



## Minister for Transport and Main Roads

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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to petition numbers 2828-17 and 2871-18 lodged with the Legislative Assembly on 15 February 2018 by Mr Michael Crandon MP, Member for Coomera about an upgrade to bus services between Beenleigh and Ormeau stations.

The Palaszczuk Government is committed to providing an integrated and efficient public transport network for Queensland.

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) acknowledges that growth is occurring in the Ormeau Hills and Jacobs Ridge area, however, the department advises that neither an extension of span of hours or additional service frequency is justified based on the current patronage levels across existing services.

The department will continue to work closely with its delivery partners and local government, to identify opportunities to make future service improvements in these areas based on performance and suitability of the network, as well as changes in demand and population.

I thank the petitioners for bringing this matter to my attention, and I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Mark Bailey", with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

**MARK BAILEY MP**  
**Minister for Transport and Main Roads**