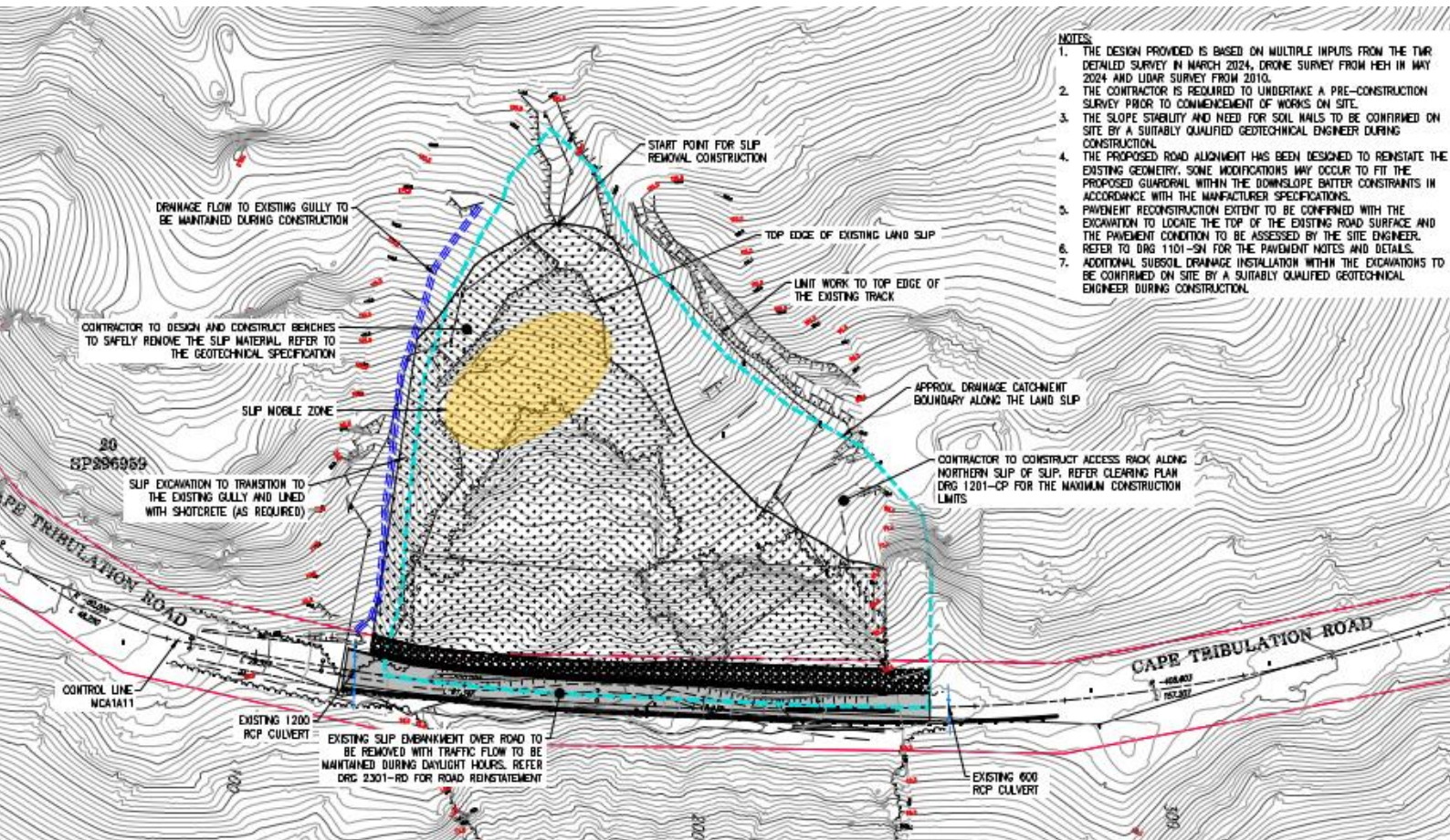
Noah Range Landslip

- Design of solution to remove the land mass has been completed.
- Ecologist report has been completed
- Consultants are working with Wet Tropics Management Authority on approvals
- Contract documents and Reconstruction of Essential Public Assets (REPA) submission are being finalised.

Refer to diagram over the page for excerpt.

Daintree Ferry

- Priority lane will remain operational until at least 14 July 2024.
- It operates 9 am – 4:30 pm seven days a week.



Hydromulching

This has been completed and the rain has helped with the process. We are already seeing green shoots on the red clay slopes.

Tenders for Unsealed Road Packages

Two tenders to repair unsealed roads, valued at \$11.4 million, closed June 12th. The good news is that a high number of bids were received. Council expects to award tenders by late July 2024.

Community Forums

The Office of the Inspector-General of Emergency Management (IGEM) is holding three meetings in held a meeting in Cape Tribulation yesterday which was attended by around 14 people.

A second forum is planned for Degarra tomorrow, Wednesday 10 July, 87 Banabilla Road, 10am to 1:30pm; and a third meeting is planned for Monday 5 August in Mossman at the Mossman Shire Hall in Mill Street, 5pm to 8:30pm.

Submissions now open

In addition to the forums, the IGEM is inviting written submissions on the response to TC Jasper, the subsequent flooding and landslips.

The deadline is 30 August 2024 and people are invited to share information about:

- which event they were affected by
- how they were affected
- what worked well in preparing for the event
- what you noticed about weather notifications, warnings or alerts, including the new Australian Warning System
- what worked well during the response operations
- what, if anything, worked differently to what you would have expected or preferred
- examples of innovative solutions you witnessed or were involved with
- your suggestions for improvement

For further information, please visit the IGEM website www.igem.qld.gov.au.