LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY WRITTEN QUESTION

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to Minister for Transport and Infrastructure

Expenditure on roads to Aboriginal communities 2003-2004

How much is being spent on each of the following roads in financial year 2003-2004 –

- (a) Deep Well Road;
- (b) Plenty Highway;
- (c) Docker River Road;
- (d) Finke Road;
- (e) Santa Teresa Road;
- (f) Namatjira Drive;
- (g) Papunya Road;
- (h) Kintore Road (from Papunya to Kintore); and
- (i) Haasts Bluff Road (from Namatjira Drive to Haasts Bluff).

ANSWER

Expenditure on Roads to Aboriginal Communities 2003-2004

Expenditure on individual roads includes both planned and unplanned expenditures, for example, for emergency repairs. Expenditure on the roads in 2003-2004 is budgeted at \$3.939m.

	Description	Estimated Expenditure 2003-2004 (\$)
(a)	Deep Well Road	10,000.00
(b)	Plenty Highway	1,364,000.00
(c)	Docker River Road	1,379,000.00
(d)	Finke Road	620,000.00
(e)	Santa Teresa Road	255,000.00
(f)	Namatjira Drive	106,000.00
(g)	Papunya Road (see below)	
(h)	Kintore Road (Tanami to Kintore including	180,000.00
	Papunya)	
(i)	Haasts Bluff Road (from Namatjira Dve)	25,000.00