



Warren Pitt MP
Member for Mulgrave



**Queensland
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Our ref: MC36398

Your ref: 1009-08, 1072-08

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Mr Neil Laurie
The Clerk of the Parliament
Parliament House
George Street
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Minister for Main Roads and
Local Government

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MP: Hon W Pitt
Clerk's Signature: [Signature] 25/7/08

Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to Petition Nos 1009-08 and 1072-08 lodged with the Legislative Assembly by Mr John English MP, Member for Redlands, on 6 June 2008, requesting the installation of traffic signals at the intersection of Beveridge and Ziegenfusz Roads, Thornlands.

I am advised these intersections fall within a project funded under the *South East Queensland Infrastructure Project Program (SEQIPP)*. This project involves upgrading Cleveland-Redland Bay Road, between South and Boundary Streets, to four lanes.

Features will be included in the project to enhance the safety of road users and pedestrians, decrease congestion and make it easier to access the schools and parks in the area.

I am further advised that currently, funds are allocated for high priority interim safety works and intersection upgrades. The Department of Main Roads anticipates work will commence within the next 12 months and is currently examining which works will provide the best outcome and a final decision on what will be included will be made before September 2008.

I am also advised Main Roads recognises both Beveridge and Ziegenfusz Roads are a high priority, not least because of their proximity to schools.

If you require further information, please call Mr Robert Tutticci, Principal Engineer (Preconstruction) in Brisbane, on 3137 8357. Mr Tutticci will be pleased to assist.

Yours sincerely

Warren Pitt MP
Minister for Main Roads