

**Question on Notice**

**No. 825**

**Asked on 15 June 2023**

**MR J KRAUSE** ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS AND MINISTER FOR DIGITAL SERVICES (HON M BAILEY)—

**QUESTION:**

Will the Minister provide the number of residential properties owned by the Department of Transport and Main Roads that were rented out, or able to be rented out, currently and as of 30 June for the last three financial years?

**ANSWER:**

I thank the Member for Scenic Rim for the question.

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) acquires and holds property for the purpose of providing right of way to land for future road and transport infrastructure projects.

TMR currently has 927 residential properties, with 891 leased and rented to the public at market rent, until required by the infrastructure project when the properties are then vacated. Of the current 36 vacant properties:

- 16 are available and advertised for lease
- 20 are currently being repaired and readied for advertising.

As at 30 June 2022, of the 942 owned, 888 were rented. As at 30 June 2021, of the 919 owned, 887 were rented. As at 30 June 2020, of the 870 held, 866 were rented.

Unrented properties are either in the process of being repaired or being advertised for lease.