

DELIVERING FOR SCENIC RIM



Queensland Budget 2025–26

QUEENSLAND SNAPSHOT



1,600 police recruits with stronger laws and new programs to turn kids away from crime.



15 new schools and \$300 in vouchers for education essentials and kids' sport.



3 new hospitals and 10 major upgrades. More free healthcare than ever before.



Boost to Buy delivering a place to call home for more Queenslanders with a new nation-leading home ownership scheme to reduce the deposit gap.



Major Bruce Highway upgrades and new road and rail projects to get you home sooner.



DELIVERING safety where you live

→ **Making Queensland Safer laws**

Adult Crime, Adult Time for young offenders across the state, who commit the most serious offences.

→ **Gold Standard Early Intervention**

Targeted early intervention and rehabilitation programs to reduce youth offending across the Scenic Rim.



DELIVERING health services when you need them

→ **More health workers**

More health workers for Scenic Rim, with additional funding in 2025–26 to grow the workforce to 17,779 (FTE) across Metro South Hospital and Health Service.

→ **Ipswich Hospital Expansion (Stage 2)**

\$925 million to construct a new acute clinical services building on the existing site, with 200 new beds, as part of the Hospital Rescue Plan.



DELIVERING a better lifestyle through a stronger economy

→ **More social and community housing**

\$4.9 million to expand and improve social and community housing in Scenic Rim, working towards the delivery of 53,500 social and community homes by 2044, including delivering homes in partnership with the Australian Government.

→ **Gallery Walk access and safety upgrades - Tamborine Mountain**

\$2.1 million to build an off-road car park, upgrade public toilets, and construct new pedestrian crossings and footpaths to improve access and safety.



DELIVERING a plan for Queensland's future

→ **Mount Lindesay Highway (Brisbane – Beaudesert), Johanna Street to South Street (Jimboomba), duplication**

Duplicating the Mount Lindesay Highway between Johanna Street and South Street in Jimboomba to improve safety and reduce peak hour congestion and travel time. Delivered in partnership with the Australian Government.

→ **New indoor multi-sports facility – Beaudesert**

\$4.8 million spend to construct a new indoor multi-sports facility in Beaudesert with two courts, viewing deck, amenities and parking facilities.



To see what is being delivered in Scenic Rim, visit the **interactive map**.

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Safety where you live



Making Queensland Safer laws

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Beaudesert courthouse

Delivering the replacement of the current Beaudesert courthouse.

Biddaddaba rural fire brigade station

\$1 million for the upgrade of the rural fire brigade station at Biddaddaba.

Mount Alford rural fire brigade station

\$1.4 million for the rural fire brigade station at Mount Alford.

Boonah replacement auxiliary fire and rescue station

\$4 million for the replacement of the auxiliary fire and rescue station at Boonah.

Early Intervention and Rehabilitation

\$560 million for comprehensive early intervention and rehabilitation programs across the state, to reduce youth offending and reduce the number of victims.

Secure Communities Partnership Program

\$40 million to provide grants to small businesses and local governments across the state, to implement measures to improve community safety and prevent crime in public commercial and business precincts.

Victims Advocate Service

\$50 million to deliver a new professional Victims Advocate Service to provide dedicated support to victims of crime across the state, through the justice process.

Domestic and Family Violence Prevention

\$25 million across the state to deliver an electronic monitoring (GPS tracker) pilot of high risk domestic and family violence offenders.

Health services when you need them



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Boonah Hospital

Progression of the planning stage for the Boonah Hospital as part of the Hospital Rescue Plan.

Hospital Rescue Plan

Delivering more than 2,600 extra beds across the state including 3 new hospitals and 10 hospital expansions and more regional health services.

Reducing ambulance ramping

Health services when you need them with more paramedics and initiatives to reduce ambulance ramping below 30 per cent by 2028.

Surgery Waitlist Stabilisation

\$1.8 billion to deliver more elective surgeries when and where Queenslanders need them including partnering with the private sector through the Surgery Connect Program to reduce waitlists and have patients seen sooner.

Real-time health data

Delivering the government's new Open Hospitals website to share data in real time and drive cultural change across the state.

Improving patient flow

\$581 million to stabilise bed capacity to improve patient flow across the state, with 515 beds across the Queensland Health system.

Midwife to patient ratios

\$48.7 million to deliver the legislated but previously unfunded midwife to patient ratios across the state.

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Strategic infrastructure planning for Kooralbyn township

\$90,000 to develop a strategic plan addressing future infrastructure needs for the Kooralbyn township.

NBN Regional Co-Investment Fund

\$529,380 to increase and improve fixed wireless telecommunications resilience in communities in the Scenic Rim affected by, or at risk of, natural disasters.

Boost to Buy to reduce the deposit gap

Reducing the deposit gap for 1,000 Queenslanders across the state who don't have savings to get into their first home.

Back to School Boost

Delivering cost of living relief with \$100 for every Queensland primary school child across the state to help cover the cost of school essentials every year.

Play On!

More affordable and accessible sport for all Queensland kids with \$200 *Play On!* voucher program to help reduce the cost of participation in the biggest investment ever.

Abolishing taxes for first home buyers

Delivering cost of living relief by abolishing stamp duty on all new homes across the state for first home buyers.



First Home Owner Grant Boost extension

Delivering cost of living relief for first home buyers across the state by extending the First Home Owner Grant to \$30,000 for 12 months.

One Million Homes by 2044

As part of the Securing Our Housing Foundations plan, the government will deliver one million homes across Queensland by 2044.

A plan for Queensland's future



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Hillview State School

\$495,000 for school playground and tuckshop upgrades.

St Bernard State School

\$300,000 for transpiration pit rectification.

Rathdowney State School

\$1.5 million to refurbish Block E amenities.

Gleneagle State School

\$500,000 for school playground and tuckshop upgrades.

Accessible unisex change facilities at 2 sport fields (SEQ Liveability Fund)

\$2.8 million to deliver inclusive change facilities at Coronation Park (Boonah) and Selwyn Park (Beaudesert), featuring showers, toilets and benches. Part of the South East Queensland City Deal, delivered in partnership with the Australian Government and the Scenic Rim Regional Council.

Games On! Tamborine Mountain Sports Association

\$1 million to be utilised as a bridge to accessing other funding streams or on one or more discrete projects which advance the Master Plan, as part of the \$250 million Games On! Grassroots Infrastructure Program.

Kalbar and District Agricultural and Pastoral Association

\$150,000 for lighting at Kalbar Showgrounds.

First 5 Forever

\$29,763 to deliver the First 5 Forever family literacy initiative in the Scenic Rim.

2032 Delivery Plan

Putting the 2032 Olympic and Paralympic Games back on track with a plan to deliver what's needed for Queensland's future, with transport and infrastructure, tourism and grassroots sporting facilities across the state.

Destination 2045

\$446 million to support Destination 2045: Delivering Queensland's Tourism Future including funding for aviation attraction, event attraction and new product development across the state.

Fully funding state schools

Delivering a record investment into Queensland's education system to fully fund state schools across the state for the first time in Queensland, in partnership with Australian Government.

Games On! Grassroots Infrastructure Program

\$250 million for a community Olympic and Paralympic legacy fund to boost participation in grassroots sport across the state in the leadup to the Games.



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