



Sadliers Crossing bridge upgrade

Works update – March/April 2016

Queensland Rail is replacing a series of ageing timber rail bridges on the Ipswich to Rosewood line, in South East Queensland, to improve reliability, operational safety and efficiency of services.

Project contractor, Doval Contractors, completed works to replace the Sadliers Crossing bridge western timber approach spans in early March 2016. The project team will recommence work on the eastern approach from **mid-March**, with works scheduled for completion in early June 2016, weather permitting.

Overview of planned works

Location	Dates and hours of work	Type of work
Gladstone Road work site (near 24 Gladstone Road)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Mid-March to early June 20166am to 5pm, Monday to Friday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Land occupation for site office, crew facilities and vehiclesMinor preparatory works up to 4 April 2016
Sadliers Crossing bridge – eastern approach (Gladstone Road)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">4 April to early June 20166am to 5pm, Monday to Friday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Single-lane road closureNoise from construction activity and truck movementsUse of large equipment, machinery (including cranes) and vehicles
Sadliers Crossing bridge – eastern approach (Gladstone Road)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">1am Saturday 30 April through to 2am Tuesday 3 May 2016 <p>(continuous works)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Track closure and night worksUse of large equipment, machinery (including two cranes) and vehiclesNoise and dust from construction activityFrequent truck movement (including reversing) for the removal and delivery of bridge spans and other construction materialsLighting towers used during night worksNo pedestrian access near the work zoneNo public access over Sadliers Crossing bridge in either direction
Gladstone Road	<ul style="list-style-type: none">27 April to 18 May 2016	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Full road closure underneath Sadliers Crossing bridge (traffic diversions in operation)

Upcoming activities include around-the-clock works during a planned track closure on the weekend of 30 April to 3 May 2016. Additional notification will be provided to nearby residents prior to works.

In order to provide a safe work environment for workers and the community, traffic management will be in place for the duration of the project. Motorists and pedestrians are reminded to observe changes and that roadwork speed limits are enforced.

Pedestrian access over Sadliers Crossing bridge may be temporarily restricted during works in April. There will be no pedestrian access during the main construction period from 30 April to 3 May 2016.

Queensland Rail is aware that such operations may cause temporary inconvenience to our valued neighbours. While every effort will be made to carry out these works with minimal disruption, Queensland Rail apologises for any inconvenience and thanks the local community for their cooperation during these important works.

For more information, please contact Queensland Rail's customer feedback team on **13 16 17** (between 8am and 5pm, Monday to Friday) or email communityengagement@qr.com.au.