



Brisbane Central Business District Bicycle User Group

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Mr David Lynch
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Dear Mr Lynch

This letter seeks your urgent action to address the unacceptable delay in the opening of the shared path that would allow cyclists and pedestrians to safely travel between Mann Park and Campbell Street in Bowen Hills.

The Brisbane Central Business District Bicycle User Group (CBD BUG) is a grass roots volunteer organisation of more than 700 members, representing the interests of the very large number of Brisbane residents who ride bicycles to, from and within the Brisbane city centre. It is active in vigorously seeking policy decisions at all levels of government supporting cycling, and in particular relating to improved infrastructure, end-of-trip facilities, integration of cycling with other transport modes and a cyclist-friendly regulatory environment. CBD BUG members meet monthly to exchange information and ideas, discuss issues of relevance and determine the direction of policies to benefit CBD cyclists.

The Airport Link tunnel opened for motorists on 24 July 2010. However, nine weeks later cyclists and pedestrians still have to endure detours that commenced on 26 August 2006. The CBD BUG is also aware that the shared bridge over Enoggera Creek that pedestrians and cyclist still cannot use was in fact completed as part of the Clem 7 project.

Additionally, the CBD BUG also seeks provision of a timetable detailing when all the shared paths in the Bowen Hills precinct will be open to allow users to safely travel from Mann Park to Northey Street.

Finally, I would also like invite CNI representatives to attend a CBD BUG meeting to brief our members about the projects' overall urban mitigation works that will be delivered within two years of the project opening, specifically;

- a) the pedestrian and cycleway that is planned between Windsor and Lutwyche that will go along Chalk, McLennan, Lane Streets, from Windsor Park to Flynn Oval, and
- b) the planned Boulevard Project Works on Junction Road and Rose Street.

I look forward to your response on these issues.

If further clarification or definition of this request is required, please contact me directly on 0423 974 825 at your earliest convenience

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Paul French". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping tail on the "h".

Paul French
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