

**TO THE HONOURABLE THE SPEAKER AND  
MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**This petition of residents of the Central Coast, the Hills and Northern Districts as well as surrounding suburbs, draws to the attention of the House that:**

- Being the missing link in the Sydney Orbital road network, Pennant Hills Road is totally inadequate to cope with its heavy traffic volumes and is life threatening;
- The Labor Federal Government in the 2009 and 2010 budgets committed a mere \$150 million for approval and planning to get started on connecting the F3 to the Sydney Orbital, with further funding to be determined once these processes were completed;
- This grant was initially subject to the NSW Government matching the funding with \$30 million, which never came;
- In the 2011 Budget the Labor Federal Government deferred its contribution to a feasibility study into the F3 to Sydney Orbital project until 2015-16 at best;
- There is very considerable public anger at this betrayal which will result in even preliminary design work not going ahead and that the Labor Federal Government has now effectively abandoned the project.

**We therefore ask the House to:**

Demand that the Labor Federal Government restore funding in this financial year for the F3 to Sydney Orbital design works to at least allow a start to be made on resolving the serious congestion problems on Pennant Hills Road.