SHIRE OF WYNDHAM
EAST KIMBERLEY

Road Condition Report

Report #2414 Issued Monday 20 May 2024 at 0825hrs

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
- Derby and West Kimberley Shire roads 08 9191 0999 or 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

KUNUNURRA / WYNDHAM (OTHER)	
Egret Close – 200m from the end of Egret Close Kununurra	CLOSED - Due to flooding and culvert damage.
Crossing Falls Road from Victoria Highway intersection	OPEN

KALUMBURU ROAD	
Gibb River Road/ Kalumburu Road junction to Drysdale River Station	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.
Drysdale River Station to Kalumburu Road / Port Warrender Road Junction	**OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.**
Gibb River Kalumburu Road from the Port Warrender Road intersection to the Carson River	CLOSED

PORT WARRENDER ROAD (INCLUDES MITCHELL PLATEAU/FALLS)	
Kalumburu Road/ Port Warrender Road Junction to Surveyors Pool turn off	**OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.**
Surveyors Pool turn off to Walsh Point	CLOSED

CARLTON HILL ROAD	
Carlton Hill Road	CLOSED
Carlton Hill Road to Yamandil Road	CLOSED

WEABER PLAIN ROAD	
Unsealed section from Carlton Hill Road to the end of Weaber Plain Road	CLOSED

KING RIVER ROAD	
Great Northern Highway to Moochalabra Dam turnoff	CLOSED
Moochalabra Dam turnoff to King River Crossing	CLOSED
King River Crossing to Diggers Rest turn off	CLOSED

DUNCAN ROAD	
Duncan Road	CLOSED *WA Section ONLY see NT website* *http://www.ntlis.nt.gov.au/roadreport*

IVANHOE ROAD	
Ivanhoe Crossing	CLOSED

LAKE ARGYLE ROAD	
Lake Argyle Road	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.

PARRY CREEK ROAD	
Great Northern Highway to Parry Creek Farm	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.
Parry Creek Farm to Parry Creek Crossing	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.
Parry Creek Crossing to Mambi Boat Ramp	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.
Mambi Boat Ramp to Buttons Crossing	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution.

VALENTINE SPRING ROAD	
Victoria Highway to Valentine Spring	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution
Valentine Spring to Buttons Crossing	OPEN - High clearance 4WD only. Proceed with caution

STATION ACCESS ROADS
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 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