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11 April 2025

Hon Rita Saffioti MLA
Deputy Premier; Treasurer; Minister for Transport; Sport and Recreation
13th Floor Dumas House
2 Havelock Street
WEST PERTH WA 6005

Dear Minister Saffioti

Request to Expand Scope of the 'Tonkin Highway Corridor – Roe Highway to Kelvin Road' Project

On behalf of the City of Kalamunda, I write to raise concerns regarding the scope of the current Tonkin Highway Corridor - Roe Highway to Kelvin Road project, and to formally request that it be expanded and funded to include construction of a dual-lane roundabout at the intersection of Lewis Road and Welshpool Road East.

The City has determined that the grade separation works planned at Tonkin Highway intersections with Welshpool Road East and Hale Road will have a severe and detrimental impact on the surrounding road network and local road users, both during the construction phase and in the long term. A key area of concern is the intersection of Lewis Road and Welshpool Road East, which is expected to experience increased pressure as a result of the Tonkin Highway upgrades, compounding existing safety and traffic issues.

To address these concerns, the City requests that the scope of works be expanded to include the roundabout at Lewis Road and Welshpool Road East, which would:

- a) Improve the safety of vehicles entering and exiting Lewis Road
- b) Improve the safety of vehicles travelling along Welshpool Road East
- c) Enhance traffic flow and reduce queuing during peak periods
- d) Enable safe U-turn movements from all directions
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We respectfully request your support to expand the project scope and funding envelope to include this critical local road upgrade. The City welcomes any opportunity to meet and further discuss this matter with your offices and relevant departments.

Yours sincerely



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Chief Executive Officer

cc: Ms Zaneta Mascarenhas MP, Federal Member for Swan
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Member for Forrestfield
PO Box 2192
HIGH WYCOMBE WA 6057

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PO Box 1060
VICTORIA PARK WA 6981

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