

Theresa Park Weir Access Road repair work

July 2025

Following damage from multiple flooding events, WaterNSW is repairing a one-kilometre access track at Theresa Park Weir to provide safe and reliable access for WaterNSW staff.

Theresa Park Weir and fishway is in Theresa Park in the Wollondilly local government area. WaterNSW access for essential operations and maintenance of the weir and fishway has been disrupted by the flood damage.

Project benefits

Repairing the access track to Theresa Park Weir will deliver safe and reliable access to the weir for operations and maintenance. Ongoing maintenance work is required to ensure the efficient operation of the weir and the fishway.

Project timing

Geotechnical investigation work was completed in late 2024.

The construction repair work is planned to start in **late August 2025** and will take 12 months, weather permitting.

What work is planned?

Repair work will include

- establishing a site compound and laydown area
- stabilising the slopes above and below the access track
- installing drainage
- resurfacing the track
- repairing and replacing damaged assets along the road; and
- maintenance of the fishway.



Theresa Park weir and fishway on the Nepean River

The work area is about 5km from the corner of Werombi and McKee Roads, Theresa Park, on a WaterNSW easement through private property and the Gulguer Nature Reserve.

There is no public access to the weir.

WaterNSW will work with affected landholders, stakeholders and residents to minimise noise, dust, and traffic impacts.

The essential repair work will deliver safe and reliable access for WaterNSW staff and ensure the efficient operation of Theresa Park weir and fishway.

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How will it affect you?

WaterNSW is committed to minimising the inconvenience and impacts on nearby residents and the community.

Work hours will be from 7am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm Saturday. There will be no work on Sundays, public holidays or nightworks.

There will be increased heavy vehicle movements to the work site and noisy machinery working along the access track during the repair work.

WaterNSW will work to minimise these impacts whenever possible.

Consultation

We will work closely with impacted stakeholders and residents and provide updates throughout the project. Let us know if you would like to receive project updates by emailing engagement@waternsw.com.au

For more information, visit www.waternsw.com.au/theresaparkweir or contact WaterNSW via 1300 662 077 or email engagement@waternsw.com.au



Current condition of the weir access track



Landslide blocking access to the weir