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The Hon Darren Chester MP
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Dear Minister

Gulf Savannah Development would like to offer its endorsement of the IQ-RAP program. This initiative is vital for the roads of inland Queensland as it drives productivity and better safety outcomes. It is a long term project targeting the inland road network of Queensland – which takes in 82% of the State.

The IQ-RAP project has widespread support across local governments, economic development groups such as Gulf Savannah Development and other industry groups as its goal is to drive economic development across regional Queensland.

The program has been very successful so far improving supply chains, enhancing the competitiveness of producers and mining enterprises as it improves the resilience and connectiveness of the road network.

Gulf Savannah Development is aware of the community support for the IQ-RAP because of its focus on strategic long term collaborative planning and funding for the inland roads of Queensland which directly support the growth of industry in our region.

We strongly endorse this program, a robust network of inland roads is necessary for the future sustainability of our region

Should you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me

Yours faithfully

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