

Consultation

Planning together

Consultation is vital to the success of the South East Busway extension.

Experience with other projects shows that local knowledge is the key to getting the planning right. By planning with the community, we can design a busway that fits in with the community's needs.

Consultation so far

The first round of consultation occurred between August and September 2008 when we held displays and an information session to gather feedback about local issues. We have sought to engage communities along the Rochedale to Springwood corridor, inviting residents and business owners to participate in the project's development. We used this feedback to help produce the plans currently on display.

What the community has said

Based on feedback from the first round of consultation, the community generally:

- supports extending the South East Busway to Springwood
- recognises the need for the project
- wants safe pedestrian and cycle access to Springwood busway station
- wants noise and visual issues to be thoroughly examined and managed
- wants more parking at busway stations.



Information session at Springwood Bowls Club in August 2008.

Consulting with impacted property owners

Owners of properties that are directly impacted by busway planning are the department's main concern. We will continue to meet and talk with all potentially directly impacted owners over the next couple of months. These discussions will help us gather local information to refine the design.

In some cases, there are opportunities to refine the design to fit in with a property owner's plans and aspirations. Busway alignments can be adjusted and different construction techniques can have different impacts. We discuss these opportunities one-on-one with potentially affected property owners and try to reach solutions that are acceptable to all parties.

Tell us what you think

Consultation is underway. We want to make sure the project continues to be guided by local knowledge. Comments and ideas from the local community, together with the result of ongoing technical studies, will be used to refine the draft plans over the next few months so they can be completed by late 2009. They will then be submitted to the Queensland Government to consider.

Displays

Project displays will be available at libraries, the Logan City Council Administration Centre and State Government electorate offices from Monday 1 June to Friday 3 July 2009. Staff will be available at the times listed below to answer questions.

Contact us

Phone:	1800 794 288* (freecall)
Email:	sebusway@transport.qld.gov.au
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Interpreter:	13 14 50 <i>(for people of non-English speaking backgrounds)</i>
TTY:	13 36 77 (quote 1800 794 288)

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We want your feedback

The draft Concept Design Study presents the findings of preliminary investigations into a broad range of environmental, social, engineering and economic issues. It also identifies potential benefits and impacts to ensure they are able to be managed appropriately in the future. This 'In Brief' is an easy-to-understand summary of the draft Concept Design Study.

Please come along to one of the staffed displays and provide us with your feedback.

Feedback is invited until Friday 3 July 2009.

Date	Time	Venue
Thursday 4 June 2009	2pm – 4pm	Logan North Library Corner Sports Drive and Springwood Road, Underwood
Tuesday 9 June 2009	10am – 12pm	
Thursday 18 June 2009	5pm – 7pm	
Tuesday 23 June 2009	2pm – 4pm	Centro Springwood Corner Rochedale Road and Fitzgerald Avenue, Springwood
Saturday 27 June 2009	10am – 12pm	