

Peregian Beach Active Street Project

Project summary

Noosa Council has received funding to create an 800m 'Active Street' along Lorikeet Drive, connecting to Jabiru Street.

An 'Active Street' prioritises cyclists and pedestrians with features like safer footpath, and cyclist-priority zones. Traffic-calming measures, including lower speed limits and designated parking, will help make the area safer and easier to use.

Why Lorikeet Drive?

Lorikeet Drive was chosen because it plays a key role in linking the Noosa Coastal Pathway to the Sunshine Coast Coastal Pathway, thereby:

- connecting Peregian Beach to nearby parks, beaches, homes, and schools,
- helping to complete a missing gap in the Coastal Pathway, making walking and cycling between Peregian Beach and Peregian Springs easier,
- providing a safer, quieter alternative to busier roads like David Low Way, and
- supporting the character and lifestyle aspirations of a Noosa beachside locality.

We've listened!

This concept has proven successful in various locations across Australia and internationally. It is now being introduced in Noosa in

response to community feedback from the 2020–2040 Noosa Cycling and Walking

Strategy (adopted in 2021) and the 2022 Noosa Liveability Study. In both, residents highlighted the need for safer walking and cycling routes, better transport options, and improved connectivity.

The project also aligns with Queensland's broader goal of expanding active transport networks.

Scope of works

- Traffic survey and advice
- Community information activities
- Concept design
- Detailed design
- Construction

Project extents

The project spans Lorikeet Drive, from Emu Mountain Road to Jabiru Street—a distance of approximately 800 metres. It includes a combination of on-road light treatments and an off-road shared pathway on the eastern side of Lorikeet Drive. The project also features formalised car parking and traffic calming measures, such as concrete islands and landscaping, along the eastern side.

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Timeline

- Concept Design – in progress
- Final Design – due August 2025
- Construction Phase – early to mid-2026

Information pop-up sessions

Come and join us for a chat at:

1. **Victory Park, Lorikeet Drive –**
Thursday, 17 April 2025 at 10:00am
2. **Peregian Beach Community House –**
Wednesday, 30 April 2025 at 10:00am & 5:00pm

Funding

This project is jointly funded by the State and Federal Government through the 2024-27 South East Queensland Liveability Fund and the Active Transport Fund.

Stay informed!

Noosa Council is committed to keeping residents and visitors informed.

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