

## LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

### WRITTEN QUESTION

Mr Guyula to the Minister for Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics:

#### Regional Infrastructure Highlights

1. **Of the infrastructure Highlights Listed in the Budget 2021/22 Regional Overview Budget paper on page 23, how many of these projects will be completed in the 21/22 budget?**

#### **\$4.4 million for Galiwin'ku aerodrome:**

- Aerodrome reseal is scheduled to be completed in 2021-22.
- Western Apron upgrade and Secure Compound is in planning for delivery in 2022-23.
- Aerodrome fencing upgrade is in planning for delivery in 2022-23.

#### **\$1.8 million to improve barge landings at Galiwin'ku and Ramingining:**

- Designs scheduled to be undertaken 2021-22.
- Delivery subject to obtaining relevant approvals.

#### **\$1.8 million to improve the barge landing and goods handling facility at Gapuwiyak:**

- Design contract awarded to Rodeghiero Pty Ltd on 9 February 2021.
- Currently in design.
- Delivery planned for 2022-23.

#### **\$0.3 million for erosion protection works along Umbakumba Road:**

- This is a new project added to the program this year.
- Scheduled for completion in 2021-22 subject to relevant approvals.

#### **\$2 million to continue homeland learning centre upgrades:**

- The homeland learning centre upgrades include the replacement of Langarra homeland learning centres.
- Aboriginal Areas Protection Authority land clearances are being undertaken and design is due to be released after clearances received, with anticipated completion end of 2022.

**\$0.9 million to upgrade school infrastructure at Baniyala Garrangali, Yirrkala, Angurugu and Nhulunbuy:**

- Baniyala Garrangali School – Building Better Schools program
  - Identified works: New shed for boat and vehicles.
  - Currently in scoping phase. Completion targeted by June 2022.
- Yirrkala Homeland School – Building Better Schools program
  - Identified works: Rooftop Solar at 2 homeland learning centres sites (Garrthalala and Wanduwuy)
  - Tender closed on 20 May 2021 and is currently under assessment with completion targeted by December 2021.
- Angurugu and Nhulunbuy Schools – Rooftop Solar program
  - Currently in planning phase – Energy and solar feasibility assessment and power factor correction investigation required. Completion targeted by June 2022.

**\$1.4 million to complete a new permanent police post including a multifunction area at Angurugu:**

- The project was completed in June 2021.

**\$0.2 million to upgrade Datjala work camp:**

To be delivered through 2021-22 Minor New Works Program:

- Installation of four new light poles and updating of lighting:
  - Estimated tender release in August 2021 with project completion estimated in November 2021.
- Installation of walk in freezer / cold room:
  - Currently in scoping phase with project completion estimated early 2022.
- Installation of roof structure extension between 2 sea containers:
  - Due for completion September 2021.

**2. Many of these items have been listed in the regional highlights for a number of years, please advise what is holding up infrastructure progress on these projects?**

**Galiwin'ku aerodrome Western Apron and Secure Compound:**

- A tender was awarded for the delivery of these works in 2021 on the Western Apron but was subsequently terminated by mutual agreement due to contractor capacity issues.
- The works will be re-scoped and retendered for delivery

**Barge landings at Gapuwiyak, Galiwin'ku and Ramingining:**

- DIPL is in negotiations with the Northern Land Council to establish standard leasing terms and conditions to apply to NT Government maintained barge landings within the Northern Land Council region.
- Project development works for the Gapuwiyak, Galiwin'ku and Ramingining projects to improve barge landing facilities have not been able to proceed to detailed design and tender until land owner consent could be sought as part of the formal application with the Northern Land Council for S19 rights at these barge landings.
- Design of the barge landing at Gapuwiyak is now being designed.