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Joint Media Statement

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\$380,000 approved for the Officer Recreation Reserve Netball Pavilion

The Australian Government is delivering on its election commitment to fund infrastructure upgrades in La Trobe, today announcing the approval of the Officer Recreation Reserve Netball Pavilion.

Member for La Trobe Jason Wood was in Officer today to announce that the Australian Government had approved funding of \$380,000 to the Cardinia Shire Council for the \$873,000 construction of the project.

“This project will deliver a new pavilion for players, while the installation of modern amenities will benefit the broader public who use the playground, sports surfaces and the reserve’s wide open spaces each day,” Mr Wood said.

“I’m proud that this project will also have broader economic benefits for the local community, with 10 full-time jobs created during construction, and contractors encouraged to source labour and other resources from within the local community.”

“This is another example of the Australian Government delivering for La Trobe.”

The Assistant Minister for Infrastructure and Regional Development Jamie Briggs said the Australian Government is building better infrastructure for communities across Australia.

“We are getting on with the job of delivering \$313.9 million toward community projects across Australia.”

Construction on this project is expected to finish by the end of June 2015.

The Community Development Grants Programme is administered by the Department of Infrastructure and Regional Development.

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