

## Question on Notice

No. 909

Asked on Tuesday, 14 June 2011

MR ELMES asked the Minister for Main Roads, Fisheries and Marine Infrastructure (MR WALLACE)—

### QUESTION:

With reference to advice from the Sunshine Coast Council (the contractor responsible for repairs and maintenance work on local state owned roads) that 'Eumundi-Noosa Road is almost beyond any condition where it can continue to be maintained and urgently needs full rehabilitation as it is irreparable' —

What would it cost to rebuild that section of road between Duke Road and the Emu Mountain roundabout at Doonan to a state-approved standard as a dual carriageway?

### ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Noosa for the question.

I can advise the Department of Transport and Main Roads is undertaking detailed design work for a project to rehabilitate the road between Duke Road and Emu Mountain Road. This project is listed in the *Queensland Transport and Roads Investment Program 2011-12 to 2014-15*, with an indicative total cost of \$23.3 million and indicative funding of \$4.66 million in 2013-14 to 2014-15.

The department advises that major pavement repair programs have been completed on the section from Dukes Road to Emu Mountain Road since February 2011. These include pavement repairs near the Doonan Fruit Shed, the Doonan Service Station and between Eumundi and Redwood Road.

The department has advised it will continue regular inspections and will schedule maintenance works as necessary to maintain the road in a safe, trafficable condition.