

Question on Notice

No. 1098

Asked on Tuesday, 27 October 2015

MS FARMER asked the Minister for Main Roads, Road Safety and Ports and Minister for Energy and Water Supply (HON M BAILEY) —

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise how the local schools and families in the Bulimba Electorate will benefit from the Flashing School Zone sign program?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Bulimba for the question.

I am pleased to confirm that three schools in the Bulimba Electorate will benefit from the 2015-16 flashing school zone sign program.

Families with children attending Bulimba State School, St Oliver Plunkett School and Cannon Hill State School will be pleased to know their schools will have flashing school zone signs installed, following representations made by the Member.

The installation of flashing school zone signs at these schools will improve visibility of the school zones and serve as an active reminder for motorists to slow down when children are present.

The flashing school zone signs program is a part of the Palaszczuk Government's commitment to road safety.

Over the next two years, we will deliver more than \$500 million on road safety programs, including education, community engagement, enforcement, technology, research, and improved road infrastructure targeting the highest risk locations.

I thank the Member for her commitment to road safety, and for her strong advocacy on this issue.