CBD BUG letter to 2015 State Election candidate re need to foster bike riding

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Dear Donald

Thanks for your email message on 21 January. I understand the Deputy Opposition Leader has written to Paul French on behalf of all candidates. For my own part I am more than happy to commit to working to achieve a greater proportion of trips made by bicycle, or walking, within our electorate. Mount Coot-tha is well-placed to lead the way in reducing motor vehicle reliance given our proximity to the CBD, where a large proportion of our constituents work, and our many local hubs for eating, shopping and socialising close to home.

There is more to be done in terms of infrastructure to support bicycle commuters and in that regard I note the Deputy Leader's commitment that a future Labor government will review the cycling network to determine usage patterns and volumes and identify infrastructure and funding requirements.

Best wishes Steven