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Tabled by: Lord Mayor.

Dear Minister

Beams Road Rail Level Crossing Project

Thank you again for your letter of 13 July 2021 requesting that Brisbane City Council lead the design and construction of the Department of Transport and Main Roads (TMR) Beams Road Rail Level Crossing project.

After reviewing the information provided by TMR and considering that Council is currently committed to a wide range of infrastructure projects delivering on Brisbane's public, active and general transport needs, I am writing to advise Council is unable to lead the delivery of the Beams Road Rail Level Crossing project.

Council, in principle, has no objection to TMR's rail level crossing project reference design. However, it is important to note that a detailed review has identified a number of key aspects for TMR's consideration. These include:

- The overpass's vertical grade geometry and compliance with the *Disability and Discrimination Act 1992*.
- Flood impact assessments and mitigation strategies, including interface with Council's Beams Road Upgrade project.
- The design of intersections, including interface with Council's Beams Road Upgrade project.

Council strongly supports the Beams Road Rail Level Crossing project and will continue to collaborate with TMR to ensure the best outcomes for Brisbane residents.

To assist with this exchange of information, please contact Ms Marie Gales, Manager, Transport Planning and Operations, on 3178 1418 or by email at Marie.Gales@brisbane.qld.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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