



## Department of Transport

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Cr Kathy Majdlik  
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Dear Cr Majdlik

**M80 CONNECTOR STUDY**

I am pleased to advise that the Department of Transport (DoT) is commencing an investigation of investment priorities along the Western Freeway, Calder Freeway and Hume Freeway corridors.

This work is associated with the Federal Government announcement in February 2019, committing up to \$50 million for upgrade to the Calder Freeway between the M80 and Gap Road in Sunbury, \$50 million for the upgrade to the Hume Freeway between the M80 and Watson Street in Wallan and \$50 million to upgrade the Western Freeway between the M80 and Ferris Road in Melton.

As a key stakeholder, your knowledge relating to evidence of present and future problems and opportunities is important for DoT to understand and consider as part of this work on these vital corridors. Whilst the focus will be to inform investment opportunities under the announced program, the investigation will also identify upgrade options that may be considered under future programs.

We will be in contact in the near future to advise you of our consultation process and timeframes, to this end please nominate a key contact for us to work with as the project moves forward.

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact David Teague, Director Transport Planning (Roads) on 0409 420 416 or email [david.teague@roads.vic.gov.au](mailto:david.teague@roads.vic.gov.au).

Yours sincerely

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