

Rockhampton Ring Road Project Sustainability Commitment Statement

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) is committed to the implementation of sustainability for the Rockhampton Ring Road project (RRR) to achieve net positive impacts.

RRR's sustainability commitments are aligned with TMR's strategic plan 2019-2023 objectives to be Accessible, Safe, Responsive, Efficient and Sustainable. Throughout design, construction and operation of this project, we will:

Accessible

- Strive to prioritise people's health and wellbeing
- Integrate environmental, social, economic aspects in the procurement process
- Invest in workforce development opportunities

Safe

- Ensure user safety
- Improve flood immunity

Responsive

- Work with the local communities and stakeholders to leave a positive legacy
- Provide sustainability knowledge sharing with project team and wider industry
- Value and protect Indigenous, historical, shared, and natural heritage

Efficient

- Improve travel efficiency
- Improve connectivity to key facilities, employment, services, and precincts within the Rockhampton region
- Pursue and reward innovation in design and construction
- Implement sustainability during design, construction, and operation

Sustainable

- Reduce resource (water, energy and materials) impacts over the project lifecycle
- Reduce waste to landfill by reducing, reusing, recycling, and recovering
- Adopt strategies for adaptation to climate change into the project's design
- Deliver an asset that respects and values the natural environment, enhances biodiversity and reduces pollution



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