

Parklands Boulevard Upgrade Meridan Plains

Project number: P-H1244

Energex works – Relocation of high voltage transmission power poles

Tuesday 20 August 2019 – Friday 6 September 2019 (weather permitting)

Relocation of power poles

As part of the delivery of the Parklands Boulevard Upgrade Project, services relocations and upgrades are required. As part of these works, some existing high voltage power poles along Parklands Boulevard will be relocated to allow for the upcoming road widening.

To see the location of the works area and the old and new power poles, refer to the map on page 2.

Works schedule

To minimise inconvenience to the community these works will take place over a period of 2.5 weeks using a combination of day and night works.

Week 1: Day works (typically 6am–6.30pm)

Preparation works for removal of existing poles and installation of new poles. Preparing power cables for transfer. Digging of large holes in preparation for new poles. The delivery and preparation of new poles will take place between 4am and 7am to avoid peak traffic times.

Week 2 and 3: Night works (typically 8pm–6am)

Installation of new poles. Transfer of power cables from existing poles to new poles. Removal of old poles.

What to expect during these works?

Working with electricity as well as large items such as power poles, requires a wide range of safety measures including traffic control, exclusion zones for pedestrians and residents, and vegetation trimming.

The project team will attempt to minimise construction impacts to surrounding residents and businesses wherever possible and safe to do so.

Temporary changes to traffic conditions will include traffic control operating along Parklands Boulevard, Sunset Drive and Meridan Way at various times during the day and night.

Single lane stop and go traffic control will be in operation most nights. For safety reasons, night lighting will be used during night works.

Stop and go delays during day time works may be necessary at times, but will be scheduled outside of peak traffic times wherever safe and possible to do so.

For safety reasons, occasionally it may be necessary to stop traffic in both directions with potential delays of up to 10-15 minutes.

Some pedestrian detours will be in place with signage and barricades in place.

Access to properties and businesses will remain.

Medium level, intermittent construction noise can be expected with large cranes and other heavy machinery in operation.

The removal of old poles will involve concrete and steel cutting. Nearby residents and businesses can expect intermittent, short periods of medium-heavy construction noise. Noisier works will be scheduled prior to 11pm wherever possible to minimise noise impacts and inconvenience to the community.

Energex will liaise directly with nearby residents and businesses. Power outages are not anticipated during these works.

All work is subject to favourable weather and site conditions.

We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding.

Contact the project team

For any questions about the Parklands Boulevard Upgrade project, please visit the website at www.sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au (search for Parklands Boulevard project) or contact the project team on: parklandsboulevard@sunshinecoast.qld.gov.au or via the customer service phone number below.



FIGURE 1 - Energex High Voltage Power Relocation Work Area



JOINS MAP BELOW



JOINS MAP ABOVE

LEGEND	
	Existing pole to be removed
	New pole location

FIGURE 2 - Pole Relocation Works

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