

Merlynston Creek Crossing

The Opportunity: Co-fund the construction of the Merlynston Creek Crossing to open land in eastern Broadmeadows for affordable housing and local job creation.

Federal Electorate: Calwell
State Electorate: Broadmeadows

The Merlynston Creek Crossing is a critical infrastructure project to unlock land in the vicinity of the Broadmeadows Town Centre, just ten minutes from the train station, for affordable housing and jobs.

Currently, significant road congestion impedes the development of underutilised land in this strategically important area, stifling local job creation and economic growth. Utilising surplus Federal Government land from the Maygar Barracks, the crossing will alleviate traffic and build on the link to industry and jobs in the Broadmeadows area.

Project outcome: Delivery of Merlynston Creek Crossing, addressing a critical infrastructure need and stimulating local job opportunities and economic activity.

Ask: \$5 million

Other contributors: Hume City Council is proposing each level of government – Federal, State and Local – contribute \$5 million to a collective value of \$15 million to deliver this project.

Lead organisation: Hume City Council

