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**MEMBER FOR GREENSLOPES**

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**PRIVATE MEMBER'S STATEMENT**

**Greenslopes Electorate**

 **Mr KELLY** (Greenslopes—ALP) (2.54 pm): We are doing what matters for Greenslopes. In Mount Gravatt, we have new classrooms and facilities at all three state schools. I worked to drop the speed limit outside Nursery Road State Special School. People are loving the 20 per cent off their car rego. We will create more parkland in Mount Gravatt and the locals love it.

In Holland Park West, I work with Peter Bongiorno and the Ukrainian Community of Queensland to support refugees. Our veloways are keeping cyclists safe and we will be building a velobridge over Birdwood Road to keep them even safer. With a new design and tech block and lots more, Holland Park High is looking great and growing. We will be switching on the lights real soon at the Holland Park Sports Club, adding to our investments in the Holland Park Hawks Football Club and Easts Junior Rugby League. Pool upgrades will happen at Holland Park State School, adding to the new STEM centre we built there and the millions we have spent on improving accessibility. Seville Road State School will be getting new playgrounds and admin facilities. We should never forget what happened at Cavendish Road either. The LNP took a hall away but we have built two. Holland Park folk love the energy rebates, which we can provide because we own our assets. They love our Energy and Jobs Plan, which is putting us on track for clean energy. I can tell you what they do not love: nuclear power.

In Greenslopes, the Annerley soccer club had its fields upgraded. Greenslopes State School is growing, so we are going to build what is needed for that growth. Stones Corner is getting 82 new social and affordable housing units. They love the Homes for Queenslanders plan. People tell me that they want the Greens and the LNP to get out of the way of the Help to Buy scheme. The Broncos NRLW team are using Totally Workwear Stadium for their home games with new facilities, which we contributed \$1 million towards. It is great to see those games so well attended.

In Camp Hill, we have built new design and tech blocks, new classrooms for the French immersion programs, student quadrangles and playgrounds at Whites Hill State College. It has been an absolute privilege to support Camp Hill heroes Sue and Lloyd Clarke in their quest to stamp out coercive control. Camp Hill folk love free kindy, free TAFE and \$1,000 worth of tools for first-year tradies. With so many sporting options nearby, they love the expanded FairPlay vouchers.

Easts Rugby Union are at the heart of Coorparoo and they are receiving \$1.5 million for the next stage of their upgrade, which will see more girls and women playing Rugby and will create a sustainable future for the club. It is no wonder they are the biggest and the best Rugby club in Australia. We will be upgrading the classrooms at Coorparoo State School as well. Of course, everyone is super excited and pleased to hear that we are going to fix the Coorparoo rail crossing.

These are the things that matter in the electorate of Greenslopes and we are doing them. Of course, they are all under threat if the LNP get back in charge. I know that the people of Greenslopes will back me because I listen to them and then I work as part of the Miles Labor government to do what matters for Greenslopes. If the people of Greenslopes want these things, then in 2024 they have to keep the LNP out of the door and give Labor four more.