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Mr Phil Cantillon
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Dear Mr Cantillon

DTP Support for Nepean Highway Boulevard, Frankston City Council

I refer to our recent discussions and your subsequent email of 24 February 2025 in relation to Frankston City Council's (Council) plans for the transformation of Nepean Highway through Frankston to a Boulevard, to support the ongoing transformation of Frankston Town Centre and to support the objectives and vision of the Frankston Metropolitan Activity Centre (FMAC).

The Department of Transport and Planning (the Department) acknowledges the significant work undertaken by Council to develop the Nepean Boulevard Masterplan. The Department supports the intent of the masterplan to activate the surrounding area with improved active transport connections, safer movements across the corridor and the creation of a more vibrant place.

In reaching this position, the Department recognises the two years of collaboration and investigations between Council and the Department in developing the Masterplan and acknowledges both the need to support mixed use intensification along the Nepean Highway Corridor and support broader transport network movements. The Department looks forward to continuing this collaboration as further detailed planning and transport modelling is undertaken to realise the ultimate vision of the masterplan, FMAC and the broader transport network.

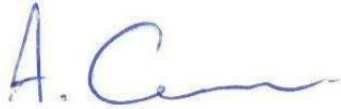
The Department acknowledges the important role FMAC plays in the delivery the Victorian Housing Strategy and supporting the surrounding region as a major centre for employment, education and essential services.

As the Responsible Authority for the Nepean Highway, the Department will continue to work with the Council to ensure the vision, objectives and projects identified in the Masterplan are achieved should Council be successful in securing the necessary funding required.

We look forward to continuing our close collaboration with Council to deliver this important initiative. Your support and ongoing commitment are greatly valued, and we appreciate the opportunity to work together in achieving these shared goals.

Should you require any further information in relation to this matter please to not hesitate to reach out to Nigel Smith - Manager Network Strategy via nigel.smith@roads.vic.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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Alex Green
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