COMMUTER CAR PARKING IN NEW SOUTH WALES

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COMMUTER PARKING IN NORTH-WEST SYDNEY

Thank you for the opportunity to address the serious concerns of residents in my electorate regarding commuter parking.

Commuter parking is a major issue in Sydney’s North-West, particularly at the Schofields and Quakers Hill train stations. There is a chronic lack of commuter parking at these stations, causing daily frustration for residents.

Commuter car parking is one of the single biggest issues for my constituents and I have seen firsthand how quick the station carparks fill up in the morning. These stations service a large and increasingly growing population, including the suburbs of Acacia Gardens, Kellyville Ridge, Quakers Hill, Schofields, Stanhope Gardens and The Ponds.

Schofields Station services a rapidly expanding population in the middle of the North West Growth Area, including the new housing developments in The Ponds and Schofields itself. Increasingly, commuters from new housing areas in Riverstone are also using Schofields Station.

Quakers Hill Station is seeing increasing patronage every year and yet there is still a clear lack of parking, particularly on the north side of the station.

I am encouraged by the fact the NSW Government has initiated this inquiry and I hope the concerns of residents across Greenway are acted upon expeditiously. There is also the responsibility to provide public transport options for commuters that are accessible.

With arterial roads and motorways getting busier each year it is of great importance that residents who are able to commute using public transport are not deterred by the inability to find parking.

Please don’t hesitate to contact me if you require any further information.

Kind regards

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COMMENTS

Parking is crazy around the station. You think they would of put a multi storey car park at the station knowing that there was 1000 other new homes being built in the area.

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COMMENTS

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COMMENTS

More parking needed - badly!!

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