



KYOGLE COUNCIL BRIDGE PROGRAM

MONTHLY STATUS REPORT 2022/2023

REPORTING MONTH: April 2023

REPORT DATE: 28/04/2023

PROGRESS SNAPSHOT

TOTAL NUMBER OF TIMBER BRIDGES REPLACED = 59 of 93 (63.4%)

FCB DEED PERIOD ELAPSED – 97 of 149 weeks (65.1%) Revised Deed Period

1 PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to provide additional commentary on the progress of the Kyogle Council Bridge Replacement Program. For information on the status of each bridge refer to the Monthly Works Program Progress Report.

2 MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS

April was a slower month than usual with some wet weather and the Easter and Anzac Day holidays impacting works. Only two bridges were opened to traffic over the past month. However, there are currently nine bridge sites under construction at the end of April, with a forecast of seven bridges to be completed over the next two months.

Horseshoe Creek Bridge is the final project to be opened to traffic in the Federally-funded Page Bridge Replacement Package. The total package included 12 bridge replacements that started in 2020.

3 RISKS TO DELIVERY PROGRAM

Some sites have been impacted by wet weather.

4 PAGE BRIDGE REPLACEMENT PACKAGE

All bridges in the Page Package are opened to traffic. There are some minor clean up works at Horseshoe Creek which will be completed in early May.

5 FIXING COUNTRY BRIDGES (FCB)

5.1 GROUP 1 – KYOGLE COUNCIL MANAGED PROJECTS

5.1.1 BRIDGES

There are 70 bridges in the Group 1 FCB program. Forty-three of 70 have been replaced and opened to traffic.

The below table summarises bridges in the construction stage:

BRIDGE ID	BRIDGE NAME	COMMENTS	EXPECTED COMPLETION
138-12136	Duck Creek Gears Bridge	Works complete – open to traffic late April 2023.	
17-2810	Boomi Creek Road – Mulcahys Bridge	Piling works complete – abutment construction in Progress.	Late May

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35-322	Collins Valley Road – Lynchs Creek	All abutment works complete. Prestressed girders programmed for manufacture in early May. Crew will re-establish when girders are ready for delivery.	Late May 2023
91-975	Montgomery's Road Bridge	Piling Works complete – abutment works in progress	June 2023
106-14873	Old Lawrence Road No.2 Bridge	All works completed in mid-April 2023.	
223-363	MacQueen's Road Bridge	Site preparation works in progress – piling works programmed for early May 2023.	Late June 2023
138-13999	Duck Creek Allens Bridge	Side track construction in progress will be constructed in conjunction with Tierneys Bridge	Late June 2023
138-16101	Duck Creek Tierneys No1 Bridge	Site Preparation works in progress will be construction in conjunction with Allens Bridge.	July 2023

The next bridges planned for construction are:

- 253-152 Slaters Rd Bridge – Powerline relocation works are now complete
- 112-7844 Roseberry Creek Comerford No.1
- 125-74 Trentys Lane
- 80-2729 Brown Knob Road

5.1.2 BRIDGE TO PIPES

Seven of the eight FCB bridge to pipe projects have been completed. The Station Road (256-9294) bridge to pipe replacement is programmed for late 2023 – all precast materials are on Station Road.

5.2 GROUP 2 – BRIDGES

There are six bridges in Group 2, these have been contracted to Ozwide Bridge Rail and Civil for Design and Construction. Updates on each bridge are in the table below:

BRIDGE ID	BRIDGE NAME	COMMENTS	EXPECTED COMPLETION
6-250	Baileys Bridge Road	Existing bridge removed. Piling works in progress. Road closed during construction.	August 2023
59-1056	Gradys Creek – Grieves Crossing	Rescoping of the project in progress due to betterment funding.	TBA
59-11123	Gradys Creek – Lamonds No.1	Design in progress.	TBA
141-62442	Kyogle Road – Little Back Creek	Design in progress.	October 2023
103-1951	Old Cob O Corn Road	All piling works complete – abutment works in progress.	June 2023
92-218	Tims Lane Bridge	Piling works complete – abutment works in progress. Full road closure during construction.	June 2023

6 OTHER BRIDGE REPLACEMENTS

Geotechnical investigations and survey work completed for Risk Road and Sugar Glider Road Bridges. Submissions for funding of construction works under Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements are due in June. Concept design and estimation for this is in progress.