

GERALDTON YOUTH IN MOTION BUS

66. Hon MATT BENSON-LIDHOLM to the minister representing the Minister for Police:

- (1) Given the success of the Geraldton youth in motion bus, is it the government's intention to continue funding this service?
- (2) If yes to (1), how much funding will the government provide and through what agency will it be provided?

Hon PETER COLLIER replied:

I thank the honourable member for some notice of the question.

- (1)–(2) In May 2006 the Office of Crime Prevention's community safety and crime prevention grants program provided funding to the City of Geraldton-Greenough. The grant, valued at \$42 000, was to provide programs and activities in the youth bus. This project was evaluated and acquitted in February 2009. The Office of Crime Prevention is not aware of any further funding applications for this project.