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# Telstra Hill Community Engagement Report



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## 1. Overview

The Telstra Hill Engagement Survey was available to community from 5 December 2024 to mid-January 2025. The team put up signs on Telstra Hill at the bottom, middle, and top of the hill.



In addition to the signs on site, the survey was posted to Council's Facebook page and website for additional community engagement and consultation.



## 2. Survey Results

The Telstra Hill Engagement Survey consisted of 14 questions related to Telstra Hill, community use, and community opinions of potential future works for Telstra Hill. The survey had a total of 181 responses with 12 being omitted due to not gaining consent or not having constructive feedback.

Of the valid 169 responses, 66% have visited Telstra Hill since the November 2024 works were completed.

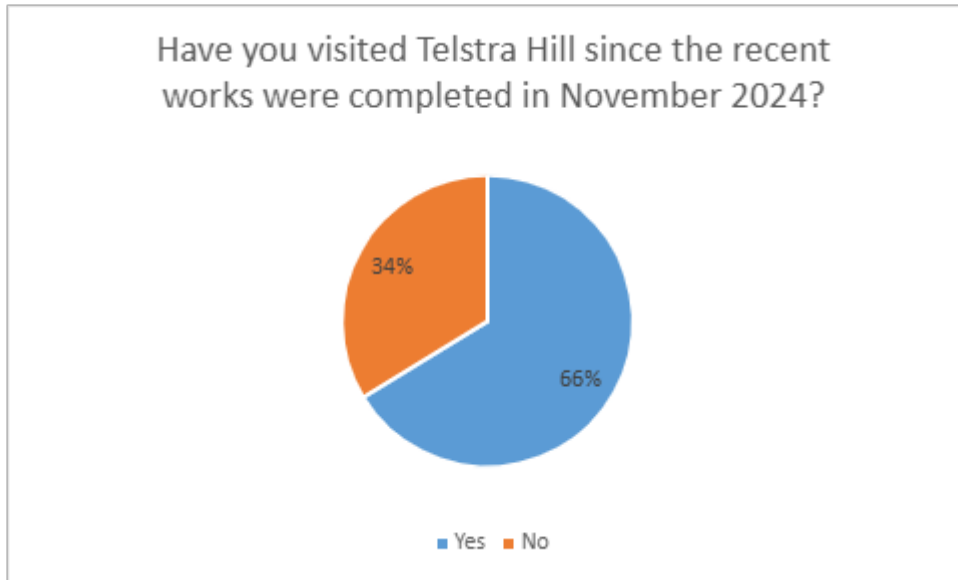


Figure 1: Visiting since recent works were completed

Table 1: Visiting since recent works were completed

Have you visited Telstra Hill since the recent works were completed in November 2024?	# of respondents
Yes	112
No	57

Over half of the community responses (60%) tend to spend 30 minutes to 1 hour at Telstra Hill with 34% spending over 1 hour.

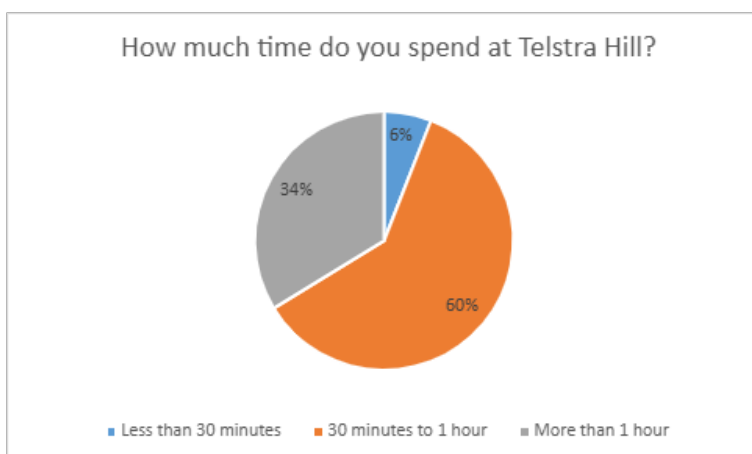


Figure 2: Time spent at Telstra Hill

Table 2: Time spent at Telstra Hill

How much time do you spend at Telstra Hill?	# of respondents
30 minutes to 1 hour	102
More than 1 hour	57
Less than 30 minutes	10

One third of community members tend visit Telstra Hill weekly (35%) while others visit monthly (21%) or seasonally (26%).

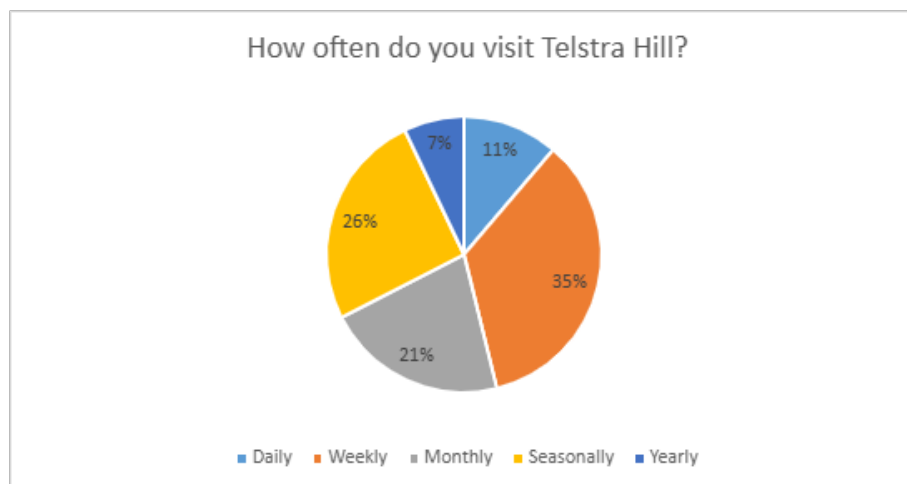


Figure 3: Telstra Hill Visit Frequency

Table 3: Telstra Hill Visit Frequency

How often do you visit Telstra Hill?	# of respondents
Weekly	59
Seasonally	43
Monthly	36
Daily	19
Yearly	12

Community members were asked their reasons for going to Telstra Hill with responses indicating walking (125), enjoying nature (74), relaxing (72) and getting out of the city (56) being the primary reasons people visit. Walking pets, visiting with friends and family and running were also popular. Community members had the ability to indicate other reasons for visiting Telstra Hill with two indicating they go for photography, one goes for the scenery, and one for improving their mental health.

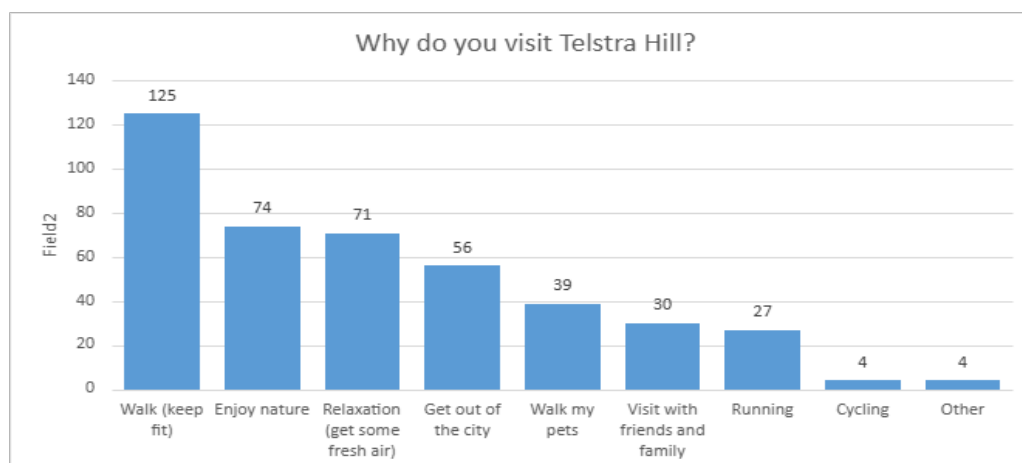


Figure 4: Reasons to visit Telstra Hill

Table 4: Reasons to visit Telstra Hill

Why do you visit Telstra Hill?	# of respondents
Walk (keep fit)	125
Enjoy nature	74
Relaxation (get some fresh air)	71
Get out of the city	56
Walk my pets	39
Visit with friends and family	30
Running	27
Cycling	4
Other	4

Community members were asked their thoughts on the recent upgrades, with a majority pleased with the carpark creation. The community felt the construction of the carpark is safer for community and allows for better access to the site.

*“Car park is good, and grading has made it safer for training”*  
*“It is awesome! Don’t have to stress about what part of the fallen away road I need to drive on and if my tyre is going to pop anymore!”*  
*“Easy to turn off the main highway. Good parking. Feel safer.”*  
*“Roadway is safer to walk up and bring my children with me safely.”*

Table 5: Recent Upgrade Likes

What do you like about the recent upgrades?	# of Respondents
Car Park	63
Access	25
Roadway	19
Overall Positive	19
Safety	17

Community members were asked to rate how important different aspects of potential works are to them on a scale of least important to most important (1-10). Overwhelmingly, respondents highly rated walking trails and road infrastructure to the top of the hill. Interpretive signage and artwork were seen as least important.

Table 6: Potential Works Importance

How important is...	Average
Walking trails	8.3
Road infrastructure	8
Lighting	6.3
Street signage	5.6
Interpretive signage	3.5
Artwork	2.3

Community members were asked what they would like to see at Telstra Hill in future stages of works. Respondents had a wide variety of ideas and thoughts which can be seen in some selected quotes below. Overwhelmingly, respondents want to see a smoothed road surface that allows for easy access and increased safety, structures like shade cover, benches, tables, and BBQs, and the creation of new walking paths along the main road in addition to more goat tracks or even a staircase.

Respondents highlighted the importance of safety on the roadway including the installation of lights and included the interest in having water stations for humans and dogs along the hill.

*“Road upgrade all the way to top. Footpath for walkers to safely walk along the road. Hiking trails would be AWESOME.”*

“Solar lights along walkway to the top. Benches along the walk to the top. Two or more picnic bench/tables at the top.”

“Bin at the top, bin at the bottom. Seat with shade at the bottom and one at the top. Really want to congratulate the Mayor and her team, doing a fantastic job!”

“Leave it as rustic as you can. We don't need more asphalt, signs, lights and manmade stuff. The whole point is that it is a nice escape. If I want bins, fences, handrails, lights, asphalt and other human construction then there are plenty of parks and roads in town.”

“Please (and I can't stress this enough) leave the rest alone. Locals love it purely because of the natural beauty of it. No car parks up the top or car access!!”

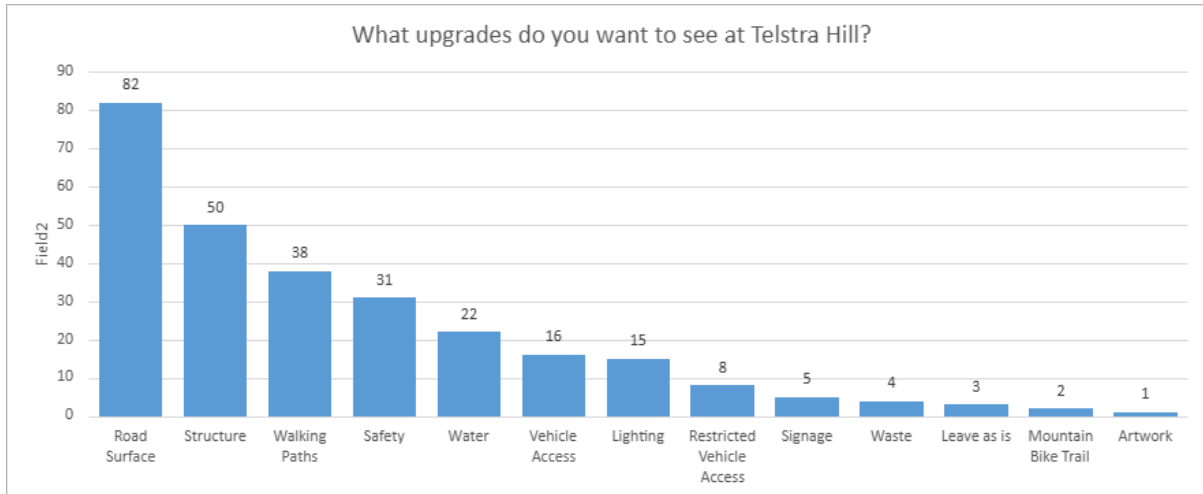


Figure 5: Future Upgrade Ideas

Table 7: Future Upgrade Ideas

What upgrades do you want to see at Telstra Hill?	# of Respondents
Road Surface	82
Structure	50
Walking Paths	38
Safety	31
Water	22
Vehicle Access	16
Lighting	15
Restricted Vehicle Access	8
Signage	5
Waste	4
Leave as is	3
Mountain Bike Trail	2
Artwork	1

### **3. Recommendation and Conclusion**

This report and data will help Council understand community wants and determine the next phase of works for the Telstra Hill easement. Community overwhelmingly enjoys the ability to walk, enjoy nature and get out of the city at Telstra Hill.

Community has a desire for better road surfacing along the pathway up Telstra Hill in addition to some potential structures such as benches, shade covering, and water access for humans and dogs. There is also a desire for different walking paths and goat trails that lead to the top of Telstra Hill.



## Appendix A

### Privacy and Consent

Your response is completely anonymous and participation is voluntary. You can read about Council's commitment to your privacy in the Information Privacy Policy found on our website.

1. By clicking 'Yes', you are agreeing to participating in this survey. \*

Yes

No

### Current State

2. Have you visited Telstra Hill since the recent works were completed in November 2024? \*

Yes

No

3. How often do you visit Telstra Hill? \*

Daily

Weekly

Monthly

Seasonally

Yearly

Never

4. How much time do you spend at Telstra Hill? \*

Less than 30 minutes

30 minutes to 1 hour

More than 1 hour

5. Why do you visit Telstra Hill? \*

- Relaxation (get some fresh air)
- Walk (keep fit)
- Walk my pets
- Visit with friends and family
- Running
- Cycling
- Enjoy nature
- Get out of the city
- Other

6. What do you like about the recent upgrades? (e.g., roadway and carpark) \*

Enter your answer

### Future Ideas

Please indicate how important the following upgrades are to you.

7. How important is lighting? (e.g., along the walkway, at the top, in the carpark) \*

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Not important at all Extremely important

8. How important is street furniture? (e.g., benches, bins) \*

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Not important at all Extremely important

9. How important is artwork? \*

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Not important at all Extremely important

10. How important is interpretive signage? \*

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Not important at all

Extremely important

11. How important are walking trails? \*

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Not important at all

Extremely important

12. How important is road infrastructure? (to the top of Telstra Hill) \*

0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Not important at all

Extremely important

13. What upgrades do you want to see at Telstra Hill? \*

Enter your answer

### Future Engagement

This information will help inform Council of what community wants at Telstra Hill. This information will help guide Council in planning the next phase of upgrades.

14. Would you like to be informed of the next steps for this project? \*

Yes

No

15. Please enter your email address if you would like to stay updated about this work. *Note: This information will not be used to identify the response you have provided and will only be used for future contact regarding this project.* \*

Enter your answer

## Appendix B: List of quantitative responses to “What do you like about the recent upgrades?”

A great start

a lot safer!

A more organised place for parking.

A very good idea. Lets make it the Lookout for the Isa. But not over-the-top. Drive or walk to top. Car park on top. Plenty of room. If water there why not a cafe for a tea and cake?? Maybe even a coin operated telescope. Also compass plaque for directions. Why didn't we think of this before?

Access

Accessibility

All good easy access

All looks great

Allocated car spaces if it is busy.

any improvement is good

better for smaller cars

Better road

Better road all the way to the top .

Car park

Car park

Car park and road to car park is enough. Think about maintaining the other parks and walkway. The Tarapatha walkway is in horrible condition the same will be with this one if you are not maintaining them.

Car park and roadway

Car park and roadway (smoother entrance)

Car park but over the top unless there are plans for your buses etc

Car park great. Love it. The road going up the hill needs to done bit of a hazard when walking up and down the hill, the to loose rocks..

Car park is good and grading has made it safer for training

Car park is good. Lighting might be a good idea for that area too

Car park is great

Car park nice

Car park, better road

Car parks

Carpark

Carpark

Carpark

Carpark and entry is much better

carpark and less dirt

Carpark is good

Carpark is good.

carpark is great. Would be great to have water at the bottom for pooches.

Carpark is very nice

Carpark was unnecessary. Upgrading the road was necessary.

Carpark, roadwork

Carpark. / car is safe

carpat

Cleaner, better for vehicles. No longer need a 4x4 just to park up.

Clear entry and parking

Clear parking positions and not washed out driving

Could have been bigger

Definitely a MUCH needed upgrade and I am glad more money is being put towards it

Didn't really need a car park but it's fine

Don't know as above I put I haven't been out there since the latest upgrade 😞

Don't like that access is blocked

Don't care about the car park at all. It's the road that should have been the priority

Eases visits

Easier drive

Easier on the car

Easier to get to  
 Easy access  
 Easy access, much better road  
 Easy and clear to park  
 Easy parking  
 Easy parking even after bad weather  
 Easy to turn off the main highway.. good parking.. feel safer  
 Enables access for 2WD vehicles which was previously very limited.  
 Excellent car park  
 Get a local to design properly or someone who can design the road to cope with the 100mm of rain in a 48 hour period that comes down out here  
 Good  
 good car park - the road though is horrible.  
 Good parking and no more roughness on the cars.  
 Good size  
 Good sized car park  
 Great  
 Great roomy carpark  
 Great start  
 Great to drive on  
 Have not seen them.  
 Haven't been since the upgrades  
 Haven't seen it yet  
 Haven't been yet  
 I have a low rise car. Before it was super dicey getting in and out.  
 I like that it feels like an official walking trail having a car park.  
 I like that the main entry is more accessible for all cars, though no more 'intervention' there is needed.  
 I like to drive up  
 I think it's fair, though the bitumen is melting on hot days  
 I think the boom gate is perfect but the first section of the track should have been completed first as it is dangerous  
 Improved road  
 Improvement  
 It is awesome! Don't have to stress about what part of the fallen away road I need to drive on and if my tyre is going to pop anymore!  
 It is just as more usable and accessible.  
 It is not so derelict  
 It is very good  
 It needs finishing then it will be wonderful, haven't been only passed it  
 It would be nice for some shade structures! And a picnic place at the top  
 It's a new car park?  
 It's beautiful scenery  
 It's great not to put the car in 4x4 just to get in. Plenty of space for parking & traffic  
 It's great to have a proper place to park your car  
 Knowing money is going back into the community  
 Less dust in carpark area, putting cars in to a neat arrangement probably helps people's OCD  
 Looks ok  
 Love the car park  
 Make the area more accessible.  
 Modernised carpark  
 More carpark space is great - smooth road.  
 More parking available  
 More room to park  
 More space to park, easier access  
 Much better  
 Needs to have relective mirrors on the corner, blind spots up the hill for seeing coming vehicles and pedestrians can move accordingly..  
 New upgrades are excellent.  
 Nice road and car park! No more pot holes

Nil  
No holes in road  
No holes  
Love to see water fountain up there  
No more huge pot holes  
No pot holes  
No pot holes and designated parking  
Not much  
Not much. It's not a priority  
Not seen  
not sure  
Nothing yet  
Nothing. It's a carpark. The roadway was pointless.  
Park spot  
poorly done  
probably wasn't necessary  
there was fine parking before and it looks too built up now  
Recent upgrades being the car park?  
Road and carpark is much easier for access/walking.  
Road is better  
Road is in need of updating  
Road up the needs work done badly  
Roads are a lot better  
Roadway  
Roadway and carpark  
Roadway and carpark  
Roadway and parking upgrade  
Roadway entrance and carpark look great but I don't use them - I want to drive to the top for best photographic positions and also to look at scenery, have a picnic  
Roadway is better and carpark  
Roadway is safer to walk up and bring my children with me safely  
Room to park that's not on the dirt  
Safer to access the hill and park  
Sealed road and carpark  
Smooth road and signed/marked carparking  
Smooth, safe and fit for purpose.  
The car park and roadway hasn't improved my experience / visits to Telstra in any way  
The car park is a great addition as it was quite rugged before that.  
The car park is ok but I don't know if it's value for money. A lot of time to create a car park and lay 150 metre of bitumen!  
I would not use the car park as I go to the top of the hill to set up my telescope to view the starts, planets, etc.  
I would like to see two viewing platforms erected one on the east side and one on the west.  
Something like a raised deck with handrail around the perimeter and some seating towards the Center with adequate space to set up tripods, telescopes, etc. when celestial events happen there could be up to 50 people vying for a position.  
Regards  
The carpark is great but it should be made one direction i.e. drive up veer left, drive anti clock wise out. Having two ways is very tight when two vehicles are using the carpark turn  
The most dangerous parts are on the road up the hill, the money should have been spent there first. A carpark isn't required  
The new parking  
The road being upgraded was great. But it didn't bother me parking on dirt.  
The road needed to be fixed so bad. Glad that's done now  
The smoother road makes driving and walking much better / easier  
The surface is much better for driving on, more space for parking.  
The upgrades were an big improvement before the base gave way after recent rain at the cattle grid.  
They look great  
They make the visit more enjoyable.

Undure

Unknown - still to visit

Very nicely done

Well designed and no more strain on vehicles

While recent car park upgrades were a step in the right direction, unfortunately the road up the hill remains hazardous. I can see the logic in starting from the car park and working up the hill in stages. There could have been some thought to make the road accessible.

I strongly suggest improving the road, it is very unsafe. I would not bring my kids up the track because of the risk.

Looking forward and hoping there is an endless pit of funding 🙏 Adding amenities at the top and bottom such as shade structures, a BBQ area, drink stations and seating, to make it a welcoming place for families and tourists.

Whilst its a great asset, I think the cart has been put before the horse, in that its now easier to get to the site, but the access road/track is in the worst condition it has ever been, and that maybe should have been sorted first, as parking for the majority of users was not a real issue.

## Appendix C: List of quantitative responses to “What upgrades do you want to see at Telstra Hill?”

1. Road surface upgrade up to top of hill and around to doppler radar
  2. Some decent solar-battery or similar lighting - frequently see snakes on/crossing the path before sunrise. This could be motion activated so as to not disturb people going up there for star-gazing etc..
  3. Snake-bite kits in strategic locations (with tamper tags etc..)
  4. If possible, potable water source at the top of the hill for people/pets
  5. It would be nice to put a solid roller on the carpark at the base to smooth out the tar + throw rocks at it surface
- A clear path  
A decent road  
A decent road and that's it.  
A drivable road.  
Different walking paths  
Seating  
A good flat surface to run or walk or bike on and maybe a bit of shade and a few benches  
A good road to the top.  
Good advertising for our Tourists  
A good road with proper drainage to lessen the risk of tripping and slipping while walking or running  
A path from town to Telstra hill and a walk way to the top  
A picnic spot at the top perhaps  
A place to refresh water bottles and water for dogs like they have every where else  
A road you can push a pram up. I used to walk weekly but had to stop after having a baby due to the road being terrible.  
A safe place to sit, walk and enjoy the outdoors  
A safe smooth walking track. It doesn't have to be the road, could be a track beside the road. Would be good to have some dirt goat tracks around different sides and a good cement walking track  
A safe walking track up to the top, without pot holes or trip hazards.  
A sealed roadway with some rest benches on the way.  
Access for vehicles ti be able to drive to the top  
All of the above. It needs to be safe for everyone  
Allow vehicle access for people with medical conditions and disabilities.  
Anything that eases accessibility  
Appropriate road infrastructure/ walking trails to the top of the hill  
As above  
At the end of the day. To find the whole road from the bottom to the top Is going to cost a fortune. O mean if the carpark cost over \$300,000. I would hate to see the cost to fix the rd to the top. At this point I would be happy if u can could fix the washouts. So when it rained it didn't go over the rd. The start of telstra hill is challenging at the moment when u go up there early. And maybe fill in some of the big holes.  
Being able to both drive or walk to the top will open this area to all abilities and ages to enjoy.  
benched and lighting! as well as fixing the road up on the hill, as i have seen many people slip on lose gravel especially coming down  
Benches and bins would be helpful  
Better conditions at the start of the hill  
Better drainage on the access road to minimise erosion.  
Additionally, if any lighting is to be installed, please ensure it is designed and installed to ensure there is no electromagnetic interference to the many, many radio systems on the site belonging to Glencore, Telstra, Bureau of Meteorology, Mount Isa and District Amateur Radio Group Incorporated and others.  
Better lighting and better road to walk up. It's slippery at the bottom with the loose rocks and dangerous  
Better road all the way up to the top  
Better road to the top with areas on the way up  
For walkers to stop at if required  
Better road.  
A walking track.  
Lights  
Better roads to the top of Telstra hill  
Better roads, seating at the top to sit and relax after your walk, maybe a sign to take photos with (shows people where you went and it can be fun moment to capture). A lookout spot where the view is the most breathtaking!  
better walking paths so people don't get injured from the crappy road  
Better walking track. Safer walking surface on the way up. Benches to sit and enjoy the view.  
Bike racks to lock up bikes.  
Bins for rubbish at top  
Bitumen road to the top of the hill, and lookout at the top of the hill  
Blind spot mirrors on the corners up the hill



Build a road that everyone can use. Same as it was before. Use a better company to do the road so that it lasts years not weeks. Keep it simple. People go there to exercise. Stop blowing out the cost with unnecessary rubbish like artwork and seats. The carpark should have been done better. Whoever you are consulting for your roadworks needs to be fired!

Can you please have a geotechnical person look at the cuttings for the road going up the hill. There have been a number of rock falls, typically following rain but there are a number of structures that present and a number of sections where rock falls appear likely. The walls may need to be scaled to prevent potential injury to persons.

complete road upgrade & water bubbler at the top

Covered sitting areas at top and bottom of the hill.

Drainage. Road washes out.

Drinking fountain and for dogs

Drinking water fountain, drinking water for pets, bench and shade at the top, seating and shade half way up.

Either have restricted access for vehicles or walk path next to road segmented with guard rail, also water fountain at top

Enhanced lighting and more decorative Artworks

Enough space for 2 cars to pass each other safely, mirror on the blind corners

Finish the job, manage it with some sense of financial maturity & pride. Don't get bent over like council did in the first stage completion..

conduct proper project management processes to deliver on time & within a realistic budget.

Fitness equipment at the top, water cooler, platform to take pics, parking, much like the top of castle hill in tsv.

Fix road for runners/cyclists up the hill

Lookout/seating areas

Fix them damn roads I just about rolled my ankle five times in a row

Flat bitumen so you are not rolling your ankles in pot holes.

Fresh drinking water at the top, somewhere shady to catch your breath, perhaps some outdoor work out equipment

Good sign and walking trails signs will be enough

Good walking track, tap at the top for dog, nice seating area at the top to watch sunset.

grade the roads again, doesn't need to be a road all the way up, a first trail is better, but at least could be graded and safer

Grid replacement at entry so don't have to open and close the gate

I would like to see a network of single trails up down over and around the hill. Perhaps varying degree of difficulties and length.

Hiking trails and lighting. Limited vehicle access. Drinking water and some seats to enjoy the view.

I am happy with any upgrades as long as they are maintained. It is very disappointing to see the state of the Lake Road path and Tharapatha Way that are in poor condition and not maintained or repaired.

I believe it would be a ideal tourist attraction with the future investment into facilities and infrastructure

I don't think furniture is a good idea (maybe a bin down at the car park and up the top) but I would like to keep it as natural as possible as that's the beauty in it.

The road to be grated so it's safe.

I just want it to stay open for long enough to be able to use regularly without interruption of construction closing it 🤦

I like it the way it is

I want to see the road as gravel and not rocks as it gets washed away once it rains and makes it dangerous

I would be happy with just a more flat/improved road that is walkable. Flat surface. Not worried about slipping over.

I would like to see binoculars so that visitors can look out over the countryside.

I would not use the car park near the highway as I go to the top of the hill to set up my telescope to view the stars, planets, etc.

I would like to see two viewing platforms erected one on the east side and one on the west.

Something like a raised deck with handrail around the perimeter and some seating towards the center and tables with adequate space to set up tripods, telescopes, etc. when celestial events happen there could be up to 50 people vying for a position.

Regards

Improved security for assets already established on on telstra, if lighting and solar is installed to met the the correct requirements.

It would be great to have access to fresh water either from a reservoir or a water fountain. Resurfacing the really bad section at the bottom would be great, and the small part at the final bend. Otherwise please (and I can't stress this enough) leave the rest alone. Locals love it purely because of the natural beauty of it. No car parks up the top or car access!!

It would be nice to have some nature trail themed signage and information, like at the lake walk.

Bins for litter and dog waste are also important to keeping the path clean and tidy.

I think the path should be primarily for walking, encouraging cars up the hill interacts with people walking/running and isn't necessary.

A few benches/tables to enjoy the sunset and have a picnic would be a nice addition.

I think it's important to maintain it as a nature walk and not introduce too much stuff, such as lighting, concrete, tarmac, etc.

I think upgrading the road and walking tracks and maybe allowing access to have a nice sit down meal up there would be amazing. Progress over perfection

Just fix the road up the hill

just fix the road. That's what it is not a walking track

Just make it safe to walk up and down

Just the road

Just the road really.... U don't want to take away the feeling of walking on a trail..

Leave it as rustic as you can. We don't need more asphalt, signs, lights and man0made stuff. The whole point is that it is a nice escape. If I want bins, fences, handrails, lights, asphalt and other human construction then there are plenty of parks and roads in town.

Lighting so you can walk up at night when it's not so hot

Lookout area at the topend to look over at the city

Lose the loose gravel

Make it family friendly...shade structures picnic spot at the top...a water feature.

Make the road smooth so there are no trip hazards. Only vehicles up the hill should be service/work vehicles. Bin at the top, bin at the bottom. Seat with shade at the bottom and one at the top. Really want to congratulate the Mayor and her team, doing a fantastic job!

Maybe a water refilled, some benches, or some shade area on the top to rest after a walk and enjoy the view

Maybe another way up hill by using a trail which entails a lot or sections of steps.

More seats

More trees planted for shade, some seating along the walk and at the top. A water bottle refill fountain at the top.

More walking tracks around the hill. We have no reserve bushwalking in this town and it would be beneficial for locals and visitors.

More walking tracks, we used to live in Townsville and we loved Castle Hill and Mount Louisa for all the walking trails, its also somewhere safe to take our dogs on a walk too as I don't feel safe walking around town walking our dogs from fear of stray dogs or dogs jumping fences

Mountain bike trakes for bikes and a walking/riding path from the city but away from the highway slightly, IE 50-100m away

Mountain biking trails or something would be great!

New bitumen road to the top, fresh water tap for people and pets

New bitumen roads, no pot holes or loose gravel roads - too slippery when walking down!

New bitumen to the top, and correct drainage so it does not get washed away.

New pathways

Safer road to the top

NEW ROAD - TRIPPING HAZARD!!

New road all the way up to top of telstra hill to make walking / driving up the hill better and safer

New road service

No more pot holes.

None

None

None if it costing the rate payer money more better to put concrete footpaths on the roads in the Isa Pathway fully complete.

People able to take vehicles to the top again. Leave the top as bushland and don't over develop

Picnic areas and possibly bbq's at top of Telstra hill. Road all the way to the top including footpaths

Pot holes to be filled in on Telstra hill. Maybe a bin and water bubbler up top too next to a table and bench

Proper walk paths & lighting

Reinforcement of the track to resist weather damage

Repairs to road to make it safe for walking and running, not necessarily for vehicles.

Restrict public vehicle access (excluding Telstra and Bureau of Meteorology staff) with an emphasis on the hill being a walking track.

Resurfacing

Road access to top - tables, seating

Road infrastructure all the way to the top to make it safer for those exercising.

Road repair with some extra walking trails, with different walking abilities in mind. Some bench seating maybe a picnic table or two, preferably no lights as to not interfere with the view of the Sky.

Road strong enough for trucks and buses and to cope with the rain when it comes down!

Road to the top sealed  
 Road upgrade  
 Road upgrade all the way to top  
 Footpath for walkers to safely walk along the road  
 Hiking trails would be AWESOME  
 Road upgraded. Allow cars to park at base of hill like we did for last 20 yrs. Was safer to reach car quicker in evenings and save time to quickly exercise n walk up hill before work - when short on time.  
 Roads fixed  
 Safe road to walk and drive up the hill without risking a twisted ankle.  
 Safe walk ways for people and cars. Look out and water available.  
 Safer roads more lights  
 Sealed road for walking up.  
 Sealed road to the top.  
 Solar lights along walkway to the top.  
 Benches along the walk to the top.  
 Two or more picnic bench/tables at the top.  
 Two or more BBQs at the top.  
 Seating and alternate walking tracks.  
 Seperate walking and driving tracks  
 Nice look out up top with benches and chairs  
 Shaded seating benches along the way up and at the top. Great to seat and take in the views.  
 Bbqs and tables with bench seats at the top - places to picnic and take in the views.  
 Sitting area for family and friends to view that beautiful area.  
 Suitable walking track at least - currently not super safe - many have fallen while walking down on the rocky surface  
 Table  
 Tarmac to top of Hill and maintained.  
 The 1st part of it past the gate needs to be fixed up with proper drainage to prevent water continually washing it away after heavy rain. Telstra hill is utilised by many people for leisure and fitness so helps the community  
 The ability to continue to drive up the top of telstra hill please. We have had numerous special get togethers and if we all had to walk the hill, they wouldn't be possible  
 The possibility of being able to drive up there for the views. My elderly parents visited and I couldn't take them up there to see the view due to road conditions.  
 I understand security may be an issue. Could it be a case of closing the gates in the evening perhaps?  
 The road finished  
 The road from the car park to the top to e properly sealed with no pot holes and vehicle access restricted to authorised cars only  
 The road is currently very dangerous and hard to walk up safely because of the washout and loose debris. A sealed road or alternate paths, perhaps with stairs and railings would be beneficial. Once at top of hill the roads are fine  
 The road redone  
 The road that's washed away is the main concern.  
 The road to be driveable. I did a memorial for my baby to there and would love to be able to visit but my current car won't go up there  
 The road up the hill, needs to be upgraded. I have fallen over a few times in the pot holes and lose gravel. It is such a wonderful asset to Mount Isa. It's so beautiful and scenic for am afternoon walk  
 The road, a big sidewalk with railings and benches.  
 The wall to have noted metres / km and elevation?  
 Three convex mirrors on blind corners.  
 Armco barriers, wooboy to stop erosion.  
 Pedestrian management plan as this easement is used for work purposes and travelled at any hour of the day. Private vehicles should be prevented or discouraged from entering the Hill section of easement. Signs warning Pedestrian about vehicular travel at any time is possible. Some pedestrians use headphones and cannot see or here oncoming traffic .  
 Toilet, shaded area  
 Upgrades to the roadway up the hill from the bottom to the top. The road is very washed away. It would be nice to see the roadway fixed with either gravel or bitumen so that runners and cyclists can enjoy exercising up the hill without the risk of rolling their ankles on the washed out road.  
 Walking tracks with stairs, not just the main road to the top, lights so you can walk at night, facilities at the top so you can spend more time there  
 Walking/running track or improved road for this. Lots of locals use the hill for ultra marathon training.  
 Lighting would be amazing to assist in early morning training  
 Water and Toilets  
 Water bubbler at the top  
 Water fountain

Water fountains, shaded seating and tables at the top, Toilets a BBQ.  
If we were getting water up the hill, turfing a section with seats and shade.  
Lights would be good but not essential.  
Forget about the art and signs save that for round 3 or 4 of funding.  
Would like to see the road up to the top upgraded.

Would love to have a track from edge of town out to Telstra. Also regular grading of bottom part of road at beginning of hill.

Would love to see a proper goat track that is maintained - similar to the ones done all over Queensland - with steps for portions and other portions are you 'goat' part of the track.

Would love to see at least one bench 1/2 way with water including a dog bowl. I do like that it's safe for kids, pets as there isn't normally any cars to worry about.

would love to see the entire track up tarred like the carpark but no cars allowed up