



# Road Condition Report

Report #2325 Issued Monday 28 August 2023 at 1412hrs

Updates/Changes to this report are noted in **RED**

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.

For 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>

<b>KUNUNURRA / WYNDHAM (OTHER)</b>	
Crossing Falls Road from Victoria Highway intersection	OPEN
<b>KALUMBURU ROAD</b>	
Gibb River Road/ Kalumburu Road junction to Drysdale River Station	OPEN High clearance 4WD and light trucks only. Proceed with caution and drive to road conditions.
Drysdale River Station to Kalumburu Road/ Port Warrender Road Junction	OPEN High clearance 4WD and light trucks only. Proceed with caution and drive to road conditions.
Gibb River Kalumburu Road from the Port Warrender Road intersection to the Carson River	OPEN High clearance 4WD and light trucks only. Proceed with caution and drive to road conditions.
<b>PORT WARRENDER ROAD (INCLUDES MITCHELL PLATEAU/FALLS)</b>	
Kalumburu Road/ Port Warrender Road Junction to Surveyors Pool turn off	OPEN High clearance 4WD and light trucks only. Proceed with caution and drive to road conditions.
Surveyors Pool turn off to Walsh Point	<b>OPEN</b>
<b>CARLTON HILL ROAD</b>	
Carlton Hill Road	OPEN
<b>WEABER PLAIN ROAD</b>	
Unsealed section from Carlton Hill Road to the end of Weaber Plain Road	OPEN

## KING RIVER ROAD

Great Northern Highway to Moochalabra Dam turnoff	OPEN
Moochalabra Dam turnoff to King River Crossing	OPEN
King River Crossing to Diggers Rest turn off	OPEN High clearance 4WD and light trucks only. Proceed with caution and drive to road conditions.

## DUNCAN ROAD

Duncan Road	OPEN To high clearance vehicles WA Section ONLY see NT website <a href="http://www.ntlis.nt.gov.au/roadreport">http://www.ntlis.nt.gov.au/roadreport</a>
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## IVANHOE ROAD

Ivanhoe Crossing	OPEN High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution and drive to road conditions.
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## LAKE ARGYLE ROAD

Lake Argyle Road	OPEN
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## PARRY CREEK ROAD

Great Northern Highway to Parry Creek Farm	OPEN
Parry Creek Farm to Parry Creek Crossing	OPEN
Parry Creek Crossing to Mambi Boat Ramp	OPEN
Mambi Boat Ramp to Buttons Crossing	OPEN

## VALENTINE SPRING ROAD

Victoria Highway to Valentine Spring	OPEN High clearance 4WD only and proceed with caution due to water on road.
Valentine Spring to Buttons Crossing	OPEN High clearance 4WD only and proceed with caution due to water on road.

## STATION ACCESS ROADS

For information regarding access roads to stations, it is recommended that stations are contacted directly
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### Please Note:

- Exemption Permits to a road closure or a load limit may be obtained in extenuating circumstances for a specific purpose on application.
- 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 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 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.  
Vernon Lawrence, Chief Executive Officer**