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RESPONSE:

What is your view regarding the current active transport infrastructure in your electorate?

My electorate encompasses many natural areas where trails for walking, hiking, cycling or horse-riding have been created. This is greatly beneficial for both locals wanting to explore and ecotourism.

What actions will you take to improve active transport in your electorate?

I intend to prioritise walkability, active transport and public transport - each of which I feel are interconnected with one another. Active transport is able to be improved through practical infrastructure that promotes walkability, active transport and public transport for every-day activities that driving would otherwise be relied upon for.

Active transport spending at the state level is less than 2 per cent. In your view, what is a 'fair spend' for active transport?

Given the urgent need to decarbonise transport systems, at least 5 per cent of the state transport budget should be committed to active transport projects.