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Dr Gordon Reid MP Member for Robertson Level 3, 69 central Coast Hwy WEST GOSFORD NSW 2250

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Dear Dr Reid

Thank you for your letter on behalf of residents of Ettalong Beach regarding road condition of Bourke Road, Ettalong Beach.

Council uses an advanced Pavement Management System to prioritise road segments, select treatment options and develop the Road Renewal Program. Roads considered for inclusion in the Road Renewal Program are objectively assessed and prioritised via application of a range of technical criteria within our road pavement management system. Projects with the highest priority are then considered for an allocation of funding.

The renewal of Bourke Road from Memorial Road to Barrenjoey Road, Ettalong Beach has been assessed in-line with this process with the road identified for road renewal works in 2023/24, subject to program refinement and future adoption by Council.

Council is currently undertaking the pavement designs for each project in the 2023/24 program. When the designs are complete the timing of each project within the program will then be determined by considering, existing condition, location in relation to seasonal traffic generators such as schools, surface finish, procurement methodology and availability of contractors. It is anticipated that Bourke Road will be delivered in the first half of the financial year.

Council's Infrastructure Assessment and Road Maintenance staff are continuing to routinely inspect the road network and associated infrastructure with any defects identified scheduled for repairs in accordance with our current service levels and on a priority risk basis. Residents are also encouraged to report any specific safety concerns for investigation and response by contacting Council's online Customer Service Centre at centralcoast.nsw.gov.au/council/contact/online-services or by telephoning (02) 4306 7900.







Should residents have any further maintenance enquiries they are invited to contact Mr Gab Villa, Acting Section Manager Pavements by telephoning (02) 4350 3173

Yours faithfully

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Director Infrastructure Services

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