

## Minister for Transport and Main Roads

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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to petition 3813-22, lodged with the Legislative Assembly by Mr Andrew Powell MP, Member for Glass House on 29 November 2022, about signalising the intersection of the D'Aguilar Highway and Mount Mee Road.

A review of the past five years of available crash data for this intersection identified the intersection is not a current priority for upgrade. I am advised by the Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) there is currently no planning or funding for the upgrade of this intersection. Funding for intersection upgrades is prioritised based on locations with the greatest safety and capacity needs. Priorities are primarily determined by consideration of recorded crash history, using data from the Queensland Police Service.

In regard to the application for the proposed service station, I can confirm this application was referred to the State Assessment Referral Agency (SARA) as part of the assessment process. TMR undertook a technical assessment for SARA and was satisfied the applicant's Traffic Impact Assessment report demonstrated that formalising access to this site, being an existing convenience store and small service station, was able to adequately mitigate potential safety impacts posed by the new service station, subject to conditions. The application and associated technical reports confirmed the development did not warrant upgrades to signalise the intersection, impacts of the development were minimal, and the intersection would continue to operate satisfactorily upon completion of the development with the conditioned upgrade works.

TMR will continue to monitor this part of the network as part of routine operations.

I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

MARK BAILEY MP Minister for Transport and Main Roads