

Question on Notice

No. 41

Asked on 14 February 2024

MR S BENNETT ASKED THE MINISTER FOR FIRE AND DISASTER RECOVERY AND MINISTER FOR CORRECTIVE SERVICES (HON N BOYD)—

QUESTION:

Will the Minister advise (a) when the people of Bundaberg and the Burnett can expect a new fire station and (b) the proposed location of the station?

ANSWER: [MINISTER FOR FIRE AND DISASTER RECOVERY AND MINISTER FOR CORRECTIVE SERVICES (HON N BOYD)]

The Member for Bundaberg asked me about this topic earlier in the year following his strong advocacy for this project. I have advised him of the following which continues to be the most up to date information.

In the 2023-24 Budget Paper 3, \$2 million has been committed for the strategic acquisition of land for the new Bundaberg East fire and emergency services facility.

I am advised by Queensland Fire and Emergency Services (QFES) that the process to secure land for this new facility is well underway with further specifics currently commercial in confidence.

I will continue to update the community through the Member for Bundaberg.