

Response to question on notice

Questions on Notice Paper No 9

5 September 2025

Question No. 544

Peter Cain MLA: To ask the Minister for Homes, Homelessness and New Suburbs

1. Has the ACT Government undertaken any traffic volume or road safety studies on Drake Brockman Drive in Holt since the commencement of the Ginninderry development.
2. What assessments, if any, have been conducted to evaluate the impact of increased traffic from the Ginninderry development on residential driveway access along Drake Brockman Drive.
3. Will the ACT Government consider implementing road safety measures for residents located at high-risk sections of Drake Brockman Drive. Questions on Notice Paper No 9— 5 September 2025
4. Is there a current plan to review or upgrade road infrastructure along Drake Brockman Drive in response to increased traffic volumes associated with surrounding development; if so, what is the expected timeline for this review or upgrade.
5. Are there any plans to install signage along the section of road between Trickett Street and Macnaughton Street similar to the “Caution: Driveways” signage present at Spofforth Street and opposite 168 Drake Brockman Drive.

YVETTE BERRY MLA - The answer to the Member’s question is as follows:

1. The Ginninderry Joint Venture (JV) has undertaken regular traffic surveys along Drake Brockman Drive since 2014/15. These surveys have informed design and incremental improvements to the corridor. As part of the design development process, Road Safety reviews have also been undertaken.
2. The Ginninderry JV has been actively monitoring the traffic conditions along Drake Brockman Drive since 2014/15. This has included surveys and observations of traffic behaviour along the corridor. A key component of this active monitoring has been regular consultation with residents. Residents have previously informed Ginninderry JV of issues with driveway access. In response, the Ginninderry JV has implemented improvements along the corridor to address these issues.

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3. The Ginninderry JV has already implemented a number of road safety improvements including:
- a. Local Area Traffic Management Measures – Line marking improvements, pedestrian refuges, bus stop improvements and signage; and
 - b. Modification to the Spofforth Street / Drake-Brockman Drive Intersection which included an intersection re-orientation, new stop signs and speed hump.

Further improvements will be made as part of the upcoming Stage 2 Drake Brockman Drive improvement work, which will commence in 2026.

4. The Ginninderry JV is currently in the process of finalising the detailed design for the Stage 2 Drake Brockman Drive improvement works. These works include:

- a. Improved residential access with a new service road;
- b. Signalisation of three intersections at Spofforth Street, Trickett Street and Macnaughton Street; and
- c. Partial duplication of sections between Ginninderry and Macnaughton Street.

Ginninderry JV plans to commence procurement and construction in 2026.

5. Signage was recently installed on the corner of Trickett Street and Macnaughton Street, cautioning drivers of traffic related to driveways.

Approved for circulation to the Member and incorporation into Hansard.

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Minister for Homes, Homelessness and New Suburbs

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