

The Hon Ray Williams MP

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ROAD SAFETY ON THE MAP FOR CASTLE HILL

Motorists will soon benefit from a suite of safety measures rolling out across Castle Hill with more than \$300,000 to be invested into local projects, through round three of the Safer Roads Program.

Member for Castle Hill Ray Williams MP said "Every life matters, and that's why we're investing in life-saving measures across our road network to see that every motorist who sets off on a journey makes it home to their family and friends."

New projects receiving funding during the next financial year include:

- Traffic Signals at Samantha Riley Drive and Hezlett Road, Kellyville
- Two Single Lane Roundabouts at the First Farm Drive intersections of Old Castle Hill Road, Castle Hill.

Minister for Regional Transport and Roads Paul Toole said this latest round of funding would see 207 new projects commence, bringing the total to \$258 million for work on 383 projects next financial year.

"These are projects designed to save lives. We are committed to reducing the state's road toll and the measures we are investing in through this program will prevent the loss of more than 1500 lives and serious injuries on our roads over 15 years," Mr Toole said.

The Safer Roads Program comprises of the Saving Lives on Country Roads, and Liveable and Safe Urban Communities initiatives, which see targeted projects delivered for both the bush and city. The Safer Roads Program is a five-year, \$822 million program, with more than \$300 million has already spent over the last two years.

** Safer Roads video is available here **

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