

Martin Street and Regatta Avenue Upgrade

Ballina Shire Council will upgrade Martin Street, south of River Street, and Regatta Avenue to improve parking and pedestrian safety. The works will commence during the week of 19 October at a cost of \$580,000 as part of Council's road renewal program for 2020/21.

The reconfiguration of Martin Street will provide some more car spaces, including mobility and motorcycle spaces to improve parking. Martin Street will also see the relocation of kerb ramps and the construction of a pedestrian refuge to improve safety.

The riverfront pathway will also be extended to a shared path along Regatta Avenue to improve pedestrian access and safety. This will tie in with the introduction of a one way section at the western end of Regatta Avenue.

"The works will greatly improve this part of the town centre for motorists and pedestrians. The shared path will extend to connect with the foreshore, there will be safer crossings where Martin Street meets River Street," said Mayor David Wright.

The project is expected to be completed by the end of the year (weather permitting).

Council apologises for the temporary inconvenience caused by these works.

Please visit Council's website for more information including the design plans at ***ballina.nsw.gov.au/RegattaAvenue***

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Image: The shared path will extend along the foreshore to improve pedestrian safety.

