

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE NORTHERN TERRITORY

WRITTEN QUESTION

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

Mandorah Jetty and Sign

1. What is the current timeframe for developing the safety features for Mandorah Jetty?

In 2017, a structural assessment was undertaken on Mandorah Jetty and the recommended remedial works were completed in March 2018.

The Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics is progressing other maintenance tasks including:

- installation of two new solar lights; and
- concrete and steel cathodic protection upgrades.

In May 2017, the Department of Infrastructure, Planning and Logistics released a fact sheet which outlined various options considered to upgrade the existing facilities or build new facilities including a preferred option.

A consultancy study to confirm the cost estimate and solution details for the preferred option was awarded in 2017 and will be finalised in late 2018.

2. If you don't intend to fast track the safety measurements, why not?

All urgent safety measures were addressed in the recent works.

3. How much did the “Welcome to Mandorah Jetty” sign cost and who determined its necessity?

“Welcome to Mandorah Jetty” sign was installed on 16 April 2018.

Supply and installation cost was \$1,150.

The car park issues were brought to the attention of the Department by a member of the public.

The sign was part of addressing the car park issues. Other works undertaken included improving signage, developing a traffic circulation system, providing disable car parking bays closer to the Jetty, improving road safety around the zebra crossing at the eastern access, and reduction of speed. These works are now complete.