

Question on Notice

No. 841

Asked on Tuesday 18 May 2010

QUESTION:

MR RYAN ASKED THE MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT (MS NOLAN)—

Will the Minister advise the State Government's investment in car parking facilities at train stations in the Morayfield Electorate?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Morayfield for the question.

The Bligh Government is investing more than \$150m to deliver more park 'n' ride facilities across the TransLink network through the TransLink Station Upgrade Program over the next five years. This investment will create more than 1300 extra car parks for our customers.

Currently, Morayfield rail station has 233 car parking spaces. Concept designs have been completed and early works have commenced on the extension of the western carpark for a further 87 additional car parking spaces at the station, bringing the new total to 320 car parking spaces. Additional features will include CCTV, lighting, and fencing. Practical completion of the project is expected by August 2010.

Currently, Burpengary rail station has 315 car parking spaces. Construction is well underway to the extension on the western side of the station for an additional 92 car parks. This will bring the new total to 407 car parking spaces. Additional features will include CCTV, lighting, a new bicycle enclosure, and fencing. Practical completion is expected by August 2010.

Total value of works being undertaken in the Morayfield electorate is \$2.75m.