



## Minister for Transport and Main Roads

Our ref: PET 24094 – COR17/PET/18

Your ref: 10.4 Petitions

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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to the interim response to petition number 2847-17, requesting the extension of bus route 657 to service the Caboolture Police–Citizens Youth Club (PCYC) facility located in Toovey Street, Caboolture, provided by the former Minister for Transport, the Honourable Jackie Trad MP, which was tabled on 23 November 2017.

As you would know, I have been appointed as the Minister for Transport and Main Roads and now provide a final response to the petition.

The Palaszczuk Government believes in a transport system that is integrated, efficient and accessible for all members of the community. Providing accessible travel and transport options which connect people and communities with employment, education and other essential services do not come without their challenges, and my department certainly recognises that for many communities, including Caboolture and surrounding areas, changing demographics will require new approaches to increasing available travel options.

I acknowledge that the extension of this route to service the Caboolture PCYC would be of benefit to the community. As such, I have asked my department to consider the possibility of such an extension.

In accordance with s 59A of the *Parliament of Queensland Act 2001* and Standing Order 31, I request that this final response be tabled during the period that the Legislative Assembly is dissolved.

I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mark Bailey", written over a horizontal line.

**MARK BAILEY MP**  
Minister for Transport and Main Roads