



REGIONAL ACTION PLAN

CREATING JOBS FOR BRISBANE AND REDLANDS

The Queensland Budget will directly support job creation in the Brisbane and Redlands region with significant expenditure including:

Infrastructure

\$4.738B

for productivity-enhancing infrastructure and capital works, estimated to support around **12,500 jobs** in this region in 2020-21.

Health

\$6.8B

for the Metro North, Metro South and Children's Health Queensland Hospital and Health Services.

Education

\$430.3M

to maintain, improve and upgrade schools in Brisbane and Redlands.

The Brisbane and Redlands region will also benefit from:

Cross River Rail

\$5.4B

State contribution to build a 10.2 kilometre rail line from Dutton Park to Bowen Hills, with 5.9 kilometres of twin tunnels under the Brisbane River and CBD.

Social housing

\$147.4M

in 2020-21 to expand and improve social housing, including \$12.4 million Works for Tradies Initiative contributing to Queensland's economic recovery.

Gabba Redevelopment

\$35M

for the refurbishment of The Gabba to deliver enhanced stadium facilities to attract national and international events.

Delivering for the Brisbane and Redlands region

Advance Queensland

\$330.7 million of grants awarded to 2,797 applicants to drive innovation, build on our natural advantages, and help raise Brisbane and Redlands's profile as an attractive investment destination. Part of the \$755 million Advance Queensland initiative.

(July 2015 to September 2020)

Advance Queensland Industry Attraction Fund

12 agreements have been entered into which are estimated to generate \$214.0 million in capital expenditure and support employment of 787 people.

(July 2016 to November 2020)

COVID-19 Jobs Support Loan Scheme

2,344 loans approved in Brisbane and Redlands totalling \$350 million to assist local business through the pandemic, supporting 32,456 jobs.

(March 2020 to October 2020)

Payroll tax relief

4,326 employers in Brisbane and Redlands received a total of \$206 million in payroll tax refund, holiday or waiver under the Queensland Government's payroll tax initiative to alleviate the impact of COVID-19 on businesses.

(as at 11 November 2020)

Restoring frontline services for Brisbane and Redlands

(March 2015 to September 2020)



1,771 extra nurses, up 18.4%



580 extra doctors, up 18.5%



1,623 extra teachers, up 17.6%



447 extra teacher aides, up 24.6%



CREATING JOBS FOR

Brisbane and Redlands

1 Gateway Motorway, Bruce Highway, Moreton Connector and Gympie Arterial Road

\$2.1 billion program of works (across the Brisbane and Redlands, and Sunshine Coast and Moreton Bay regions) encompassing the Gateway Motorway (Bracken Ridge to Pine River), Bruce Highway (Pine River to Dohles Rocks Road), Gympie Arterial Road (between Strathpine Road and Gateway Motorway) and Moreton Connector/North South Urban Arterial corridor. Delivered in partnership with the Australian Government.

2 Sandgate District State High School

\$5 million over four years to refurbish an existing hall.

3 Beams Road (Carseldine and Fitzgibbon), rail level crossing funding commitment

\$178 million Queensland Government and Australian Government commitment towards a new overpass at Beams Road, and to upgrade the Carseldine Train Station park 'n' ride. Works subject to contribution from Brisbane City Council.

4 Aspley State High School

\$12.2 million in 2020-21 out of a \$13.2 million total spend to construct a new music centre, a new performing arts centre and a new multi-purpose sports hall and a covered outdoor learning area.

5 Everton Park Link Road (Stafford Road - South Pine Road)

\$12.3 million in 2020-21 out of a \$31 million total spend to construct a new link road allowing a direct route between Stafford Road and South Pine Road to reduce traffic congestion.

6 Wilston State School

\$8 million over four years to construct a multi-purpose hall.

7 Ballymore Precinct Redevelopment

\$5 million in 2020-21 out of a \$15 million total contribution to Queensland Rugby Union for Ballymore Precinct Stage 1 Redevelopment.

8 Lindum train station

A commitment to upgrade Lindum train station to provide improved access and facilities.

12 Health and wellbeing centre at Clem Jones Centre

\$2.5 million in 2020-21 out of a \$5 million total spend for a new allied health and wellbeing centre at the Clem Jones Centre.

13 Nareeba Moopi Moopi Pa Aged Care Facility

\$3 million in 2020-21 out of a \$3.9 million total spend to refurbish the Nareeba Moopi Moopi Pa aged care facility and improve its ability to withstand bushfire attack and to prepare a concept design for an additional facility. Delivered in partnership with the Australian Government.

14 Gumdale State School

\$2.4 million in 2020-21 out of a \$6 million total spend for new classrooms.

17 Easts Leagues Club Langlands Park

\$1 million to support facilities development at the Easts Leagues Club at Langlands Park.

18 Princess Alexandra Hospital

\$20.7 million in 2020-21 out of a \$69 million total spend for construction projects to improve facilities at the Princess Alexandra Hospital site.

19 Chelmer sports ground

\$1 million in 2020-21 to upgrade the club house, fields and change room facilities.

20 Yeronga Child and Youth Community Hub

\$7.8 million in 2020-21 for the establishment of a new integrated Child and Youth Community Hub to provide appropriate integrated child, youth and family services.

21 Centenary Motorway (Ellen Grove - Toowong), Centenary Bridge (stage 1), duplicate bridge

\$16.4 million in 2020-21 out of a \$244 million total spend towards the duplication of the Centenary Bridge at Jindalee. Delivered in partnership with the Australian Government.

22 Capalaba State College

\$8 million over four years to construct a new multi-purpose hall.

23 Redland Hospital

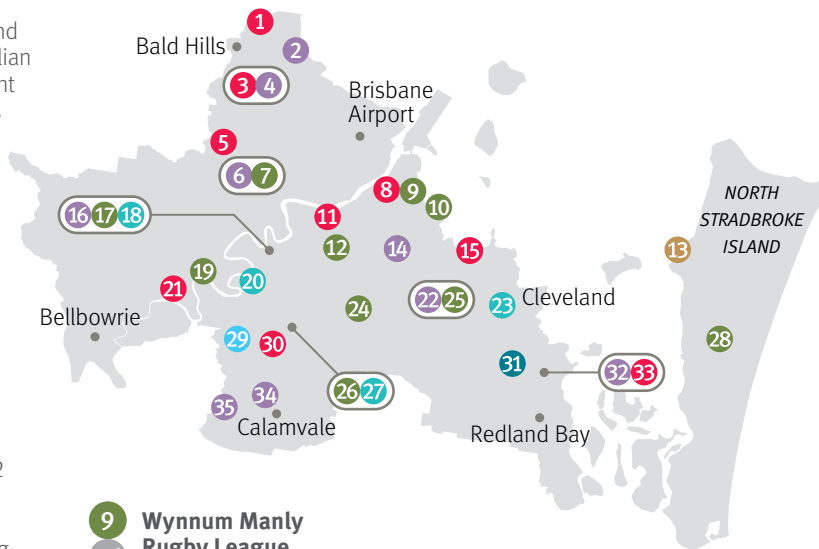
\$18 million in 2020-21 out of a \$130.1 million total spend for construction projects to improve facilities at the Redland Hospital site, including expansion of the Hospital and a new multi-storey carpark. Delivered in partnership with the Australian Government.

24 Mt Gravatt Youth and Recreation Club sports complex

\$1.5 million to the Mt Gravatt Youth and Recreation Club for second stage upgrades to the sports complex.

25 PCYC Redlands upgrade

\$20,000 in 2020-21 to upgrade facilities at PCYC Redlands.



9 Wynnum Manly Rugby League

\$300,000 to the Wynnum Manly Junior Rugby League Football Club for upgrades to the field lighting.

10 Moreton Bay Trailer Boat Club

\$1 million to support redevelopment of the Moreton Bay Trailer Boat Club.

11 Cannon Hill train station

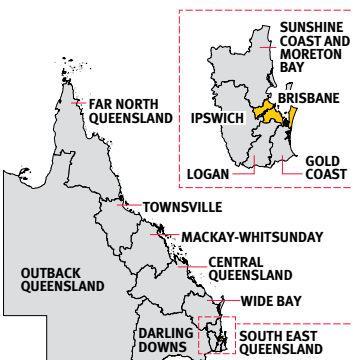
\$11.3 million in 2020-21 out of a \$27 million total spend to upgrade Cannon Hill train station to provide improved access and facilities.

15 Birkdale train station, park 'n' ride expansion

\$317,000 to produce a business case regarding the redesign of the Birkdale Train Station park 'n' ride.

16 Brisbane South State Secondary College

\$59.6 million in 2020-21 out of a \$122.2 million total spend to construct a new secondary school (all stages).



26 Queensland Academy of Sport redevelopment
\$9.8 million in 2020-21 to redevelop the Queensland Academy of Sport at the Queensland Sport and Athletics Centre to best practice international standards.

27 Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Hospital
\$17.8 million in 2020-21 out of a \$33.7 million total spend for construction projects to improve facilities at the Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Hospital site.




28 Minjerribah Economic Transition Strategy (Minjerribah Futures)
\$16.4 million in 2020-21 out of a \$34.7 million total spend to deliver more than 20 projects to support the economic transition of Minjerribah (North Stradbroke Island) to a leading cultural and eco-tourism destination. Delivered in partnership with the private sector.

29 Archerfield Airport - Airside Infrastructure Modernisation
\$13.5 million in 2020-21 out of a \$17.8 million total spend for the improvement and modernisation of airside infrastructure to support operational and business growth. Delivered in partnership with the private sector.

30 Boundary Road (Coopers Plains), rail level crossing funding commitment
\$146 million Queensland Government and Australian Government commitment for a new overpass at Boundary Road, Coopers Plains. Subject to ongoing negotiations with the Australian Government and Brisbane City Council.

31 New Mount Cotton fire station
There will be a new fire station at Mount Cotton, including specialist bushfire response capability.

32 Victoria Point State High School
\$2.2 million in 2020-21 out of a \$2.6 million total spend to construct a new security fence for the entire campus and to extend an existing hall.

KEY	
	Community wellbeing
	Utilities
	Health
	Education
	Transport and roads
	Justice and safety
	Government services
	Recreation and culture
	Statewide/region-wide
	Relates to election commitment

33 Cleveland - Redland Bay Road, Anita Street and Magnolia Parade to Benfer Street, upgrade intersections and duplicate to four lanes
\$4 million in 2020-21 out of a \$97 million total spend to upgrade intersections on Cleveland - Redland Bay Road at Anita Street and duplicate the road between Magnolia Parade and Benfer Road.

34 Algester State School
\$1.5 million in 2020-21 to install a school security fence and refurbish an administration building.

35 Pallara State School
\$8.1 million in 2020-21 out of a \$10.3 million total spend for the expansion of the school.

36 Redlands Satellite Hospital
Part of a \$265 million total spend for the delivery of seven Satellite Hospitals to enable our acute hospitals to continue safely managing patients via alternative models of care.

Please note: Not all Government expenditure for the region is shown. Dollar amounts may include capital and operating expenditure, though may not represent the entire funding allocated.

To see more Palaszczuk Government initiatives visit budget.qld.gov.au

New Vaxxas base for Nanopatch development

Queensland has ensured ground-breaking medtech company Vaxxas stays in the State to commercialise and manufacture its globally renowned needle-free vaccine delivery technology. The success in securing Vaxxas' future in Queensland will support 189 total jobs over 10 years. It will see Vaxxas manufacture its needle-free High-Density Micro-projection Array Patch in large numbers at its new Brisbane base.

The Queensland Government is providing funding support to build and fast track the fit out of the new manufacturing base in a Queensland Government owned building at Northshore Hamilton in Brisbane. The new facility will enable Vaxxas to manufacture enough needle-free vaccine kits to deliver 300 million doses each year which has the potential to contribute \$497 million in economic activity over 10 years and create up to 139 additional highly-skilled, knowledge-intensive jobs. The project closely aligns with the Queensland Biomedical 10-Year Roadmap and Action Plan.



Howard Smith Wharves works to boost tourism

The Queensland Government has committed \$5.5 million to build three new pontoons at Howard Smith Wharves to boost the tourism and construction industries post-COVID-19.

The funding is part of the Government's strategy to promote the city's links to Moreton Bay and its islands. Investing in river access infrastructure will help create future tourism jobs in the southeast.

The award-winning Howard Smith Wharves is hugely popular and the new river terminal will mean patrons can enjoy the city before heading to Moreton Bay or other attractions along the Brisbane River.

The new pontoons will be accessible to commercial tour operators as a pick-up and drop-off point that will benefit from the patronage of the Howard Smith Wharves and Eagle Street restaurant and entertainment precincts.

Construction of the three pontoons is estimated to create seven construction jobs and 23 operational jobs.

BUDGET 2020–21 AT A GLANCE

Jobs supported by infrastructure investment in 2020–21	46,000
Total infrastructure program over four years	\$56B
Percentage of capital spend outside Greater Brisbane	58%
Total spend on road and transport infrastructure in 2020–21	\$6.3B
COVID-19 economic stimulus measures to date	\$7B
Education and training in 2020–21	\$17.5B
Health in 2020–21	\$21.8B
Concessions and lowering the cost of living	\$6.3B
Building trains in Queensland over 10 years	\$1B
Social housing improvements in 2020–21	\$526.2M

Tax Relief Package

The Government provided significant tax relief to support Queensland businesses, landlords, tenants, pubs and clubs, including:

- Payroll tax refunds, waivers and deferrals for eligible businesses, targeted at small to medium businesses
- A payroll tax exemption for wages subsidised by the JobKeeper payment
- Land tax rebates, waivers and deferrals for eligible taxpayers.

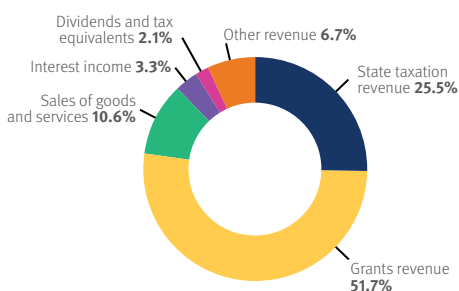
An estimated 2,780 businesses in Brisbane & Redlands will also benefit in 2020-21 from the higher payroll tax threshold.

STATEWIDE HIGHLIGHTS

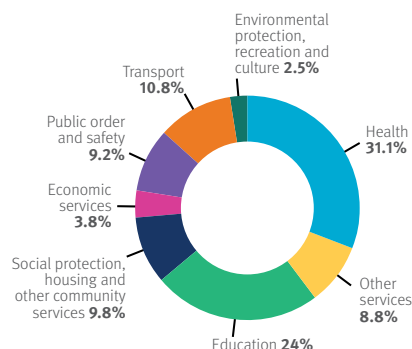
This Budget is focused on creating jobs and getting our economy moving sooner. Initiatives include:

- Driving the largest infrastructure program in over a decade - \$14.8 billion in 2020–21, directly supporting 46,000 jobs. Around 58% of the capital program and 28,700 of the jobs supported will be outside the Greater Brisbane area.
- Growing our regions and supporting key industries such as tourism, agriculture and mining. An additional \$200 million will be provided to the Works for Queensland program to support local governments outside South East Queensland.
- Enhancing frontline services. The Budget will support funding for additional frontline health staff including 5,800 nurses, 1,500 doctors and 1,700 allied health professionals through to 2024.
- Providing more Queenslanders with access to the skills and training they need for rewarding careers. \$100 million has been provided over three years to upgrade TAFE campuses.
- Backing small businesses to support jobs and communities. More than \$7 billion in COVID-19 stimulus measures have been provided so far, including reducing business costs through payroll tax relief and other tax relief measures, and accelerating projects to unlock development and increase economic activity.
- Providing concessions and easing the cost of living, with an estimated \$6.3 billion in 2020–21 in targeted discounts, fee waivers, rebates, and subsidies.
- Protecting the environment. The Great Barrier Reef will benefit from an additional \$40 million worth of support. This includes \$10 million for a Reef Assist Program and \$6 million over four years for the GBR Island Arks project to deliver ecotourism in the region.
- Increasing investment in manufacturing including \$1 billion to make trains again in Queensland.
- Delivering lower debt than New South Wales and Victoria.

2020–21 Revenue



2020–21 Expenses



Queensland's Labour Market Forecasts

