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Guy Barnett, Liberal Member for Lyons

CIF – East Derwent Highway Walkways

The Hodgman Liberal Government is investing in the future of our regional communities by providing funding through the Community Infrastructure Funding (CIF) program for councils and community groups to upgrade or construct important community infrastructure.

Today I met with Acting Mayor Barbara Curran of the Brighton Council to relay that the Council was successful in its application for funding through the CIF.

It is with great pleasure that the Hodgman Liberal Government is able to provide the council with \$261,750 through the CIF to support the 'East Derwent Highway Walkways' project.

This adds to funding provided by Centacare, a partner for this project.

The project will connect the suburbs of Gagebrook and Herdsmans Cove via a pathway, creating a comprehensive network connecting these areas with schools and service centres in Bridgewater.

The pathways will be fully landscaped, and will include shelters and lighting, which will make the pathways a pleasant place for people to take a walk and to stay active and keep healthy.

Overall the CIF is providing around \$4 million to over 120 projects across the State, providing much needed and welcome funds to many small and important infrastructure projects.

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