

# Road Condition Report

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Caution must be exercised at all times.

Flood ways and creek crossings may rise without notice; depths should be checked before crossing.

The below information will be updated as conditions change.

Further information can be found on:

- Wyndham and the East Kimberley Shire roads 08 9168 4100 or [www.swek.wa.gov.au](http://www.swek.wa.gov.au)
- Derby and West Kimberley Shire roads 08 9191 0999 or [www.sdwk.wa.gov.au](http://www.sdwk.wa.gov.au)
- Department of Parks and Wildlife (DPAW) Access Roads 08 9168 4200
- Western Australia highways and the Gibb River Road contact Main Roads WA 138 138
- Northern Territory roads 1800 246 199 or <http://www.ntlis.nt.gov.au/roadreport>



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8.00am - 4.00pm MON - FRI

<b>KUNUNURRA TOWNSHIP</b>	Leichhardt Street Nutwood Crescent intersection to Weaber Plain Road Intersection	OPEN Proceed with caution
	Sandalwood Street/Melaleuca Drive intersection	OPEN Proceed with caution
<b>WEABER PLAIN ROAD</b>	Intersection with Barringtonia Avenue	OPEN
	Section between Mills Road and Mulligans Lagoon Road	OPEN
	Unsealed section from Carlton Hill Road to the end of Weaber Plain Road	OPEN
<b>RESEARCH STATION ROAD</b>	Ivanhoe Road to Stock Route Road	OPEN
<b>WYNDHAM TOWNSHIP</b>	<i>Nil advice.</i>	
<b>KALUMBURU ROAD</b>	Gibb River Road/ Kalumburu Road junction to Drysdale River Station	CLOSED
	Drysdale River Station to Kalumburu Road/ Port Warrender Road Junction	CLOSED
	Kalumburu Road/ Port Warrender Road Junction to Kalumburu	CLOSED
<b>PORT WARRENDER ROAD (INCLUDES MITCHELL PLATEAU/FALLS)</b>	Kalumburu Road/ Port Warrender Road Junction to Surveyors Pool	CLOSED
	Surveyors Pool to Walsh Point	CLOSED
<b>MT ELIZABETH ROAD</b>	Gibb River Road to Mt Elizabeth Station Boundary	OPEN
<b>ELLENBRAE STATION ROAD</b>	Gibb River Road to the Ellenbrae Station Boundary	OPEN
<b>CARLTON HILL ROAD</b>	Carlton Hill Road	CLOSED
<b>MOONAMANG ROAD</b>	Moonamang Road (end of sealed section) to NT Border ONLY	OPEN
<b>KING RIVER ROAD</b>	Great Northern Highway to Mochalabra Dam turnoff	OPEN Proceed with caution
	Mochalabra Dam turnoff to King River Crossing	OPEN Proceed with caution
	King River Crossing to Diggers Rest turn off	OPEN Proceed with caution

<b>DUNCAN ROAD</b>	Duncan Road	<b>OPEN</b> Proceed with caution <i>WA Section ONLY, see NT website for NT section</i> <a href="http://www.ntlis.nt.gov.au/roadreport">http://www.ntlis.nt.gov.au/roadreport</a>
<b>KARUNJIE TRACK</b>	Karunjie Track to Gibb River Road	<b>STOCK ROUTE</b> <i>The Karunjie Track is not maintained, exercise extreme caution, high clearance 4WD, scouring along track, no caravans or camper trailers. Please leave gates as you find them as it is a stock route.</i>
<b>PARRY CREEK ROAD</b>	Great Northern Highway to Parry Creek Farm	<b>CLOSED</b>
Crossing	Parry Creek Farm to Parry Creek	<b>CLOSED</b>
Ramp	Parry Creek Crossing to Mambi Boat	<b>CLOSED</b>
	Mambi Boat Ramp to Buttons Crossing	<b>OPEN</b>
<b>VALENTINE SPRING ROAD</b>	Victoria Highway to Valentine Spring	<b>OPEN</b>
	Valentine Spring to Buttons Crossing	<b>OPEN</b>
<b>IVANHOE ROAD</b>	Ivanhoe Crossing	<b>CLOSED</b>
<b>LAKE ARGYLE ROAD</b>	Lake Argyle Road	<b>OPEN</b> <i>Caution some sections narrow road verges</i>
<b>STATION ACCESS ROADS</b>	For information regarding access roads to stations, it is recommended that stations are contacted directly	

Please note:

- Exemption Permits to a road closure or a load limit may be obtained in extenuating circumstances for a specific purpose apply.
- Permits must be applied for in writing at least three full business days prior to planned travel.
- Road conditions can vary rapidly and 4WD is recommended for travel on all gravel roads.
- Roads will be slippery, prone to damage and unsuitable for travel after significant rainfall.
- Caution should be exercised at all flood ways and creek crossings, delays can occur.
- Towing of trailers or caravans on unsealed roads over the Wet Season is not recommended.

NB: Travelling on a closed road is an offence under the *Activities in Thoroughfares and Public Places and Trading Local Law 2005* Section 2.19:

#### 2.19 No driving on a closed thoroughfare

- (1) A person shall not drive or take a vehicle on a closed thoroughfare unless –
  - a. That it is in accordance with any limits or exceptions specified in the order made under section 3.50 of the *Local Government Act 1995*; or
  - b. The person has first obtained a permit.
- (2) In this clause –  
 “Closed thoroughfare” means a thoroughfare wholly or partially closed under section 3.50 or 3.50A of the *Local Government Act 1995*

**A penalty of \$300 applies.**

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