



Mildura Rural City Council

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COR 2022 000903 INVESTIGATION INTO THE DEATH OF NORAI SHAH ISMAIL

Thank you for providing Coroner Fitzgerald's Finding into death without inquest into the death of Noraishah Ismail and allowing Mildura Rural City Council an opportunity to respond to the findings and subsequent recommendation.

It is understood that the recommendation in the report contains one recommendation, that:

MRCC reduce the speed limit at the intersection of Paschendale Avenue and Fifth Street, having regard to the concern raised by Victoria Police that the speed limit is inappropriate.

An alternative to the Coroners recommendation will be implemented which is contingent on a successful grant funding application. Council considers the suggested alternative to be a more extensive and effective treatment to reduce further accidents at this location.

Council has submitted an application to the Federal Blackspot Funding Program 2025-26 on 26 September 2024. This application, if successful, will result in a full intersection upgrade and will include Vehicle Activated Warning System (Stop Signs Ahead), new warning signs, concrete median splitter islands, kerb returns, intersection lighting, skid resistance treatments and pavement reconstruction and widening.

If the Blackspot Funding application is unsuccessful Council will consider speed reduction in the surrounding road network in conjunction with and approval from the Department of Transport and Planning.

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Yours sincerely



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