# \$1 BILLION TO BUILD **BETTER ROADS AND** RAIL LINKS IN THE **BUSH**

Futting regional people first

## We're delivering the roads and rail connections our regions deserve

Over the past four years, we've invested more than \$1 billion to fix local roads and replace timber bridges in the bush but there's more to do.

That's why a re-elected Liberal and Nationals Government will keep investing to:

### BUILD BACK BETTER

We want our communities to be able to build back better after fires and floods.

Investing in stronger, more resilient road and transport infrastructure network now will pay off for generations to come – and mean that when disasters strike, communities and supply chains stay connected.

#### **FAST-TRACK FREIGHT**

Moving freight faster and more efficiently reduces the cost of getting goods to market - and that means more dollars in producers'

pockets and more competitive prices at the cash register.

That's why we'll invest in tackling freight pinch points, better connecting key freight hubs and improving the capacity of our road and rail network.

#### FIX LOCAL ROADS

We've helped councils repair thousands of kilometres of local roads that regional communities use to get to work, school and home again.

A further \$400 million investment in Fixing Local Roads will help bring the roads you use every day up to scratch.

# The Nationals in Government will...

Invest a further \$1 billion to upgrade the roads our communities use every day, fast-track freight and rebuild transport infrastructure after disaster

- \$400 million to help regional councils fix the local roads you use every day
- \$300 million to tackle freight pinch points on the road and rail network and help get goods to market faster
- \$300 million to invest in stronger, more resilient roads and transport infrastructure



