

# Darling Downs



# Key facts

-  **79,521 km<sup>2</sup>** Area covered by location <sup>1</sup>
-  **5.65 %** Population of Queensland <sup>1</sup>
-  **3,889 km** Other state-controlled road network
-  **644 km** National Land Transport Network <sup>2</sup>
-  **687 km** National rail network <sup>2</sup>

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# Program Highlights

- **\$52.4 million** Gore Highway (Millmerran - Goondiwindi), Wyaga Creek, upgrade floodway (jointly funded with the Australian Government).
- **\$34.1 million** Gatton - Helidon Road, improve safety (jointly funded with the Australian Government).
- **\$33.4 million** Bowenville - Norwin Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works (jointly funded with the Australian Government).
- **\$33 million** Gatton - Helidon Road, Stage 2, undertake safety treatments on high speed sections (jointly funded with the Australian Government).
- **\$32.1 million** funding commitment for Gore Highway (jointly funded with the Australian Government).
- **\$27 million** Toowoomba - Cecil Plains Road, improve safety.
- **\$23.4 million** Gore Highway (Toowoomba - Millmerran) and Toowoomba - Athol Road, improve safety.
- **\$16.9 million** Cunningham Highway (Warwick - Inglewood), improve safety.
- **\$15.4 million** Cunningham Highway (Ipswich - Warwick), Tregony to Maryvale, improve safety (jointly funded with the Australian Government).
- **\$15 million** Highfields Road, Kratzke Road and O'Brien Road, upgrade intersection (jointly funded with Toowoomba Regional Council).

# Darling Downs

## Goondiwindi Regional Council

Network	Investment ID	Investment name	Committed total budget	Contribution - Australian Government	Contribution - Queensland Government	Contribution - Local Government / Other	Estimated expenditure to 30 June 2024	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27 to 2027-28	Beyond	Endnote
			\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
National	2342858	Gore Highway (Millmerran - Goondiwindi), Wyaga Creek, upgrade floodway	52,400	41,920	10,480		29,473	13,577	9,350			
National	2512903	Leichhardt Highway (Miles - Goondiwindi), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	6,841	5,131	1,710		1,807	4,654	380			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2857804	Barwon Highway (Goondiwindi - Talwood), 2023 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	1,382	1,037	346		799	505	78			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2867598	Leichhardt Highway (Miles - Goondiwindi), 2023 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	2,088	1,566	522		758	1,212	118			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2690925	Yelarbon - Keetah Road (Stage 4), widen pavement	1,053		1,053		653	400				Transport Infrastructure Development Scheme

## Lockyer Valley Regional Council

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			\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
State	2646594	Gatton - Clifton Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	1,063	797	266		82	907	74			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2632962	Gatton - Clifton Road, Mount Whitestone, business case	1,030		1,030		600	280	150			
State	2614872	Gatton - Helidon Road (Spencer Street) and William Street intersection, improve safety	1,998		1,998			199	1,228	571		
State	3035392	Gatton - Helidon Road, Stage 2, undertake safety treatments on high speed sections	32,991	16,495	16,495		569	16,211	16,211			Australian Government Road Safety Program
State	2081571	Gatton - Helidon Road, improve safety	34,107	17,054	17,054		3,752	16,791	13,564			Australian Government Road Safety Program
State	2709142	Mount Sylvia Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements betterment works	2,600	1,300	1,300		76	2,113	411			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2658739	Mount Sylvia Road, various floodways, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	13,807	10,355	3,452		880	11,751	1,177			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2658817	Mulgowie Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	6,225	4,644	1,581		766	4,959	500			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2646562	Murphy's Creek Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	3,058	2,294	765		340	2,451	267			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.

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State	2615000	Murphy's Creek Road (Murphy's Creek), improve safety	1,229		1,229			178	705	346		Safer Roads Sooner Program
Local	2742683	Carpendale Road (Carpendale), Flagstone Creek, Mahon Bridge, replace bridge	9,989	4,994		4,994		2,120	2,875			Australian Government Safer Local Roads and Infrastructure Program
Local	2296209	Tenthill Creek Road (Tenthill), rehabilitate pavement	2,976		1,488	1,488			744	744		

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			\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
National	2812448	Cunningham Highway (Ipswich - Warwick), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	4,822	3,617	1,206		617	3,819	387			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
National	2392873	Cunningham Highway (Ipswich - Warwick), Tregony to Maryvale, improve safety	15,350	12,280	3,070		749	8,494	6,108			Cunningham Highway Safety Package. The project is in the post-business case stage, with cost and timing subject to confirmation following market engagement and consideration.

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National	1834567	Cunningham Highway (Ipswich - Warwick), Tregony to Sladevale, improve safety	3,345		3,345		173		2,236	936		Safer Roads Sooner Program
National	2392874	Cunningham Highway (Ipswich - Warwick), various locations, improve safety	3,650	2,920	730		360	2,290	1,000			Cunningham Highway Safety Package
State	3045066	Dalrymple Creek Road, Forde Street and Warwick Street intersection (Allora), raised roundabout retrofit	1,049		1,049			36	730	283		Safer Roads Sooner Program
State	2658580	New England Highway (Toowoomba - Warwick), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	1,476	1,107	369		50	1,348	78			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
Local	2687377	Inverramsay Road (Goomburra), upgrade and widen pavement	2,222		1,111	1,111				1,111		
Local	1948466	Old Stanthorpe Road (Warwick), widen pavement	2,553		1,256	1,297	727	529				

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National	2708131	Gore Highway (Millmerran - Goondiwindi), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	2,469	1,852	617		1,006	1,231	232			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
National	2615428	Gore Highway (Millmerran - Goondiwindi), improve safety	4,996		4,996		8	856	2,776	1,357		Safer Roads Sooner Program
National	2891809	Gore Highway (Millmerran - Goondiwindi), install guardrail	1,735		1,735		63	1,656	16			
National	2818754	Gore Highway (Toowoomba - Millmerran), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	1,371	1,028	343		643	640	88			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
National	1203047	Gore Highway, funding commitment	32,060	25,648	6,412					1,982	30,078	Project details and timing subject to further planning and negotiation with the Australian Government.
National	3044921	Warrego Highway (Toowoomba - Dalby), undertake safety improvements	8,969		8,969			614	5,512	2,843		Safer Roads Sooner Program
State	2502571	Bowenville - Norwin Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	33,437	25,078	8,359		1,916	26,912	4,610			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	1834569	D'Aguilar Highway, Blackbutt and Yarraman, improve safety	2,500		2,500		583	1,793	124			Safer Roads Sooner Program



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State	3044646	Dalby - Cooyar Road, install guardrail and delineation	1,443		1,443			159	862	423		Safer Roads Sooner Program
State	2207362	Esk - Hampton Road, Perseverance Creek, replace culvert	12,161		12,161		1,919	94	9,437	712		
State	2756752	Felton - Clifton Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	2,328	1,746	582		40	2,150	137			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2671946	Gore Highway (Toowoomba - Millmerran) and Toowoomba - Athol Road, improve safety	23,359		23,359		814	2,550	16,491	3,504		High Risk Road Initiative. The project has a business case, with scope, cost and timing subject to further project development and site investigations, and consideration.
State	2834226	New England Highway (Toowoomba - Warwick), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	2,373	1,780	593		616	1,619	138			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2615431	New England Highway (Toowoomba - Warwick), improve safety	4,996		4,996			806	4,056	134		Safer Roads Sooner Program
State	2867842	New England Highway (Yarraman - Toowoomba), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	4,754	3,566	1,189		2,751	1,633	370			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2325017	New England Highway Bikeway, Highfields to Toowoomba (Stage 2), construct shared path	9,396		9,396		330	4,565	4,501			

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State	1977221	New England Highway Bikeway, Highfields to Toowoomba CBD (Stage 3), design shared path	2,850		2,850		1,299	658	893			
State	2867745	Oakey - Cooyar Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	2,664	1,998	666		59	2,251	354			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2807227	Oakey - Pittsworth Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	1,861	1,396	465		731	1,003	127			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2834357	Pittsworth - Felton Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	2,642	1,982	661		41	2,445	156			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2751205	Toowoomba - Cecil Plains Road (Taylor Street), Tor Street to Boundary Street, design separated cycle track	1,450		1,450		200	300	950			
State	2834182	Toowoomba - Cecil Plains Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements betterment works	3,483	1,742	1,742		608	2,539	336			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2673200	Toowoomba - Cecil Plains Road, improve safety	27,031		27,031		850	6,000	16,126	4,055		High Risk Roads Initiative
State	2383987	Toowoomba - Cecil Plains Road, strengthen and widen pavement	3,500		3,500				1,000	2,500		

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State	1175233	Toowoomba Central Active Transport Link, business case	1,525		1,525		1,030	220	275			
State	2207435	Toowoomba Connection Road, James Street and Hume Street, upgrade intersection	3,790		3,790		1,690	2,100				Funding is for pre-construction activities only.
Local	2624444	Bowenville - Moola Road (Bowenville) (Stage 1a), widen and seal	2,700	2,160		540	940	788	432			Australian Government Safer Local Roads and Infrastructure Program
Local	2580092	Branchview Road (Branchview), replace bridge	4,769	3,800		969		1,606	2,194			Australian Government Safer Local Roads and Infrastructure Program
Local	1890956	Clifton - Pittsworth Road, various locations, strengthen and widen pavement	3,000		1,500	1,500			1,000	500		
Local	1890952	Drayton - Wellcamp Road, widen and strengthen pavement	5,000		1,225	3,775	25	1,200				
Local	1521280	Haden - Crows Nest Road, widen and strengthen pavement	3,500		1,750	1,750			1,000	750		
Local	2729338	Highfields Road, Kratzke Road and O'Brien Road, upgrade intersection	15,000		3,775	11,225		400	375	3,000		
Local	2524072	Melrose Road (Brookstead), replace bridge	3,223	2,550		673	1,082	1,468				Australian Government Safer Local Roads and Infrastructure Program

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Local	2624474	Oakey Biddeston Road and Oakey Crosshill Road, upgrade and widen	2,245	1,796		449	144	646	1,006			Australian Government Safer Local Roads and Infrastructure Program
Local	2751529	Toowoomba City Cycle Paths, Karrool Street and Goode Street, construct active transport facilities	1,314		1,314			968	346			

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State	3044774	Bunya Highway (Dalby - Kingaroy) and Patrick Street, upgrade intersection	2,101		2,101		10	388	1,036	667		Safer Roads Sooner Program
State	2822667	Dalby - Cecil Plains Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements betterment works	2,848	1,424	1,424		63	1,981	804			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2867966	Dalby - Kogan Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	4,530	3,397	1,132		845	3,385	299			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2520040	Kogan - Condamine Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	2,934	2,201	734		1,599	1,069	267			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.

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State	2520117	Leichhardt Highway (Miles - Goondiwindi), 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	11,846	8,885	2,962		1,478	3,839	6,529			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2857325	Leichhardt Highway (Taroom - Miles) 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	7,478	5,609	1,870		1,650	2,233	3,595			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	1634904	Macalister - Bell Road (Macalister), rehabilitate pavement, overlay and seal	3,633		3,633		2,557	1,076				Transport Infrastructure Development Scheme
State	2519477	Meandarra - Talwood Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	1,271	953	318		99	1,056	116			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.
State	2805115	Roma - Condamine Road (Condamine), rehabilitate and widen pavement	1,701		1,701				1,701			Transport Infrastructure Development Scheme
State	2893613	Surat Developmental Road, 2022 Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements reconstruction works	4,299	3,224	1,075		383	3,525	391			Funding administered by the Queensland Reconstruction Authority.

## Various local governments

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			\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
National	2287642	Darling Downs District, priority freight network flood study, planning	3,100		3,100		964	986	850	300		
State	2677439	Cunningham Highway (Warwick - Inglewood), improve safety	16,885		16,885		870	4,500	8,982	2,533		High Risk Roads Initiative
State	3151493	Rest areas and stopping places management	1,709		1,709			1,709				
State	1316582	Safety and critical maintenance program, planning	1,386		1,386		1,196	190				

## Other works

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		Construction Works		11,985	7,986			2,109	10,839	7,024		
		Corridor and Minor Safety Enhancements		782	20,242			9,597	6,855	4,572		
		Corridor, Roadway and Structures Management			3,865			966	949	1,950		
		Local Government Transport Development		2,330	17,991			6,288	4,068	9,964		
		Natural Disaster Rehabilitation and Replacement		66,988	23,329			37,037	53,280			

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			\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
		Programmed Maintenance		7,933	91,809			25,807	24,997	48,939		
		Rehabilitation		7,394	118,868			41,084	26,979	58,199		
		Routine Maintenance		10,129	139,856			37,011	34,465	78,509		
		Traffic Management Enhancements		500	5,832			1,732	2,130	2,470		
		Traffic Operations		263	3,329			3,592				
		Transport Planning			8,018			1,520	1,600	4,898		