



Minister for Transport; Planning; Ports

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Our ref: 72-42995/4

Hon Peter Foster MLC
Chair
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Dear Mr Foster

LITTER ARRANGEMENTS FOR WALPOLE WILDERNESS

I refer to your further correspondence dated 19 May 2023, regarding litter arrangements for the Walpole Wilderness.

Main Roads is continuously working to improve the condition and appearance of Western Australia's road network within its available budget. Funding for litter management is considered together with other road maintenance activities.

I can advise the change to in-house maintenance delivery will not result in a significant change to the current approach taken for the management of litter. There may be efficiencies and savings as a result of in-house delivery that may enable additional allocation of budget to litter collection in the future.

Main Roads will continue working with the Keep Australia Beautiful Council (KABC) in a bid to reduce litter on the road network.

Yours sincerely

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MINISTER FOR TRANSPORT

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