



The Honourable Scott Emerson MP
Minister for Transport and Main Roads

Our ref: PET 11859

Your ref: 10.4 Petitions

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Mr Neil Laurie
The Clerk of the Parliament
Parliament House
George Street
Brisbane Qld 4000

Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to petition numbers 2187-13 and 2218-14 lodged with the Legislative Assembly by the Honourable Andrew Powell MP, Member for Glass House on 12 February 2014 about the installation of flashing school zone signs at Elimbah State School.

I thank the Member for Glass House for representing his community and bringing this important matter to my attention. The Queensland Government has approved a \$10 million program to install flashing school zone signs at over 300 risk assessed school zones over a period of four years. These are being selected based on a detailed risk analysis of school zones in Queensland as well as some school zones nominated by state Members of Parliament. Priority has been given to school zones with a significant crash history, a high level of vehicle and pedestrian traffic, higher speed limits or visibility problems.

I am pleased to advise I have approved the installation of flashing school zone signs at the Elimbah State School on Beerburrum Road. The signs will be installed by 30 June 2014.

I wish to commend the Member for Glass House for his representations on behalf of Elimbah State School and his commitment to road safety in Glass House.

Yours sincerely

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