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Councillor Nicole Johnston  
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Dear Councillor Johnston

## **Re: Oxley Creek bikeway stage 2 – Corinda to Brisbane Markets Project introduction**

Further to the meeting held with you on 10 December 2010, Council is pleased to advise that we are continuing with the planning of the new shared cycle and pedestrian pathway which connects Corinda with the Brisbane Markets via Oxley Creek Common. The project is part of Lord Mayor Graham Quirk's commitment to provide \$100 million in new bikeway infrastructure over four years.

As you would be aware, construction of the bikeway was originally expected to commence in 2011, however due to Council prioritising flood recovery work, the project was deferred and is now anticipated to begin in 2012.

The project team will now undertake the following activities to seek community feedback about the project in the coming weeks:

- distribute a project newsletter to households and businesses surrounding the project location
- offer meetings to key stakeholders such as environmental groups, Corinda Bowls Club and directly impacted residents
- put the project plan on display at local venues.

The community feedback period will be open until 30 November 2011.

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The Oxley Creek bikeway stage two will ultimately link Corinda Rail Station and Corinda High School and surrounding streets in Corinda to Sherwood Road businesses in Rocklea across Oxley Creek Common. The bikeway will provide access to key destinations within the local area, while also serving as an important missing link in the local Corinda and Sherwood bicycle network.

Key features of the project are proposed to include:

- constructing new shared pathway from Nosworthy Park to Brisbane Markets
- installing a new shared bridge across Oxley Creek from Nosworthy Park to Oxley Creek Common wetlands
- installing approximately 650 metres of shared pathway on Sherwood Road
- installing Bicycle Awareness Zones of the western side of the creek to connect the new pathway to Corinda Rail Station and Corinda High School

A copy of the proposed bikeway alignment is enclosed for your information. This plan has not altered since the previous briefing held with you.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Julian Simmonds', with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Councillor Julian SIMMONDS**  
Chairman for Public and Active Transport

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# OXLEY CREEK BIKEWAY

## Corinda



Symbol	Description
	STAGE 2A
	STAGE 2B
	PROPOSED BIKEWAY AWARENESS ZONE - STAGE 2B
	PROPOSED BRIDGE



For more information about this project, please call the Project Team on 3473 8885.