Question on Notice

No. 830

Asked on 17 June 2021

MR P WEIR ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS (HON M BAILEY)

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise if there will be any funding provided for the upgrading of the Clifton Leyburn Road in the section between the township of Clifton and the Toowoomba Leyburn Road which is in disrepair?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Condamine for the question.

I can advise the Palaszczuk Government has committed \$2.6 million worth of repairs and pavement seals for Clifton Leyburn Road over the 2021–22 and 2022–23 financial years, as part of the *Queensland Transport and Roads Investment Program 2021–22 to 2024–25* (QTRIP). The works will cover the entire stretch of the road, from Clifton township to the Toowoomba-Karara Road intersection.

The Palaszczuk Government continues to invest in the Darling Downs region by delivering \$665 million in roads and transport infrastructure as part of its sixth record \$27.5 billion QTRIP. This investment is estimated to support an average of 775 direct jobs over the life of the program and will provide a pipeline of works which will boost local supply chains and businesses.

It should be noted there is no state-controlled road named Toowoomba Leyburn Road.