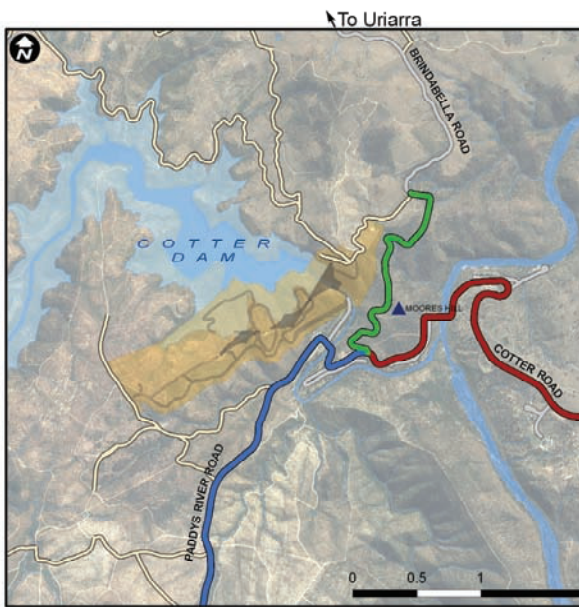


Enlarged Cotter Dam

Traffic Information 2009 – 2011

What road users can expect during construction

During the construction of the Enlarged Cotter Dam, road users can expect to see more traffic on local roads in the Cotter area. The number and type of vehicles will vary, with peak periods occurring from 6-7am and 5-6pm.



Key roads affected during construction

Key roads used during construction

The primary road to be used by construction vehicles is Cotter Road, with Paddy's River Road being a secondary route. From the Cotter Road, Brindabella Road will be used as a secondary access route to the construction site.

Road closures due to blasting works

Every effort will be made to avoid road closures. However, during blasting activities sections of Paddy's River Road and Brindabella Road will need to be closed for approximately 15 to 20 minutes. Appropriate measures will be put in place to ensure that the area is cleared of traffic and people.

Access to public areas

To ensure public safety, Cotter Avenue will be temporarily closed during construction. Cotter Avenue is scheduled to close on 4 January 2010, and reopen upon completion of the dam in late 2011.

More Information

Please visit www.actew.com.au to read the Bulk Water Alliance Shared Roads Policy or call 6248 3563 to learn more about ACTEW's Traffic Management Plan.

Further information is also available by calling Canberra Connect on 13 22 81.

Road safety messages from Roads ACT

- Be aware of horses, motorcycle drivers, pedestrians and cyclists;
- At all times, maintain a three second gap distance or greater from heavy vehicles, depending on conditions;
- Obey all road rules;
- Always give way to heavy vehicles and turning buses;
- Equestrians and other users should cross at marked crossing points;
- Cyclists should stay in wide shoulder;
- Exercise extra caution if using Cotter Road or Paddy's River Road during peak hours.

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