

Tropical Cyclone Jasper Timeline

Dec 23 - Jan 24

<p>05 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BoM declared Tropical Cyclone Jasper 	<p>07 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First LDMG meeting LDMG moves to Alert
<p>08 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> LDMG moves to Lean Forward 	
<p>11 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daily LDMG meetings begin Disaster Declaration sought QAS & QPS deployment over the river RFA for Flood boat & operators QFES pre-deploy swift water crews to Port Douglas <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ferry closed from 2pm Tomorrow AWS issued - Prepare now 	<p>10 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> BoM issued severe weather warning <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AWS issued - Stay Informed - Cyclone
<p>13 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TMR closed Rex Range road. <p>8pm TC Jasper makes land fall as a Cat 2 Tropical Cyclone.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flooding occurs on Park St, Mossman St, Middlemiss St, Dan Heart Lane, Grogan St, Forest Glen D, White Oak Ave, Satinash St, Warratah Cl, Alchera Dr. Mossman Library declared as evacuation destination. Power outages across the shire. <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AWS issued - Take Shelter - Emergency Warning Flood Warning for Mossman & Daintree Rivers <p>2pm EA - Emergency Warning - Destructive winds, Take Shelter Now</p>	<p>12 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> LDMG moved to stand up Storm Tide Shelter at Lean Forward. <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AWS issued - Prepare now to take shelter - Watch & Act <p>9:05pm EA - Emergency Warning - Destructive winds, Take Shelter Now</p>
<p>15 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> QPS door knock residents on Junction Rd, Mossman St & Caravan park Evacuation centre at MSHS prepared BoM - Major flood warning for Daintree River <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Loss of water in Mossman & Cassowary <p>7pm Temporary repair work at Parker Creek complete - Water to return</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evacuation centres listed Foxtton Bridge closed due to flooding Power outages Prepare for more rain <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Burst water main at Parker Creek Burst water main at Macrossan St 	<p>14 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Macrosson Street closed due to hazards. Possible water leaks reported in network - Whyanbeel / Rocky Point / Miallo. SES: 45 tasks listed. Strike Forces C into Mossman to increase numbers. <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water leaks in Whyanbeel network <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EA - Emergency Warning - Mossman River Flooding - Leave Immediately AWS - Emergency Warning - Evacuate now, Mossman & Hart Streets Conserve water Stay Home - flooding, powerlines down, trees down
<p>18 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Captain Cook Highway closed No access to Daintree Village, Stewart Creek Valley, Upper Daintree, Forest Creek <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Captain Cook Highway closure Conserve water 	<p>16 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foxtton Bridge closed due to flooding Flood warning issued for Daintree River <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Foxtton Bridge closure Conserve water Heavy rainfall expected AWS - Monitor Flooding, Wonga Beach
<p>19 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Damage assessments begin <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Douglas water supply hit critically low levels RFA - 500 cartons of water Water supply loss in Wonga, Mossman. Water turned off in Port Douglas due to electrical fault <p>Road Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> First Inspections of Alexandra Range and Noah Range via Helicopter with Geotech <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water to return to Mossman late afternoon - conserve. <p>1:46am Bottles water available in Wonga & Mossman</p> <p>1:59pm Water supply issue</p> <p>6:32pm Bottled water available in Port Douglas tomorrow morning</p>	<p>17 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15 Roads under water & closed Telstra communications down, across Cape Tribulation, Wonga Beach, Daintree <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Damaged pipes on Mossman network <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EA - Watch & Act - Flood Watch, Douglas Shire <p>1:48pm Homes experiencing water rise in bathrooms to sandbag drains</p> <p>4:55pm Fill up water bottles, prepare for water outage - Mossman, Newell & Cooya</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Health advice: Stay out of flood waters Stay home, flood waters, power lines
<p>21 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> TMR Mulligan Hwy open to vehicles up to 19M & 42.5T TMR Mt Molloy Rd load limit increased from 25T to 42.5T SES - 250 RFA's received <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daintree Ferry update Main Roads update Cow Bay community meeting Power supply update Telstra update <p>12pm Port Douglas water supply to return in 48 hrs</p> <p>2:50pm Non potable water available in Port Douglas</p> <p>6pm Resupply of bottled water available</p> <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Electrical fault at water treatment plant Support requested to State Government <p>Road Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work crews commence on Thorntons Beach landslip <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fuel to Cape Trib, Cow Bay & Forest Creek 	<p>20 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water restrictions Isolated communities resupply begin Supermarket and fuel resupply take place <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottled water available in Port Douglas <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Crews fixing broken valves in reticulation network <p>Road Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geo Tech inspection of Alexandra Range onsite
<p>24 December 2023</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water is still slowly returning to network Conserve water, 200km of networked charged <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water slowly feeding to Port Douglas Network <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - Medical, welfare & groceries 	<p>22 December 2023</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Partial water supply due to return tomorrow Resupply of water bottles in Port Douglas arrived <p>5:15pm Bottled water & non-potable water available in Port Douglas tomorrow</p> <p>Road Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noah Range landslip inspection Thornton Beach landslip inspection Work crews commence on Alexandra Range <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fuel to Cape Trib, Cow Bay & Degarra Wujal Wujal - Domestic animal food
<p>26 December 2023</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level 4 Restrictions, immediately conserve water <p>1pm Emergency Alert - Advice - Water supply in Port Douglas & Mossman</p> <p>5:25pm</p>	<p>23 December 2023</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Tribulation Rd - Ferry to Thornton Beach opens 6am - 6pm 2500 truck loads of debris removed <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water restored to pipelines in Port Douglas Level 4 water restrictions Repairs taking place at Crees Creek water mains Water slowly returning to Port Douglas Network Porta loos distributed in Port Douglas Water pressure returning causing street valves to flow <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Burst water main crees creek <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - Firefighter pump and suction hose China Camp - Fuel
<p>28 December 2023</p> <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Urban Utilities & Unity Water arrive to support water infrastructure <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emergency Alert Advice - Conserve water Landslips & turbidity choking filters, conserve water Water disruptions to occur at Mossman Gorge and nearby communities Conserve water as water treatment plant battles clearing blockages Emergency Alert, Advice - Loss of water at Mossman Water Treatment Plant <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib, China Camp & Degarra - Fuel 	<p>25 December 2023</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water network continues to be charged A steady water supply in Port Douglas, Conserve water
<p>30 December 2023</p> <p>Road Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work crews commence work on Noah Creek <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MWTP continues operations. When pressure builds water will begin to flow to residents <p>8:30am Bottled & non-potable water available in PD</p> <p>10:30am Ensure Level 4 restrictions as water returns</p>	<p>27 December 2023</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level 4 Water Restrictions continue <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - Grocery drop Cape Trib 1600L - 8 drums
<p>1 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Water, food, hardware 	<p>29 December 2023</p> <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MWTP fails to continuously produce <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottled water available at Newell Beach, Mossman & Port Douglas MWTP operation have not improved MWTP operations not changed Treated water restored at MWTP <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - 1600L - 8 drums Degarra - Critical PPE, cleaning resources & equipment
<p>3 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Fuel 	<p>31 December 2024</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water supply returned <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - Barge 25,000L of fuel China Camp - Food supplies & Diesel Degarra - Food supply, welfare checks
<p>4 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - 4x 200L ULP Degarra - Water, & groceries 	<p>02 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> China camp - Fuel <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water leak effecting Wonga Beach Water supply WB Water supply returned, Level 4 Restrictions
<p>7 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Oil 	<p>5 January 2024</p> <p>Road Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work crews commence on Noah Range <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water Restrictions moved to level 3 <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Oils, tarps & saws Upper Daintree - Food, fuel & meds
<p>10 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Fuel 	<p>09 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - Food Supplies <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Water Restrictions moved to Level 1
<p>11 January 2024</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heavy Rainfall predicted - prepare for water supply to be affected 	<p>12 January 2024</p> <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Broken water main at Crees Creek <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EA - Level 4 Water Restrictions on now EA - Requested at 0720 - Transport - Ferry & Alexandra Range Closures Conserve water <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cape Trib - Groceries
<p>13 January 2024</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> AWS - Advice, Road closure, Daintree river to Cape Tribulation <p>11am Level 4 restrictions - Businesses turn off retic</p>	<p>15 January 2024</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WWTP communities conserve water
<p>14 January 2024</p> <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Medications, tarps, ropes & groceries 	<p>17 January 2024</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WWTP offline, water due to run out at 9am <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ayton - Fuel, fuel tanks, bottled water, UV water treatment Cape Trib - Fuel tank & skip bin
<p>16 January 2024</p> <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CIP clean of the UF cartridges at WWTP 	<p>19 January 2024</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EA - Advice water supply - DECLINED Water supply from WWTP will turn off at 10pm tonight until 6am <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Fuel, tarps, ropes, containers & bins Cape Trib - Groceries <p>Localised flooding caused roads and bridges to be flood, including Shannonvale, Mowbray, Syndicate, Whyanbeel and Upper Daintree</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> New tension crack in Noah Range
<p>18 January 2024</p> <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> WWTP online, levels critically low <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Fuel Cape Trib - Medical supplies 	<p>21 January 2024</p> <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pipeline network in Mossman broken Whyanbeel Treatment Plant struggling with turbidity <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottled water available in Wonga Beach Water supply in port Douglas getting turned off <p>1:45pm</p> <p>8pm EA - Watch & Act - Fill containers now Port Douglas water network</p> <p>9pm</p>
<p>20 January 2024</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Captain Cook Highway reopens <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Burst water main at Mossman Gorge <p>Emergency Communications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Critical water supply Mossman & PD Conserve Water, Level 4 Restrictions <p>7:40am EA - Flooding Mossman River</p> <p>8:40am Non-potable water & bottled water available at Wonga Beach</p> <p>12:40pm</p> <p>4pm</p> <p>Water Infrastructure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Heavy rains cause road to close from Thornton Beach to Cape Trib <p>Resupply</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Degarra - Drinking water 	

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22 January 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Whyanbeel Treatment Plant turned off
- Water supply to Port Douglas turned off

Emergency Communications

- 7:30am Treatment plant update
- 8:40am Bottled water available at Wonga Beach
- 12pm Rainfall impacted treatment plants with Turbidity.
- 3pm Running water slowly being restored to Whyanbeel network
- 6pm Unable to advise when Port Douglas network will see water

Road Infrastructure

- Geo Tech Engineer inspects from Thornton Beach to Cape Trip.
- Formal request for extra support from DTMR was raised by the LDMG

24 January 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Water supply returned to all communities

Emergency Communications

- Level 4 Water Restrictions
- Cape Trib - Horese fodder & medical supplies

26 January 2024

Emergency Communications

- Level 4 Water Restrictions continue

31 January 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Water tanks set up in Degarra
- Noah Range open for morning and late afternoon for residents and essential services

3 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Broken water main at Miallo temporary loss of supply to Wonga network

17 February 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Noah Range closes due to Geotech assessment

21 February 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Noah Range re-opens to locals and essential service

Water Infrastructure

- WWTP is at critically low levels due to turbidity

Emergency Communications

- Level 4 Water Restrictions, save water now, Whyanbeel reservoir critically low, ensure you have a supply of drinking water

23 February 2024

Road Infrastructure

- DSC CEO met with DTMR DG to request further engineering and project management support, specifically for Noah's Range and this has been supported
- Noah Range closed to residents and essential services due to rainfall

Water Infrastructure

- Whyanbeel reservoir water levels remain critically

25 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Water infrastructure being replaced at Jhonson Road
- Water still off at Whyabeel Network

27 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Water returns to Whyanbeel network

29 February 2024

- BoM issue Minor flood warning for Dinree & Mossman Rivers

Road Infrastructure

- Noah Range closed due to Geotech inspection

4 March 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Whyanbeel resevoir reaches critical level due to high sediment.

5 March 2024

Water Infrastructure

- WWTP increases production

Road Infrastructure

- Noah Range reopens to residents and essential services

8 March 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Localised flooding causes Alex Range and ferry to close for a few hours

15 March 2024

- BoM issued flood watch at Mossman and Daintree Rivers

23 January 2024

- First caravans to Degarra residents

Road Infrastructure

- Noah Range re-opens from 4pm -5pm to residents & essential services

Emergency Communications

- 8:30am Water will start being pushed through Port Douglas Network today
- 11:40am Porta-loos at Port Douglas
- 12:30am Water supply slowing returning to Port Douglas

25 January 2024

Emergency Communications

- Level 4 Water Restrictions continue

Resupply

- China Camp - Medical supplies

28 January 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Reservoirs levels stable

Emergency Communications

- Level 4 Water Restrictions remain

1 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Essential repair works on water main at South Mossman Bridge

6 February 2024

Road Infrastructure

- TMR joins roads recovery

19 February 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Cape Trib road opens to public up to Thorntons Beach

Water Infrastructure

- Water leak at Whyanbeel network

22 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Whyanbeel reservoir water levels remain critically

Emergency Communications

- Critical water levels, conserve water

24 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Water supply turned off at Whyanbeel intake network, leaks discovered.
- Drinking water and non-potable water available at Wonga Beach Fire Brigade

24 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Water remains off at Whyanbeel

26 February 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Water remains off at Whyanbeel

Road Infrastructure

- Geo Tech inspection at Alexandra Range Lookout

28 February 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Alexandra weight limit drop to 20 tonne due to heavy rain

Water Infrastructure

- Two leaks fixed at Whyanbeel network.

1 March 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Trees down at Alexndra Range. clered and open by 7:30am
- Noah Range received 200mm of rain and remains closed

Water Infrastructure

- Treatment plants stopped producing due to rainfall creating high sediment.

6 March 2024

Water Infrastructure

- WWTP stops producing due to high sediment
- WWTP receives CIP clean

11 March 2024

Water Infrastructure

- Burst water pipe causes water outage at Whyanbeel water network

27 March 2024

Road Infrastructure

- Cape Tribulation Road to Cape Tribulation opens to all traffic