

ADVICE

Issued by Townsville Maritime Region on 21 July 2025

Area: Townsville pilotage area

Locality: Ross Creek, Townsville

Activity: HMAS Townsville, manoeuvring up Ross Creek under tow.

Mariners are advised that:

Retired navy vessel HMAS Townsville will be manoeuvring up Ross Creek under tow.

The movement will commence from the Port of Townsville on Wednesday, 23 July 2025 at 0715 hours under tow and proceed up the Ross Creek to a position off the slipway, 39 Ross St, South Townsville.

Townsville water police and / or Maritime Safety Queensland vessels will assist with the transfer. Mariners are advised to maintain listening watch on channel 16 for any police instructions required from waterway users to maintain safe operations.

Mariners are advised to remain well clear and not impede the safe passage of HMAS Townsville.

Latitude and longitude positions are on WGS84 horizontal datum and are compatible with GDA2020 datum.

For further information about this notice, please contact:

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