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Hon David Speirs MP  
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Dear Mr Speirs

**APPLICATION UNDER THE *FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 1991***

I refer to your application made under the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (the Act), dated 10 October 2023.

Your application seeks access to:

*“Documents including correspondence, emails, briefings and memoranda regarding Brian Virgo, from 1/07/2022 to 10/10/2023.”*

An extensive search was conducted within this office. One document was identified as answering the terms of your application which is released in full.

No fees and charges are payable for this application.

If you are unhappy with this determination you are entitled to apply for an internal review, in accordance with section 29 of the FOI Act. To make an internal review application, please either write a letter or complete *Application for Review of Determination* form, to the Principal Officer of this agency, the Hon Tom Koutsantonis MP, within 30 (calendar) days after you receive this letter.

If you require any further information, please contact Vicky Cathro on (08) 7133 1100.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Carly McNeill'.

**Carly McNeill**  
Accredited FOI Officer

9 / 11 / 2023

**Tom Koutsantonis MP**  
Minister for Transport and Infrastructure

Monday 24 July 2023

## **Adelaide Metro services expand to new Riverlea Park residential development**

Adelaide Metro is expanding its bus services to the new Riverlea Park residential estate from this week following a public transport plan being agreed and funded by the Developer with the State Government.

The Government and Walker Corporation have agreed on a 10-year public transport plan with the first bus services to the estate, 35km north of Adelaide, beginning on 24 July 2023.

More than 30,000 people are expected to call the \$3 billion Riverlea Park estate home over the next 25 years. The first residents moved into their new homes in October last year.

Under the agreement, Walker Corporation will invest \$3 million to extend two Adelaide Metro bus routes to Riverlea Park.

From this month, the existing Route 900 between Salisbury and Virginia will be renumbered Route 402 and extended to Riverlea Park. This route will increase from two to three services in each of the AM and PM peaks on weekdays only.

The Elizabeth to Virginia portion of Route 900 will be renumbered Route 450 and will also be extended to Riverlea Park.

Services will be hourly between 6:30am to 3:30pm to Elizabeth and hourly from 10am to 7:30pm to Riverlea Park on weekdays only, increasing from the current two services during peak periods.

Both new routes will be linked with the interchanges at Salisbury and Elizabeth, and train services on the Gawler Line to make it easier for residents to commute to work and school.

Adelaide Metro will monitor service levels at Riverlea Park as the number of residents continues to increase.