Question on Notice

No. 252

Asked on 19 March 2024

MR A PERRETT ASKED MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT AND MAIN ROADS AND MINISTER FOR DIGITAL SERVICES (HON B MELLISH)—

QUESTION:

With reference to the construction of a single-lane roundabout at the Tin Can Bay Road and Bayside Road intersection—

Will the Minister advise the timeline for the construction of the roundabout?

ANSWER:

I thank the Member for Gympie for the question.

The project is being delivered under the Queensland Government's Safer Roads Sooner (SRS) program. The SRS program focuses on implementing high-benefit, cost-effective engineering safety treatments to enhance safety across the state-controlled road network.

Construction of the new roundabout will commence later this year, with all project activities expected to be complete in 2025.

The Miles Government is delivering its eighth record transport and roads infrastructure program in a row, as detailed in the *Queensland Transport and Roads Investment Program 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, \$1.231 billion is committed across the Department of Transport and Main Roads' Wide Bay Burnett District, estimated to support an average of 1070 direct jobs over the life of the program.