Déjà vu on Tiger Brennan Timelines

The Minister for Transport, Delia Lawrie, today revealed there are still no timelines for the fulfilment of the Rudd/Lawrie election promise to spend $110 million on Tiger Brennan Drive.

Yesterday in Parliament Minister Lawrie gave a vague commitment to have the project completed in ‘a few dry seasons’.

“Today in Parliament I asked the Transport Minister to provide an exact date for completion of the Rudd/Lawrie election promise to fix Tiger Brennan Drive,” says Shadow Transport Minister, Fay Miller.

“It turns out that there are no timelines and the Transport Minister admitted that she hasn’t even spoken to the Federal Government about when the funding will be available.

“This inability to provide concrete dates has an all too familiar ring to it.

“Territory Labor first announced this project in 2003 but still commuters from Palmerston and the rural area sit in ever lengthening traffic queues.

“People are completely fed up with the procrastination that has been the hallmark of this long promised road.

“In 2003 the project was budgeted by the Territory Government to cost just $27.3.

“Today we have a figure of $110 million and still no timeline.

“So the question remains, when will the promise be kept?”

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