

**Response to question on notice**  
**Questions on Notice Paper No 15**  
**6 February 2026**  
**Question No. 844**

**Ms Jo CLAY: To ask the Minister for Transport**

In relation to the seating available at Westfield Belconnen bus interchange, is it the responsibility of the Government or Westfield Belconnen to maintain this infrastructure, including seating; if the Government is responsible, has providing eaves to better weatherproof the bus shelters been considered; if Westfield Belconnen is responsible, has the Government had any discussions with Westfield about weatherproofing the shelters, and if not, why not.

**Chris Steel MLA** - The answer to the Member's question is as follows:

The maintenance of the seating and shelters at the Westfield Belconnen bus interchange is the responsibility of Westfield under the Public Transport Facility Management Agreement (the Agreement) between the Territory and Westfield. Transport Canberra representatives have met with Westfield representatives on two occasions over the last three months.

During a meeting on 19 November 2025, a number of maintenance issues with the drainage and waterproofing of the existing shelters were raised with Westfield management by Transport Canberra, these issues were addressed within three weeks of being raised.

Transport Canberra representatives met again with Westfield management on 18 February 2026 to discuss potential options for amendments to the approved design of the interchange (such as eaves), discussions around such changes are ongoing with Westfield at this time.

**Approved for circulation to the Member and incorporation into Hansard.**



**Chris Steel MLA**  
**Minister for Transport**

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