

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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## John Muntz Causeway Update

Member for Albert, Mark Boothman MP, has visited the site of the once again temporarily closed John Muntz Causeway. Mr Boothman said "Main Roads engineers will be checking the culverts of the bridge once water levels recede as they are required to use underwater cameras to establish structural safety."

"The design plans for the new bridge are available on my website <u>www.markboothman.com</u> including a comprehensive breakdown of the surrounding intersection changes." Mr Boothman said.

Mr Boothman would like to remind drivers to remain vigilant on the roads and to slow down around roadwork's.

The Newman Government is committed to building a new bridge adjacent the causeway and we anticipate this to start on schedule in March- April this year.

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