Northern Suburbs Rapid Bus Proposal – Buses on Oldham Avenue

Ms JOHNSTON question to MINISTER for INFRASTRUCTURE and TRANSPORT

My question is from Michelle from New Town and she asks: Oldham Avenue in New Town is a narrow residential street where residents rely heavily on on-street parking. Under the Northern Suburbs Rapid Bus proposal, buses are scheduled to travel along Oldham Avenue every 10–15 minutes during peak times. Has the Department assessed whether Oldham Avenue is wide enough to safely carry two-way rapid bus traffic alongside parked cars, and will the project require removing on-street parking on Oldham Avenue to make room for the bus route?