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Mr Neil Laurie
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Dear Mr Laurie

I refer to petitions 3178-19 and 3156-19, lodged with the Legislative Assembly by Mr Chris Whiting MP, Member for Bancroft on 20 August 2019 about the request for crossing supervisors for Christ the King School, Thompson Street, Deception Bay.

The Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) is committed to safe school travel and has undertaken an assessment of the Thompson Street zebra crossing at Christ the King Primary School to determine eligibility for a funded school crossing supervisor.

This assessment took into consideration the individual school's situation by using objective criteria linked to the road safety risks common around schools. All assessments are prioritised on a statewide basis and funding is allocated accordingly.

It gives me great pleasure to advise petitioners that Christ the King Primary School will benefit from the new State funding for a school crossing supervisor as part of this financial year's scheme.

I would like to thank the Member for Bancroft for being such a strong advocate for improving road and school safety outcomes.

TMR Road Safety Officers will contact the school to progress the recruitment for the supervisors and provide regular updates as to when the crossing will open.

I trust this information is of assistance.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'MARK BAILEY', with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

MARK BAILEY MP
Minister for Transport and Main Roads