

The CHAIR: What is the construction period?

Mr STAPLES: I will have to take that on notice. I do not have the exact detail.

Response:

The construction period will be approximately 2 years. Key milestones are:

- Award construction contract – May 2018
- Start construction work – August/September 2018
- Open to traffic – Late 2020
- Project complete – Late 2021.

*The above dates include allowance for wet weather.

*Project completion includes utility relocation from the old bridge, demolition of the existing bridge, urban design and landscaping.