

DELIVERING FOR THE GOLD COAST



Queensland Budget 2026-27

QUEENSLAND SNAPSHOT



Making Queensland Safer with more police, stronger laws, early intervention and rehabilitation.



50 Cent Fares locked-in law for permanent relief you can rely on.



3 new and 10 expanded hospitals with more free healthcare than ever before.



7% decrease in power prices for South East Queensland families under the *Energy Roadmap Price Drop*.



Gold Coast Transport Plan delivering generational public transport and road infrastructure.



22 new schools and 4 new TAFE Centres of Excellence for our growing State, with a \$150 Back to School Boost for primary school students.



Better Services through a Stronger Economy

New medical imaging service in Southport

Delivering a new MRI machine and CT scanner at the Southport Health Precinct, providing easier access to vital diagnostic imaging services closer to home.

New Marine Wildlife Hospital at Sea World

Delivering a new marine Wildlife Hospital at Sea World (\$10 million over two years).



Building Queensland's Future

Logan and Gold Coast Faster Rail project

Delivering the Logan and Gold Coast Faster Rail project to increase the rail network capacity and improve service reliability between Brisbane and the Gold Coast. Delivered in partnership with the Federal Government.

New Coomera Hospital

Constructing the new Coomera Hospital, delivering 600 beds, ambulatory care, multi-storey car parking and public transport connections as part of the Hospital Rescue Plan.



Making Queensland Safer

Regional Reset

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More police on the frontline

Recruiting more police to grow our frontline to restore safety where you live.



To see what else is being delivered in Gold Coast, visit the **interactive map**.

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Supporting Gold Coast Community Legal Centre

Supporting the Gold Coast Community Legal Centre to construct a new facility with larger and more accessible office space in Southport.

Supporting My Community Legal on the Gold Coast

Supporting the delivery of legal assistance to the southern Gold Coast community, with a priority on domestic violence support.

Tackling alcohol-fuelled violence in Burleigh Heads

Delivering funding to tackle alcohol-fuelled violence and anti-social behaviour in Burleigh Heads.

PCYC Pimpama

Investing towards construction of a new Pimpama PCYC that will offer youth development programs, sport, recreation and community-run activities.

Numinbah Correctional Centre

Upgrading infrastructure and security at the Numinbah Correctional Centre.

Keeping our kids safe

Boosting the safety of children in childcare, schools and the community with \$450 million to progress recommendations from the Child Safety Commission of Inquiry, as well as establish a new Queensland Protection Commission and a first-of-its-kind Intelligence Hub.

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Circuit Breaker Sentencing

Delivering new court-ordered remote rehabilitation-focused detention for youth offenders to break the cycle of crime and make Queensland safer.

Proven Initiatives early intervention programs

Delivering community-led, results-driven early intervention programs with a proven track record of success, to turn youth away from crime and make Queensland safer.

Staying on Track

Reducing repeat crime with intensive 12-month rehabilitation programs after detention to keep youth on the right path.

Domestic and Family Violence Electronic Monitoring

Helping protect victims of domestic and family violence with an electronic monitoring pilot program for high-risk domestic and family violence offenders.





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Gold Coast Transport Plan

Investing in the Gold Coast Transport Plan, which will deliver generational public transport and road infrastructure for the Gold Coast.

Burleigh Heads State School

Delivering upgrades to the school hall, outdoor play and general facilities.

New special school in Coomera

Delivering a new special school adjoining Coomera Springs State School to increase special schooling capacity in the area.

Upper Coomera State College

Delivering new STEM and sporting facilities and a multi-purpose outdoor court refurbishment.

Olympic and Paralympic Athlete Villages

Supporting delivery of the athlete villages for the 2032 Games which will provide a boost to housing supply, new amenities and infrastructure, following the Games.

Games On! Grassroots Infrastructure Program

Investing in upgraded and new infrastructure projects for community sporting clubs, including the Coomera Hope Island Cricket Club, Nerang Roosters Rugby League Club and Tallebudgera Surf Life Saving Club. Part of the *Games On!* Grassroots Infrastructure Program.

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Binstead Way-Pacific Pines Boulevard intersection

Progressing planning for an upgraded intersection on Binstead Way and Pacific Pines Boulevard.

Burleigh Connection Road bus infrastructure upgrade

Delivering upgrades to bus infrastructure on Burleigh Connection Road.

More social and community housing

Expanding and improving social and community housing on the Gold Coast, with 596 homes in construction or under contract, as the government progresses towards its target of 53,500 social and community homes by 2044.

Cedar Creek State School car park

Investing in an upgraded car park on Chardon Bridge Road, Cedar Creek State School. Delivered in partnership with the Gold Coast City Council.

Coomera Connector

Delivering the Coomera Connector Stage 1 from Coomera to Nerang, and progressing detailed design on Stage 2 from Pimpama to Coomera. Delivered in partnership with the Federal Government.

Gold Coast-Springbrook Road causeway

Delivering an upgraded causeway on Gold Coast-Springbrook Road, Austinville. Delivered in partnership with the Federal Government.

Gold Coast Highway wildlife crossing

Progressing work on a wildlife crossing on the Gold Coast Highway at Burleigh Heads.

Jabiru Island Bridge

Delivering design and planning works to upgrade Jabiru Island Bridge on Hope Island Road.

Better Services through a Stronger Economy



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Delivering a new MRI machine and CT scanner at the Southport Health Precinct, providing easier access to vital diagnostic imaging services closer to home.

Protection of koala habitats in South East Queensland

Supporting koala habitat revegetation and landscape connectivity enhancement projects through the Grassroots Environmental Grants Koala Habitat Restoration program.

Tropical Cyclone Alfred Environmental Recovery Program

Supporting the City of Gold Coast to undertake rehabilitation activities to recover coastlines impacted by the 2025 Tropical Cyclone Alfred. Part of the Disaster Recovery Funding Arrangements Environmental Recovery Program, delivered in partnership with the Federal Government.

Burleigh Heads National Park volunteer groups

Delivering Environmental Restoration Plans within four protected areas in the Burleigh area to support community conservation volunteer groups (\$630,000 over three years).

Clean up and restore the Mudgeeraba Creek

Supporting Austinville Landcare through a local conservation project (\$100,000 over four years).

New Currumbin Wildlife Hospital Research and Training Precinct

Investing in a new research and training precinct at Currumbin Wildlife Hospital, allowing visitors to view and understand wildlife conservation (\$14 million over two years). Part of the Regional Precincts and Partnerships Program, delivered in partnership with the Federal Government and the City of Gold Coast.

New Marine Wildlife Hospital at Sea World

Delivering a new marine Wildlife Hospital at Sea World (\$10 million over two years).

Men's Shed

Supporting new Men's Sheds in Labrador and Oxenford.

Varsity Lakes Support Beyond Barriers

Supporting Varsity Lakes Community Resource Centre to deliver the Support Beyond Barriers program (\$240,000 over three years).

Frontline housing and homelessness services

Delivering housing and homelessness services to vulnerable Queenslanders on the Gold Coast to assist them to secure longer-term housing and access other specialist support services, including temporary accommodation, outreach and connection to broader community services.

Freezing South East Queensland bulk water prices

Easing cost pressures on South East Queensland households by freezing bulk water prices for two years, saving families around \$130.

Healthy Kindy Kids program

Expanding the Healthy Kindy Kids program statewide, with free vision, hearing and speech development checks for children in kindergarten, giving them the best chance to be ready for school.

Supercharged Solar for Renters

Driving down renters' power bills for more than 6,500 households with solar rebates, saving around \$700 a year. Eligible landlords can receive a rebate of up to \$3,500 to install solar on rental properties.

\$150 Back to School Boost

Better relief you can rely on with a 50% increase to the Back to School Boost, with \$150 for every primary school student.

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