

Batman Street – Potential Road and Drainage Upgrade Project

Community Consultation – Feedback Summary

Project Description

Batman Street was ranked as the highest priority under Council's Urban Road and Drainage Improvement Policy. Previous community surveys have identified several concerns, including excessive dust, flooding, high vehicle speeds, and pedestrian safety.

Council invited property owners to complete a survey to gauge initial support for a potential road and drainage upgrade. The feedback will help determine whether Council should proceed with developing the project further.

Method of Engagement

A letter and questionnaire were sent via registered post and email to the 40 property owners on Batman Street, inviting them to share their thoughts on a potential road and drainage improvement project. Property owners were asked to indicate whether improvements were needed on Batman Street and to state their overall support for the proposed special charge project.

Property owners were given 4 weeks to provide feedback (28 October 2025 – 26 November 2025).

Results

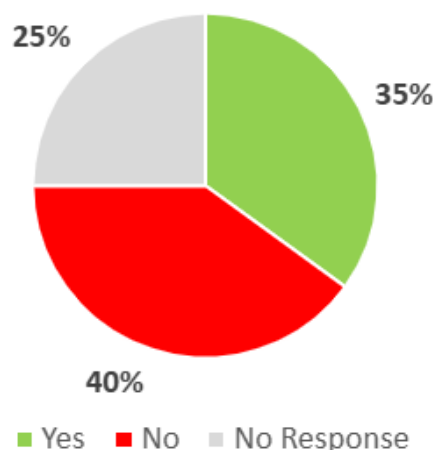
Property owners provided feedback by returning questionnaires via email, post or phone calls. In total, feedback was received from 32 property owners (80%) on Batman Street. Results are shown on graphs provided. Overall, 35% of property owners are supportive of a special charge scheme for road and drainage improvements for Batman Street.

Next steps

There is insufficient support from property owners to allow Council to proceed with a road and drainage upgrade project on Batman Street.

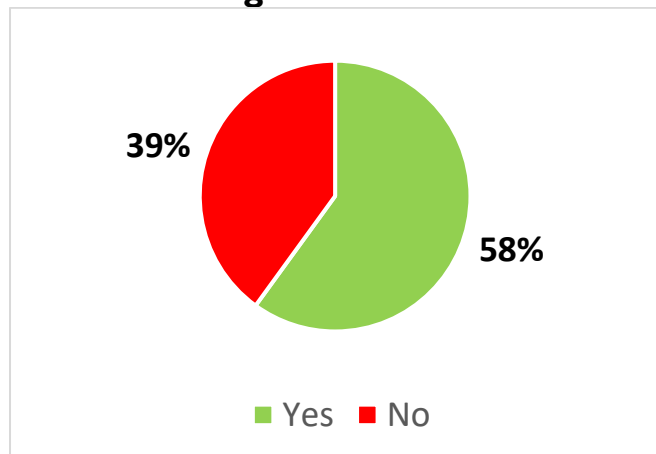
Property owners will need to present a petition with at least 50% support as per the Urban Roads and Drainage Policy 2024 for an upgrade to be reconsidered in future.

Knowing property owners would be required to financially contribute, would you support road and drainage improvements along Batman Street?

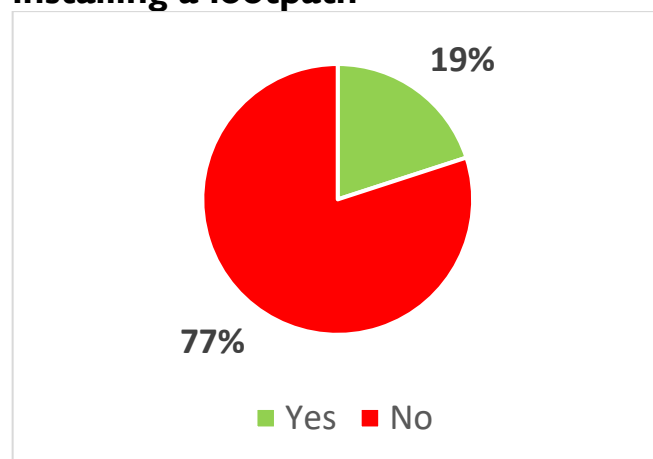


The following data reflects only the responses received. Non-responses are not represented.

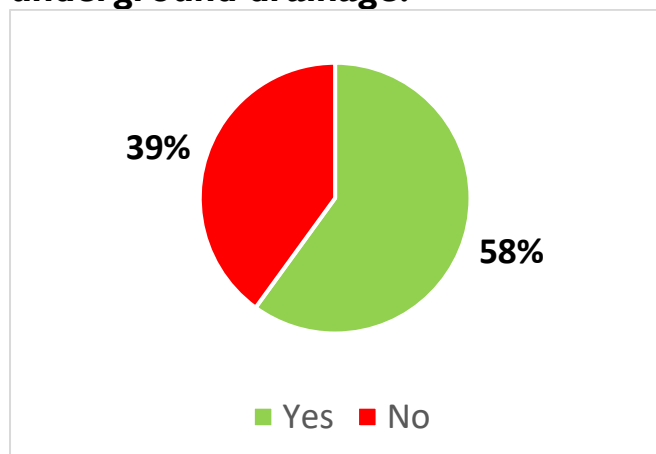
Do you think there is a need for road improvements on Batman Street, such as sealing the roads?



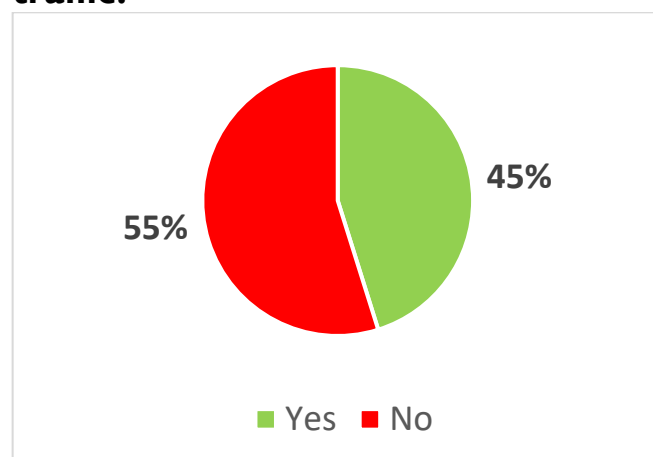
Do you think there is a need for improvement in pedestrian safety on Batman Street, such as installing a footpath



Do you think there is a need for drainage improvements on Batman Street, such as installing underground drainage?



Do you think there is a need for traffic safety improvements on Batman Street, such as installing zig zag chicanes or speed humps to slow traffic?



More Information

For more information, you can contact the Sustainable Transport and Movement Team on 1300 BCOAST (226 278) or 03 5671 2211. You can also email roadupgrades@basscoast.vic.gov.au.