



Minister for Transport and Main Roads

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Mr Neil Laurie
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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to petitions 3131-19 and 3094-19, lodged with the Legislative Assembly on 14 May 2019 by Mr Tim Nicholls MP, Member for Clayfield requesting the Queensland Government conduct extensive consultation as a part of the Northern Transitway project.

The Northern Transitway project is a \$53 million Palaszczuk Government election commitment which is being delivered by the Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR). The project is a 2.3-kilometre corridor which will support high frequency on-road bus services, and enable more reliable and improved bus travel times and encourage more people to use public transport.

TMR is currently undertaking planning and design activities to progress the project, which includes consultation with local residents and businesses. Consultation will continue, and residents will have a say on the final concept design, including any proposal which might impact on existing on-road parking.

Initial consultation was undertaken in late-2018. This was to advise key stakeholders, local businesses and the surrounding community about the design activities of the project. Consultation activities included a letterbox drop, doorknocking/face-to-face meetings with local businesses along the Gympie Road corridor and briefings with elected representatives. Development of a project inbox and webpage also occurred at this time.

I trust this information is of assistance to petitioners.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Mark Bailey', with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

MARK BAILEY MP
Minister for Transport and Main Roads