## **Question on Notice**

## No. 1095

# Asked on 13 September 2023

**MR T WATTS** ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS AND MINISTER FOR DIGITIAL SERVICES (HON M BAILEY)—

### QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise what the forecast construction is for the intersection upgrades at Highfields Road and Kratzke Road?

### ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Toowoomba North for the question.

This project is funded by the *Queensland Transport and Roads Investment Program* (QTRIP) 2023–24 to 2026–27 for upgrade works at the intersection of Highfields and Kratzke roads, and is being delivered under the Local Government Grants – Transport Infrastructure Development Scheme.

This project is jointly funded by the Queensland Government and Toowoomba Regional Council (TRC) on a 50:50 funding arrangement, and will be delivered by TRC. Any enquiries relating to the project should be directed to TRC.

The Palaszczuk Government is delivering its eighth record transport and roads infrastructure program in a row, as detailed in the QTRIP 2023–24 to 2026–27, which outlines \$32.1 billion in investment over the next four years and is estimated to support an average of 25,200 direct jobs over the life of the program. Of this, \$820 million is committed across the Department of Transport and Main Roads' Darling Downs District, estimated to support an average of 830 direct jobs over the life of the program.