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Temporary closure of the Tabbimoble rest area

The Australian and NSW governments are jointly funding the \$4.36 billion Woolgoolga to Ballina Pacific Highway upgrade. To allow early work for the Woolgoolga to Ballina upgrade, some of the existing rest area facilities along the Pacific Highway will be temporarily impacted. Alternative rest area facilities will remain open during this time.

The northbound Tabbimoble heavy and light vehicle rest area, located about 16 kilometres south of Woodburn on the Pacific Highway at Tabbimoble, will be temporarily closed to allow early work at the Tabbimoble floodway to be carried out for the Woolgoolga to Ballina upgrade project.

When is it happening?

The Tabbimoble rest area will be temporarily closed on Monday, 29 August 2016 for an eight week period until October 2016 (weather permitting).

It is anticipated that this rest area will be permanently closed once major work on this section of the Woolgoolga to Ballina upgrade start early next year.

Alternative rest areas

Bundjalung heavy and light vehicle rest area

Bundjalung rest area is located near Devils Pulpit about nine kilometres south of the existing Tabbimoble rest area.

Facilities at these rest areas include:



Truck parking



Toilets



Shelter



Picnic Tables



Accessible



Litter Bins

New Italy light vehicle rest area

New Italy rest area is located about six kilometres to the north of the Tabbimoble rest area.

Facilities at this rest area include:



Picnic Tables



Shelter



Litter Bins

River Street park at Woodburn

River Street park at Woodburn is located about sixteen kilometres north of the existing Tabbimoble rest area. Food and refreshments are available at neighbouring businesses and tourist information is available at the Visitor Information Centre.

Facilities include:



Toilets



Shelter



Picnic Tables



Accessible



Litter Bins

Location of the alternative rest areas



Future closures

While this closure is temporary for about eight weeks, it is anticipated the Tabbimoble rest area will be permanently closed when major work on this section starts early next year. The project team will keep the community informed of proposed changes ahead of any closures being implemented.

For more information

If you have any questions, please call the Woolgoolga to Ballina project toll free line on 1800 778 900 dial 1, email W2B@pacificcomplete.com.au or visit the project website rms.nsw.gov.au/W2B

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