Attention: Director Infrastructure Projects.

application no. SSI-4963

I wish to submit a submission regarding the upgrading of the Pacific Highway on the Wardell to Ballina section. Specifically the exit and entrance to the Bruxner Highway from the northern section of Pimlico Rd.

This is used on a daily basis by people who work in Alstonville or Lismore and also students attending school in these towns, also for Medical appointments and shopping. It is an extra 6 km to travel each way which is of much concern specifically for pensioners, but of even graver concern is the added time for a medical emergency.

For my family alone I had several emergency trips to Lismore Base Hospital for my elderly mother , also my son with snake bite and also a fractured leg, a dog with snake bite and for myself

When I rang to discuss my concerns with your department I was told that it was because of the number of severe accidents that had occurred at the intersection of Pimlico Rd and also the Bruxner Hwy with the Pacific Highway, I have lived here for over 20 years and there have been only one or two that my neighbours or I can remember.

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