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ROAD SURFACE REMEDIATION & RECONSTRUCTION

Client: Simms Group
Location: Mareeba, Cairns QLD
Project: Studt Road Mareeba

Mareeba is located on the Atherton Tableland in Far North Queensland, Australia. Its name is derived from the Aboriginal word meaning "meeting of waters." As part of the Atherton Tableland Mareeba is a renowned heritage location due to its diverse environment.

Earthtec was pleased to be awarded the contract for the restoration of Studt Road due to previous successful works in the area which has demonstrated the capability and management systems required when working in environmentally sensitive areas.

The scope of works included gravel re-sheet and establishing a new gravel road to replace badly damaged sections of the existing alignment and to re-align these sections with the existing segments which

were to be retained.

Some sections of road required the construction of a new road and realignment to provide a suitable road surface

The works commenced in early November and are scheduled for completion by December.

Earthtec has completed similar works in Far North Queensland including the re-construction of the Bloomfield Road near Aytton, adjacent to the Bloomfield River which also required substantial landslip restoration, drainage work and the relocation of a Telstra Fibre Optic Line which had been compromised by the landslip failures and was in danger of being lost completely. To prevent future problems Earthtec re-directed the line onto the high side of

the road formation away from the river bank and potential

flood damage. Earthtec's business model is ideally suited to providing turnkey solutions to construction and civil engineering problems in remote areas.

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