Flood recovery update: MR279 (Vyeboom Road)
19 November 2026, 06:00

MR279 (Vyeboom Road) Bypass open to traffic

- MR279 (Vyeboom Road) sustained significant flood damage.
- The damage disrupted travel between Villiersdorp and the N2 (Grabouw).
- Our District Roads Engineer and team have worked tirelessly to complete a temporary bypass.
- The bypass will significantly reduce travel times for commuters who previously had to take a lengthy detour.
- We thank road users for their patience and understanding as we continue working to repair flood-damaged roads.





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