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### **RACT backs road safety funding**

The RACT has welcomed the Federal Government's \$34.3 million boost to road funding.

Executive General Manager, Membership and Community, Stacey Pennicott, said road maintenance was one of the top issues raised by members.

"A significant amount of this additional funding will improve road surfaces right around the State, which will improve road safety," Ms Pennicott said.

"The projects at Richmond and Sandfly have long been on our priority list as well, so it's good to see the State and Federal Governments listening to our members.

"If these projects commence quickly, not only will they improve road safety, they will deliver much needed economic stimulus right around the State. We would encourage the State Government to consider bringing forward additional road maintenance and road safety projects in the lead up to the State Budget in November."