

Rail infrastructure through Maryborough is being improved to enable an accessibility upgrade to the New Generation Rollingstock (NGR) trains at the Downer Rail facility. The track and other rail infrastructure upgrades will enable multiple NGR trains to undergo simultaneous accessibility upgrades at the Downer Street site.

Queensland Rail is investing over \$6 million into this local infrastructure upgrade which supports the local economy. Approximately 21 jobs are being supported by this project with many of them local to Maryborough.

What is happening

Three sections of track are being replaced as shown in Table 1. Construction activities will involve replacing the sleepers, ballast and track, and road resurfacing where our works have impacted the road surface. Works to enable the delivery of the track upgrade are also summarized in Table 1.

What to expect

While works are being undertaken on days and times designed to minimise disturbance and local inconvenience, some impacts to the community are expected.

Construction will be done over a series of dates as shown in Table 1 below.

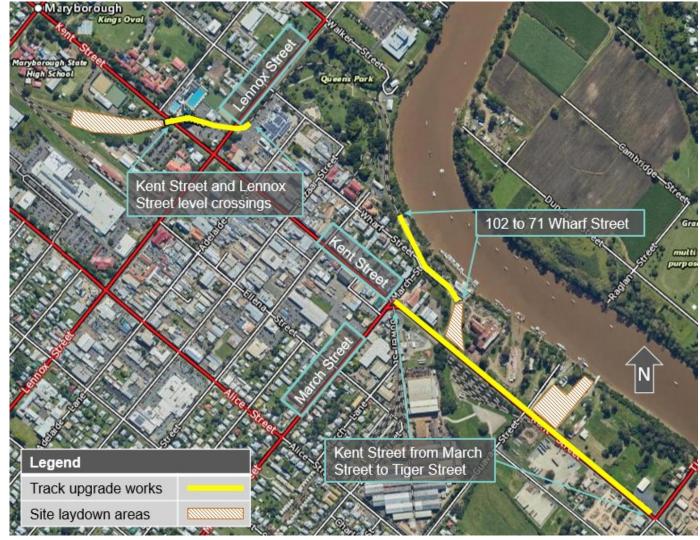
The community can expect the following impacts during the works:

- business and property access changes
- traffic and pedestrian route changes
- lane closures and traffic changes
- construction noise from activities such as excavation, saw cutting, grinding and truck movements with reverse beepers.

A map showing the location of the works and the access changes is provided overleaf at Figure 1.

Location and works	From	То
Enabling works and site laydown area set up	January 2020	March 2020
Kent Street between March Street and Tiger Street (Night works, 8pm-6am)	24 February 2020	29 February 2020
Macalister siding to Wharf Street Marina	5am, 22 March 2020	6pm, 24 March 2020
Kent Street and Lennox Street level crossings	7pm, 27 March 2020	6pm, 30 March 2020

Table 1 Maryborough track replacement works



Map source: Queensland Globe, 2019

Figure 1 Location of works

For more information

Queensland Rail is committed to ensuring our customers and the community are notified about works that will impact them. We apologise for any inconvenience and thank the community for its patience as we complete these rail upgrades.

For further information about this work, please visit **queenslandrail.com.au** or contact us by phone **3072 2220** (Monday to Friday, 8am-5pm) or email **CommunityEngagement@qr.com.au**

For more information about the NGR project, please visit tmr.qld.gov.au/ngr